

# NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREASE AND ADOPTION OF TAX RATE

A tax rate of \$0.680708 per \$100 valuation has been proposed by the governing body of Ennis City.

PROPOSED TAX RATE	\$0.680708 per \$100
NO-NEW-REVENUE TAX RATE	\$0.638865 per \$100
VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE	\$0.680708 per \$100

The no-new-revenue tax rate is the tax rate for the 2025 tax year that will raise the same amount of property tax revenue for Ennis City from the same properties in both the 2024 tax year and the 2025 tax year.

The voter-approval rate is the highest tax rate that Ennis City 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 ENNIS is proposing to increase property taxes for the 2025 tax year.

A PUBLIC MEETING TO VOTE ON THE PROPOSED TAX RATE WILL BE HELD ON September 2, 2025 AT 6:00 pm AT 107 N Sherman St, Ennis, TX 75119.

The proposed tax rate is equal to the voter-approval tax rate. As a result, Ennis City is not required to hold an election to seek voter approval of the rate. However, you may express your support for or opposition to the proposed tax rate by contacting the members of the City of Ennis at their offices or by attending the public meeting 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:**

Mayor Kameron Raburn  
Commissioner Cathy Falkenbach  
Commissioner Shirley Watson

Mayor Pro Tem Lynda Isbell  
Commissioner Bruce Jones  
Commissioner Eric Pierce

**AGAINST the proposal:**

**Absent:**

Commissioner Scott Hejny

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 Ennis City last year to the taxes proposed to be imposed on the average residence homestead by Ennis City this year.

	2024	2025	Change
<b>Total tax rate (per \$100 of value)</b>	\$0.664000	\$0.680708	increase of 0.016708 per \$100
<b>Average homestead taxable value</b>	\$258,491	\$257,009	decrease of 0.57%
<b>Tax on average homestead</b>	\$1,716.38	\$1,749.48	increase of \$33.10, or +1.9 %
<b>Total tax levy on all properties</b>	\$18,658,564	\$20,371,940	increase of \$1,713.38, or 9.18%

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For assistance with tax calculations, please contact the Ellis County Tax Assessor at 972-825-5150 or City of Ennis Director of Finance at [smuli@ennistx.gov](mailto:smuli@ennistx.gov), or visit [www.ennistx.gov](http://www.ennistx.gov) for more information.