

NOTICE ABOUT 2020 TAX RATES

Property Tax Rates in DeWitt County

This notice concerns the 2020 property tax rates for DeWitt County. This notice provides information about two tax rates used in adopting the current tax year's tax rate. The no-new-revenue tax rate would impose the same amount of taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. In most cases, the voter-approval tax rate is the highest tax rate a taxing unit can adopt without holding an election. In each case, these rates are calculated by dividing the total amount of taxes by the current taxable value with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

This year's no-new-revenue tax rate:	\$0.53555
This year's total voter-approval tax rate:	\$0.55597

To see the full calculations please visit 115 N Gonzales St Ste A Cuero TX 77954 for a copy of the Tax Rate Calculation Worksheets.

Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will be left in the taxing unit's accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Fund	Balance
Maintenance & Operating	24,100,000
	0

Current Year Debt Service

The following amounts are for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from upcoming property tax revenues (*or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable*).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid from Property Taxes	Interest to be Paid from Property Taxes	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
Motorola Solutions	615,995	91,483	0	707,478
TX Dept of Transportation	60,000	0	0	60,000

Total required for 2020 debt service	767,478
-Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in unencumbered funds	767,478
-Amount (if any) paid from other resources	0
-Excess collections last year	0
=Total to be paid from taxes in 2020	0
+ Amount added in anticipation that the taxing unit will collect only 100.00% of its taxes in 2020	0
=Total debt levy	0

Unencumbered Fund Balances - Farm to Market/ Flood Control

The following estimated balances will be left in the taxing unit's accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Fund	Balance
	0

Current Year Debt Service - Farm to Market/ Flood Control

The taxing unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (*or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable*).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid from Property Taxes	Interest to be Paid from Property Taxes	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
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Total required for 2020 debt service	0
-Amount (if any) paid from Schedule A	0
-Amount (if any) paid from other resources	0
-Excess collections last year	0
=Total to be paid from taxes in 2020	0
collect only 100.00% of its taxes in 2020	0
=Total debt levy	0

Unencumbered Fund Balances - Special Road & Bridge

The following estimated balances will be left in the taxing unit's accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not numbered by corresponding debt obligation.

Current Year Debt Service - Special Road & Bridge

The taxing unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Total required for 2020 debt service	0
-Amount (if any) paid from Schedule A	0
-Amount (if any) paid from other resources	
-Excess collections last year	0
=Total to be paid from taxes in 2020	0
collect only 100.00% of its taxes in 2020	
=Total debt levy	

State Criminal Justice Mandate

The DeWitt County County Auditor certifies that DeWitt County County has spent \$110,925 in the previous 12 months for the maintenance and operations cost of keeping inmates sentenced to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. DeWitt County County Sheriff has provided DeWitt County information on these costs, minus the state revenues received for the reimbursement of such costs. This increased the voter-approval tax rate by \$.00065/\$100.

Indigent Health Care Compensation Expenditures

The DeWitt County spent \$283,190 from July 1 2019 to June 30, 2020. This increased the voter-approval tax rate by \$.00075/\$100.

Indigent Defense Compensation Expenditures

The DeWitt County spent \$ 193,054 from July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020 to provide appointed counsel for indigent individuals, less the amount of state grants received by the county. In the preceding year, the county spent \$159,546 for indigent defense compensation expenditures. The amount of increase above last year's indigent defense expenditures is \$0. This increased the voter-approval rate by \$.00014 /\$100 to recoup the increased expenditures.

This notice contains a summary of the no-new-revenue and voter-approval calculations as certified by Ashley D Mraz, DeWitt County Tax Assessor/Collector on August 05, 2020.