

# NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREASE

*\* This will also publish again in the paper - the time was left out originally.*

A tax rate of \$0.630000 per \$100 valuation has been proposed by the governing body of City of Gorman.

PROPOSED TAX RATE	\$0.630000 per \$100
NO-NEW-REVENUE TAX RATE	\$0.591654 per \$100
VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE	\$0.674668 per \$100

The no-new-revenue tax rate is the tax rate for the 2025 tax year that will raise the same amount of property tax revenue for City of Gorman from the same properties in both the 2024 tax year and the 2025 tax year.

The voter-approval rate is the highest tax rate that City of Gorman may adopt without holding an election to seek voter approval of the rate.

The proposed tax rate is greater than the no-new-revenue tax rate. This means that City of Gorman is proposing to increase property taxes for the 2025 tax year.

A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED TAX RATE WILL BE HELD ON August 28, 2025 AT 5:30 PM AT Gorman Community Center, 118 S Kent Street, Gorman.

The proposed tax rate is not greater than the voter-approval tax rate. As a result, City of Gorman is not required to hold an election at which voters may accept or reject the proposed tax rate. However, you may express your support for or opposition to the proposed tax rate by contacting the members of the City of Gorman at their offices or by attending the public hearing mentioned above.

**YOUR TAXES OWED UNDER ANY OF THE 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:** Robert Ervin  
April James

Luis Ramirez  
Bill Miars

**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 City of Gorman last year to the taxes proposed to be imposed on the average residence homestead by City of Gorman this year.

	<b>2024</b>	<b>2025</b>	<b>Change</b>
<b>Total tax rate (per \$100 of value)</b>	\$0.738405	\$0.630000	decrease of -0.108405 per \$100, or -14.68%
<b>Average homestead taxable value</b>	\$66,261	\$78,126	increase of 17.91%
<b>Tax on average homestead</b>	\$489.27	\$492.19	increase of 2.92, or 0.60%
<b>Total tax levy on all properties</b>	\$338,173	\$366,529	increase of 28,356, or 8.39%

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For assistance with tax calculations, please contact the tax assessor for City of Gorman at 254-629-8597 or , or visit <https://www.texastaxtransparency.com/Eastland> for more information.