

NOTICE OF MEETING TO VOTE ON TAX RATE

A tax rate of \$ 0.220000 per \$100 valuation has been proposed by the governing body of Childress Hospital District

PROPOSED RATE	\$ 0.220000	Per \$100
NO-NEW-REVENUE TAX RATE	\$ 0.222270	Per \$100
VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE	\$ 0.317975	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 Childress Hospital District 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 Childress Hospital District 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 Childress Hospital District 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 22, 2026, 11:00 a.m.

At Childress Regional Medical Center Boardroom, 901 Hwy 83 North, Childress, TX 79201.

The proposed tax rate is also not greater than the voter-approval tax rate. As a result, Childress Hospital District 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 Childress Hospital District 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: _____

AGAINST the proposal: _____

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 Childress Hospital District last year to the taxes proposed to be imposed on the average residence homestead by Childress Hospital District this year

	2025	2026	Change
Total tax rate (per \$100 of value)	0.220000	\$0.220000	Increase of \$0.000000 per \$100, or 0%
Average homestead taxable value	\$ 68,501	\$ 76,028	Increase of \$7,527 or 10.9%
Tax on average homestead	\$ 150.70	\$ 167.26	Increase of \$16.56, or 10.9%
Total tax levy on all properties	\$ 2,502,674	\$ 4,929,127	Increase of \$2,426,453, or 96.9%

Indigent Health Care Compensation Expenditures (counties)

The Childress Hospital District spent \$ 4,498,623 from July 1, 2025, to June 30, 2026, on indigent health care compensation procedures at the increased minimum eligibility standards, less the amount of state assistance. For current tax year, the amount of increase above last year's enhanced indigent health care expenditures is \$ 312,518. This increased the no-new-revenue maintenance and operations rate by /\$100.

For assistance with tax calculations, please contact the tax assessor for Childress Hospital District at 940-937-6062 or , childresscad@childresstx.us or visit www.childresscad.org for more information.