

## ORDINANCE NO. 2020-0901-09

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ENNIS, TEXAS, FIXING THE TAX RATE FOR THE CITY OF ENNIS, TEXAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2020; PROVIDING FOR COLLECTION DATES AND PENALTIES; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City Commission proposed a property tax rate to provide funding for the FY 2021 Budget

WHEREAS, notice of a public hearing on the proposed property tax rate was given and the hearing was conducted on September 1, 2020.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ENNIS, TX:

**SECTION 1:** There is hereby levied and shall be assessed for tax year 2020 a property tax rate of \$0.724473 on each \$100.00 valuation of property within the city limits of the City of Ennis and subject to taxation.

**SECTION 2:** Such property tax shall all be appropriated to the General Fund and Interest and Sinking Fund as follows:

For the General Fund \$0.445473For the Interest & Sinking Fund \$0.279000TOTAL \$0.724473

SECTION 3: THIS TAX RATE WILL RAISE MORE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS THAN LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE.

THE TAX RATE WILL EFFECTIVELY BE RAISED BY 0.6 PERCENT AND WILL RAISE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS ON A \$100,000 HOME BY APPROXIMATELY \$2.67.

**SECTION 4:** The Tax Collector for the City of Ennis is hereby directed to levy for the 2020 tax year the rates and amounts herein levied, and when such taxes are collected the City of Ennis is to distribute the collections in accordance with this ordinance.

**SECTION 5:** Taxes are due and payable beginning October 1, 2020 through January 31, 2021 and all taxes become delinquent on February 1, 2021 with interest and penalty applied on and after that date.

**SECTION 6:** That this ordinance be in full force and effect from and after its adoption.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED on this 1st day of September, 2020.

ANGELINE JUENEMANN, Mayor

ATTEST:

ANGIE WADE, City Secretary