

# NOTICE OF MEETING TO VOTE ON TAX RATE

A tax rate of \$0.366870 per \$100 valuation has been proposed by the governing body of the City of Dickinson.

PROPOSED TAX RATE	\$0.366870 per \$100
NO-NEW-REVENUE TAX RATE	\$0.366870 per \$100
VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE	\$2.794517 per \$100
DE MINIMIS RATE	\$0.395264

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 the City of Dickinson 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 the City of Dickinson may adopt without holding an election to seek voter approval of the rate. The proposed tax rate is not greater than the no-new-revenue tax rate. This means that the City of Dickinson is not proposing to increase property taxes for the 2023 tax year.

A PUBLIC MEETING TO VOTE ON THE PROPOSED TAX RATE WILL BE HELD on September 12, 2023 at 6:00 pm at 4403 Highway 3, Dickinson, TX 77539.

The proposed tax rate is also not greater than the voter-approval tax rate. As a result, the City of Dickinson 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 Council of the City of Dickinson 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:**

Sean Skipworth, Mayor	Jenna Simsen	Mark Townsend
Johnnie Simpson, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tem	Jessie Brantley	William Schick
Fred Linton		

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

	2022	2023	Change
<b>Total tax rate (per \$100 of value)</b>	\$0.388139	\$0.366870	decrease of -0.021269, or -5.48%
<b>Average homestead taxable value</b>	\$215,052	\$236,793	increase of 21,741, or 10.11%
<b>Tax on average homestead</b>	\$834.70	\$868.72	increase of 34.02, or 4.08%
<b>Total tax levy on all properties</b>	\$5,458,227	\$5,503,856	increase of 45,629, or 0.84%

For assistance with tax calculations, please contact the tax assessor for City of Dickinson at 1-877-766-2284 or [galcotax@co.galveston.tx.us](mailto:galcotax@co.galveston.tx.us), or visit [www.galcotax.com](http://www.galcotax.com) for more information.