

NOTICE OF 2018 TAX YEAR PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX RATE FOR CITY OF ENNIS

A tax rate of \$0.750000 per \$100 valuation has been proposed by the governing body of CITY OF ENNIS. This rate exceeds the lower of the effective or rollback tax rate, and state law requires that two public hearings be held by the governing body before adopting the proposed tax rate.

The governing body of CITY OF ENNIS proposes to use revenue attributable to the tax rate increase for the purpose of to finance cost of firefighters due to ending of Staffing for Adequate Fire & Emergency Response (SAFER) Grant.

- PROPOSED TAX RATE \$0.750000 per \$100
- PRECEDING YEAR'S TAX RATE \$0.710000 per \$100
- EFFECTIVE TAX RATE \$0.688015 per \$100
- ROLLBACK TAX RATE \$0.732251 per \$100

The effective tax rate is the total tax rate needed to raise the same amount of property tax revenue for CITY OF ENNIS from the same properties in both the 2017 tax year and the 2018 tax year.

The rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate that CITY OF ENNIS may adopt before voters are entitled to petition for an election to limit the rate that may be approved to the rollback rate.

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

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

For assistance or detailed information about tax calculations, please contact:

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You are urged to attend and express your views at the following public hearings on proposed tax rate:
First Hearing: 08/21/2018 6:00 PM at Ennis City Hall Commission Chambers, 115 W Brown St, Ennis, TX
Second Hearing: 08/28/2018 6:00 PM at Ennis City Hall Commission Chambers, 115 W Brown St, Ennis, TX