



HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS

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To: County Judge Hidalgo and
Commissioners Ellis, Garcia,
Radack, and Cagle

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Re: Property Tax Rates for 2019

On September 10, 2019, Commissioners Court must vote to propose property tax rates for the current fiscal year. If the Court elects to adopt Option 1 shown below, then no property tax hearings will be held, and the Court will formally approve these rates on October 8, 2019. If the Court votes to adopt Options 2 or 3, or any other rates that fall between the rates shown on Option 1 and Option 3, then a series of three public hearings on the tax rates will be held at 1 pm on September 20, 2019 and during the regular Commissioners Court meetings on September 24 and October 8.

Court is scheduled to formally adopt property tax rates on October 8, 2019.

	2018 Adopted Tax Rates	OPTION 1 2019 Effective Tax Rates	OPTION 2 2019 Same Total Tax Rate as 2018	OPTION 3 2019 Rollback Tax Rates
Harris County				
General Fund	\$0.34000	\$0.34000	\$0.34300	\$0.35751
PIC Fund	\$0.01000	\$0.00174	\$0.01000	\$0.01000
Debt Service	\$0.06858	\$0.06539	\$0.06539	\$0.06539
Total Harris County	\$0.41858	\$0.40713	\$0.41839	\$0.43290
Flood Control District				
Maint & Operations	\$0.02738	\$0.02670	\$0.02863	\$0.02870
Debt Service	\$0.00139	\$0.00122	\$0.00122	\$0.00122
Total Flood Control	\$0.02877	\$0.02792	\$0.02985	\$0.02992
Port of Houston				
Debt Service	\$0.01155	\$0.01074	\$0.01074	\$0.01074
Hospital District				
Maint & Operations	\$0.17000	\$0.16491	\$0.17000	\$0.17804
Debt Service	\$0.00108	\$0.00100	\$0.00100	\$0.00100
Total Hospital District	\$0.17108	\$0.16591	\$0.17100	\$0.17904
Total Combined Rate	\$0.62998	\$0.61170	\$0.62998	\$0.65260