

# NOTICE OF 2019 TAX YEAR PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX RATE FOR RUNNELS COUNTY

A tax rate of \$0.633834 per \$100 valuation has been proposed for adoption by the governing body of RUNNELS COUNTY. 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 RUNNELS COUNTY proposes to use revenue attributable to the tax rate increase for the purpose of meeting the budget due to the rising cost of Indigent Defense Attorneys, Child Protective Service Attorneys and to meet mandated jail standard requirements.

PROPOSED TAX RATE	\$0.633834 per \$100
PRECEDING YEAR'S TAX RATE	\$0.615188 per \$100
EFFECTIVE TAX RATE	\$0.570060 per \$100
ROLLBACK TAX RATE	\$0.633834 per \$100

The effective tax rate is the total tax rate needed to raise the same amount of property tax revenue for RUNNELS COUNTY from the same properties in both the 2018 tax year and the 2019 tax year.

The rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate that RUNNELS COUNTY 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 the proposed tax rate:

First Hearing: September 5, 2019 at 9:30AM at Runnels County Courthouse Co. Judges Office Ballinger, TX.

Second Hearing: September 10, 2019 at 9:30AM at Runnels County Courthouse Co. Judges Office Ballinger, TX.