

Statements required in notice if the proposed tax rate does not exceed the lower of the no-new-revenue tax rate or the voter-approval tax rate, as prescribed by Tax Code §26.061.

NOTICE OF MEETING TO VOTE ON TAX RATE

A tax rate of **\$0.007618** per \$100 valuation has been proposed by the governing body of the Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District (PGCD).

PROPOSED TAX RATE	\$ 0.007618 per \$100
NO-NEW-REVENUE TAX RATE	\$ 0.007618 per \$100
VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE	\$ 0.010119 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 PGCD from the same properties in both the 2025 tax year and the 2026 tax year.

The voter-approval tax rate is the highest tax rate that PGCD 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 PGCD is not proposing to increase property taxes for the 2026 tax year.

**A PUBLIC MEETING TO VOTE ON THE PROPOSED TAX RATE WILL BE HELD ON
September 23, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. at 201 W. Third Avenue, White Deer, TX 79097.**

The proposed tax rate is not greater than the voter-approval tax rate. As a result, PGCD 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 Board of Directors of PGCD at their offices or by attending the public meeting mentioned above.

YOUR TAXES OWED UNDER ANY OF THE TAX 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: Chancy Cruse, Lee Peterson, John R. Spearman, Jr., Wes Stockett, and Leland Gabel

AGAINST the proposal: N/A

PRESENT and not voting: N/A

ABSENT: David Hodges, William Breeding, Marcus Hardcastle, and Charles Bowers

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 PGCD last year to the taxes proposed to be imposed on the average residence homestead by PGCD this year.

	2025	2026	Change
Total tax rate (per \$100 valuation)	0.008041	0.007618	Decrease of \$0.000423
Average homestead taxable value	\$126,049	\$105,359	Decrease of 16.41%
Tax on average homestead	\$10.14	\$8.03	Decrease of \$2.11
Total tax levy on all properties	\$1,383,240	\$1,372,800	Decrease of \$10,440

For assistance with tax calculations, please contact your county tax assessor or call Britney Britten at 806-883-2501 or at britney@pgcd.us for contact information for tax assessors within PGCD. A complete tax rate worksheet can be found online at www.pgcd.us/tax-rate-information.