

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREASE

A tax rate of \$0.497583 per \$100 valuation has been proposed by the governing body of City of Pasadena.

PROPOSED TAX RATE	\$0.497583 per \$100
NO-NEW-REVENUE TAX RATE	\$0.465145 per \$100
VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE	\$0.497583 per \$100

The no-new-revenue tax rate is the tax rate for the 2022 tax year that will raise the same amount of property tax revenue for City of Pasadena from the same properties in both the 2021 tax year and the 2022 tax year.

The voter-approval rate is the highest tax rate that City of Pasadena may adopt without holding an election to seek voter approval of the rate.

The proposed tax rate is greater than the no-new-revenue tax rate. This means that City of Pasadena is proposing to increase property taxes for the 2022 tax year.

A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED TAX RATE WILL BE HELD ON SEPTEMBER 6, 2022 AT 10:00 AM AT COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL AT 1149 ELLSWORTH DR., PASADENA, TX 77506.

The proposed tax rate is not greater than the voter-approval tax rate. As a result, City of Pasadena is not required to hold an election at which voters may accept or reject the proposed tax rate. However, you may express your support for or opposition to the proposed tax rate by contacting the members of the City Council of City of Pasadena at their offices or by attending the public hearing mentioned above.

YOUR TAXES OWED UNDER ANY OF THE RATES MENTIONED ABOVE CAN BE CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

$$\text{Property tax amount} = (\text{tax rate}) \times (\text{taxable value of your property}) / 100$$

FOR the proposal:	Councilmember Bianca Valerio	Councilmember Don Harrison
	Councilmember Pat Van Houte	Councilmember Jonathan Estrada
	Councilmember Phil Cayten	Councilmember Gary Bass
	Councilmember Thomas Schoenbein	Mayor Jeff Wagner

AGAINST the proposal:

PRESENT and not
voting:

ABSENT: Councilmember Orinaldo Ybarra

Visit [Texas.gov/PropertyTaxes](https://www.texas.gov/PropertyTaxes) to find a link to your local property tax database on which you can easily access information regarding your property taxes, including

information about proposed tax rates and scheduled public hearings of each entity that taxes your property.

The 86th Texas Legislature modified the manner in which the voter-approval tax rate is calculated to limit the rate of growth of property taxes in the state.

The following table compares the taxes imposed on the average residence homestead by City of Pasadena last year to the taxes proposed to be imposed on the average residence homestead by City of Pasadena this year.

	2021	2022	Change
Total tax rate (per \$100 of value)	\$0.515909	\$0.497583	decrease of \$-0.018326, or -3.55%
Average homestead taxable value	\$138,601	\$155,223	increase of \$16,622, or 11.99%
Tax on average homestead	\$715.06	\$772.36	increase of \$57.30, or 8.01%
Total tax levy on all properties	\$58,641,476	\$63,207,033	increase of \$4,565,557, or 7.79%

For assistance with tax calculations, please contact the tax assessor for City of Pasadena at 713-274-8000 or tax.office@hctx.net, or visit www.hctx.net for more information.