

# Notice about 2022 Tax Rates

Property tax rates in City of Athens.

This notice concerns the 2022 property tax rates for City of Athens. This notice provides information about tax rates used in adopting the current tax year's tax rate. The no-new-revenue tax rate will impose the same amount of taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. The no-new-revenue tax rate (adjusted for sales tax) is the rate adjusted per Chapter 26.041(g) of the Tax Code for increased property tax relief through sales tax as passed by the voters in May 2022. In most cases, the voter-approval tax rate is the highest tax rate a taxing unit can adopt without holding an election. In each case, these rates are calculated by dividing the total amount of taxes by the current taxable value with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

<b>This year's no-new-revenue tax rate</b>	\$0.575447/\$100
<b>This year's no-new-revenue tax rate (adjusted for sales tax)</b>	\$0.539192/\$100
<b>This year's voter-approval tax rate</b>	\$0.574525/\$100

To see the full calculations, please visit [www.athenstx.gov](http://www.athenstx.gov) for a copy of the Tax Rate Calculation Worksheet.

## Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will be left in the taxing unit's accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Fund	Balance
General Fund (excluding Emergency Reserve)	3,544,721

## Current Year Debt Service

The following amounts are for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from upcoming property tax revenues *(or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable)*.

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid from Property Taxes	Interest to be Paid from Property Taxes	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
2017 CERTIFICATES OF OBLIGATION	350,000	239,600	0	589,600
2022 GENERAL OBLIGATION	95,000	155,719	0	250,719
2019 ENGINE 2	77,617	15,691	0	93,308
2021 PUBLIC SAFETY VEHICLES	90,107	1,548	0	91,655
ANNUAL REPORTING	0	0	8,000	8,000

Total required for 2022 debt service	\$1,033,282
- Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in unencumbered funds	\$0
- Amount (if any) paid from other resources	\$18,000
- Excess collections last year	\$0
= Total to be paid from taxes in 2022	\$1,015,282
+ Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only 96.38% of its taxes in 2022	\$38,133
= Total debt levy	\$1,053,415

This notice contains a summary of actual no-new-revenue and voter-approval calculations as certified by Mandie Quigg, Finance Director on 08/02/2022.

Visit [Texas.gov/PropertyTaxes](http://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.