

# NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREASE

A tax rate of \$0.951179 per \$100 valuation has been proposed by the governing body of O'DONNELL CITY.

PROPOSED TAX RATE	\$0.951179 per \$100
NO-NEW-REVENUE TAX RATE	\$0.918543 per \$100
VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE	\$0.951179 per \$100

The no-new-revenue tax rate is the tax rate for the 2023 tax year that will raise the same amount of property tax revenue for O'DONNELL CITY from the same properties in both the 2022 tax year and the 2023 tax year.

The voter-approval rate is the highest tax rate that O'DONNELL 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 O'DONNELL CITY is proposing to increase property taxes for the 2023 tax year.

A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED TAX RATE WILL BE HELD ON September 21, 2023 AT 5:30 PM AT City Hall 615 8th Street, O'Donnell, TX 79351.

The proposed tax rate is not greater than the voter-approval tax rate. As a result, O'DONNELL CITY 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 of O'DONNELL CITY 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:** Emily Acosta  
Jessie Perez  
Travis Walters

Joeseeph Luera  
Bruce Vaughn

**AGAINST the proposal:**  
**PRESENT** and not voting:  
**ABSENT:**

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 O'DONNELL CITY last year to the taxes proposed to be imposed on the average residence homestead by O'DONNELL CITY this year.

	2022	2023	Change
<b>Total tax rate (per \$100 of value)</b>	\$0.991584	\$0.951179	decrease of -0.040405, or -4.07%
<b>Average homestead taxable value</b>	\$50,251	\$55,670	increase of 5,419, or 10.78%
<b>Tax on average homestead</b>	\$498.28	\$529.52	increase of 31.24, or 6.27%
<b>Total tax levy on all properties</b>	\$252,030	\$262,240	increase of 10,210, or 4.05%

For assistance with tax calculations, please contact the tax assessor for O'DONNELL CITY at 806-561-5477 or [info@lynncad.org](mailto:info@lynncad.org), or visit [lynncad.org](https://lynncad.org) for more information.