

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREASE

A tax rate of \$0.151414 per \$100 valuation has been proposed by the governing body of County of Collin.

PROPOSED TAX RATE	\$0.151414 per \$100
NO-NEW-REVENUE TAX RATE	\$0.147806 per \$100
VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE	\$0.156434 per \$100

The no-new-revenue tax rate is the tax rate for the 2026 tax year that will raise the same amount of property tax revenue for County of Collin from the same properties in both the 2025 tax year and the 2026 tax year.

The voter-approval rate is the highest tax rate that County of Collin 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 County of Collin is proposing to increase property taxes for the 2026 tax year.

A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED TAX RATE WILL BE HELD ON September 14, 2026 AT 1:30 PM AT the Collin County Commissioners Courtroom, 2300 Rloomdale Road, McKinney, TX 75071.

The proposed tax rate is not greater than the voter-approval tax rate. As a result, County of Collin 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 Commissioner's Court of County of Collin 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: Susan Fletcher, Commissioner Pct. 1 Cheryl Williams, Commissioner Pct. 2
Darrell Hale, Commissioner Pct. 3 Duncan Webb, Commissioner Pct. 4

AGAINST the proposal: Chris Hill, County Judge

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

	2025	2026	Change
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Total tax rate (per \$100 of value)	\$0.149343	\$0.151414	increase of 0.002071 per \$100, or 1.39%
Average homestead taxable value	\$541,606	\$548,957	increase of 1.36%
Tax on average homestead	\$808.85	\$831.20	increase of 22.35, or 2.76%
Total tax levy on all properties	\$349,205,345	\$365,484,087	increase of 16,278,742, or 4.66%

No-New-Revenue Maintenance and Operations Rate Adjustments

Indigent Defense Compensation Expenditures

The County of Collin spent \$12,706,696 from July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026 to provide appointed counsel for indigent individuals in criminal or civil proceedings in accordance with the schedule of fees adopted under Article 26.05, Code of Criminal Procedure and to fund the operations of a public defender's office under Article 26.044, Code of Criminal Procedure, less the amount of any state grants received. For the current tax year, the amount of increase above last year's indigent defense compensation expenditures is \$446,003. This increased the no-new-revenue maintenance and operations rate by \$0.000190/\$100.

For assistance with tax calculations, please contact the tax assessor for County of Collin at 972-547-5020 or taxassessor@collincountytx.gov, or visit <https://www.collincountytx.gov/tax-assessor/services> for more information.