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2021 Tax Rate Calculation Worksheet School Districts without Chapter 313 Agreements

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LA FERIA ISD

School District's Name

Phone (area code and number)

School District's Address, City, State, ZIP Code

School District's Website Address

GENERAL INFORMATION: Tax Code Section 26.04(c) requires an officer or employee designated by the governing body to calculate the no-new-revenue tax rate and voter approval tax rate for the taxing unit. These tax rates are expressed in dollars per \$100 of taxable value calculated. The calculation process starts after the chief appraiser delivers to the taxing unit the certified appraisal roll or certified estimate of value and the estimated values of properties under protest. The designated officer or employee shall certify that the officer or employee has accurately calculated the tax rates and used values shown for the certified appraisal roll or certified estimate. The officer or employee submit the rates to the governing body by Aug. 7 or as soon thereafter as practicable.

This worksheet is for **school districts without Chapter 313 agreements only**. School districts that have a Chapter 313 agreement should use Comptroller Form 50-884 *Tax Rate Calculation Worksheet, School Districts with Chapter 313 Agreements*.

Water districts as defined under Water Code Section 49.001(1) do not use this form. Use Comptroller Form 50-858 *Water District Voter-Approval Tax Rate Worksheet for Low Tax Rate and Developing Districts* or Comptroller Form 50-860 *Developed Water District Voter-Approval Tax Rate Worksheet*.

All other taxing units should use Comptroller Form 50-856 *Tax Rate Calculation, Taxing Units Other Than School Districts*.

The Comptroller's office provides this worksheet to assist taxing units in determining tax rates. The Texas Education Agency (TEA) provides detailed information on and guidance to school districts in calculating their tax rates. Please review and rely on information provided by TEA when completing this worksheet. Additionally, the information provided in this worksheet is offered as technical assistance and not legal advice. Taxing units should consult legal counsel for interpretations of law regarding tax rate preparation and adoption.

SECTION 1: No-New-Revenue Tax Rate

The no-new-revenue (NNR) tax rate enables the public to evaluate the relationship between taxes for the prior year and for the current year based on a tax rate that would produce the same amount of revenue if applied to the same properties that are taxed in both years (no new taxes). When appraisal values increase, the NNR tax rate should decrease.

No-New-Revenue Tax Rate Worksheet	Amount/Rate
1. 2020 total taxable value. Enter the amount of 2020 taxable value on the 2020 tax roll today. Include any adjustments since last year's certification; exclude one-fourth and one-third over-appraisal corrections made under Tax Code Section 25.25(d) from these adjustments. Exclude any property value subject to an appeal under Chapter 42 as of July 25 (will add undisputed value in Line 6). This total includes the taxable value of homesteads with tax ceilings (will deduct in Line 2).	\$471,416,841
2. 2020 tax ceilings. Enter 2020 total taxable value of homesteads with tax ceilings. These include the homesteads of homeowners age 65 or older or disabled	\$35,388,612
3. Preliminary 2020 adjusted taxable value. Subtract Line 2 from Line 1.	\$436,028,229
4. 2020 total adopted tax rate .	\$1.208170/\$100
5. 2020 taxable value lost because court appeals of ARB decisions reduced 2020 appraised value:	
A. Original 2020 ARB Values:	\$0
B. 2020 values resulting from final court decisions:	\$0
C. 2020 value loss. Subtract B from A.	\$0

6. 2020 taxable value subject to an appeal under Chapter 42, as of July 25:	
A. 2020 ARB certified value:	\$0
B. 2020 disputed value:	\$0
C. 2020 undidputed value. Subtract B from A.	\$0
7. 2020 Chapter 42 related adjusted values Add Line 5C and Line 6C.	\$0
8. 2020 taxable value, adjusted for actual and potential court-ordered reductions. Add Line 3 and Line 7.	\$436,028,229
9. 2020 taxable value of property in territory the school deannexed after Jan. 1, 2020. Enter the 2020 value of property in deannexed territory.	\$0
10. 2020 taxable value lost because property first qualified for an exemption in 2021. If the school district increased an original exemption, use the difference between the original exempted amount and the increased exempted amount. Do not include value lost due to freeport or goods-in-transit, temporary disaster exemptions. Note that lowering the amount or percentage of an existing exemption in 2020 does not create a new exemption or reduce taxable value.	
A. Absolute exemptions. Use 2020 market value:	\$1,173,961
B. Partial exemptions. 2021 exemption amount or 2021 percentage exemption times 2020 value:	\$1,363,582
C. Value loss. Add A and B.	\$2,537,543
11. 2020 taxable value lost because property first qualified for agricultural appraisal (1-d or 1-d-1), timber appraisal, recreational/scenic appraisal or public access airport special appraisal in 2021. Use only properties that qualified in 2021 for the first time; do not use properties that qualified in 2020.	
A. 2020 market value:	\$0
B. 2021 productivity or special appraised value:	\$0
C. Value loss. Subtract B from A.	\$0
12. Total adjustments for lost value. Add Lines 9, 10C and 11C.	\$2,537,543
13. 2020 adjusted taxable value. Subtract Line 12 from Line 8.	\$433,490,686
14. Adjusted 2020 levy. Multiply Line 4 by Line 13 and divide by \$100.	\$5,237,304
15. Taxes refunded for years preceding tax year 2020. Enter the amount of taxes refunded by the district for tax years preceding tax year 2020. Types of refunds include court decisions, Tax Code Section 25.25(b) and (c) corrections and Tax Code Section 31.11 payment errors. Do not include refunds for tax year 2020. This line applies only to tax years preceding tax year 2020.	\$10,057
16. Adjusted 2020 levy with refunds. Add Lines 12 and 13. Note: If the governing body of the school district governs a junior college district in a county with a population of more	\$5,247,361

than two million, subtract the amount of taxes the governing body dedicated to the junior college district in 2020 from the result.	
<p>17. Total 2021 taxable value on the 2021 certified appraisal roll today. This value includes only certified values and includes the total taxable value of homesteads with tax ceilings (will deduct in Line 17). These homesteads include homeowners age 65 or older or disabled.</p> <p>A. Certified values only:³</p> <p>B. Pollution control and energy storage exemption: Deduct the value of property exempted for the current tax year for the first time as pollution control or energy storage system property:</p> <p>C. Total 2021 value. Subtract B from A.</p>	<p>\$545,840,620</p> <p>\$-0</p> <p>\$545,840,620</p>
<p>18. Total value of properties under protest or not included on certified appraisal roll.</p> <p>A. 2021 taxable value of properties under protest. The chief appraiser certifies a list of properties still under ARB protest. The list shows the appraisal district's value and the taxpayer's claimed value, if any, or an estimate of the value if the taxpayer wins. For each of the properties under protest, use the lowest of these values. Enter the total value under protest.</p> <p>B. 2021 value of properties not under protest or included on certified appraisal roll. The chief appraiser gives school districts a list of those taxable properties that the chief appraiser knows about, but are not included in the appraisal roll certification. These properties are not on the list of properties that are still under protest. On this list of properties, the chief appraiser includes the market value, appraised value and exemptions for the preceding year and a reasonable estimate of the market value, appraised value and exemptions for the current year. Use the lower market, appraised or taxable value (as appropriate). Enter the total value not on the roll.</p> <p>C. Total value under protest or not certified: Add A and B.</p>	<p>\$1,261,593</p> <p>\$0</p> <p>\$1,261,593</p>
19. 2021 tax ceilings Enter 2021 total taxable value of homesteads with tax ceilings. These include the homesteads of homeowners age 65 or older or disabled. ⁴	\$37,132,149
20. 2021 total taxable value. Add Lines 17C and 18C. Subtract Line 19.	\$509,970,064
21. Total 2021 taxable value of properties in territory annexed after Jan. 1, 2020. Include both real and personal property. Enter the 2021 value of property in territory annexed by the school district.	\$0
22. Total 2021 taxable value of new improvements and new personal property located in new improvements. New means the item was not on the appraisal roll in 2020. An improvement is a building, structure, fixture or fence erected on or affixed to land. New additions to existing improvements may be included if the appraised value can be determined. New personal property in a new improvement must have been brought into the school district after Jan. 1, 2020, and be located in a new improvement.	\$13,043,176
23. Total adjustments to the 2021 taxable value. Add Lines 21 and 22.	\$13,043,176

24. 2021 adjusted taxable value. Subtract Line 23 from Line 20.	\$496,926,888
25. 2021 no-new-revenue tax rate. Divide Line 16 by Line 24 and multiply by \$100.	\$1.055962/\$100

¹Tex. Tax Code Section 26.012(14)

²Tex. Tax Code Section 26.012(6)

³Tex. Tax Code Section 26.012(6)

⁴Tex. Tax Code Section 26.012(6)(A)(i)

⁵Tex. Tax Code Section 26.012(6)(A)(ii)

C. Subtract state aid received for paying principal and interest on debt for facilities through the existing debt allotment program and/or instructional facilities allotment program.	\$996,000
D. Adjust debt: Subtract B and C from A.	\$949,300
30. Certified 2020 excess debt collections. Enter the amount certified by the collector.	\$35,139
31. Adjusted 2021 debt. Subtract line 27 from line 26D.	\$914,161
32. 2021 anticipated collection rate. If the anticipated rate in A is lower than actual rates in B, C and D, enter the lowest rate from B, C and D. If the anticipated rate in A is higher than at least one of the rates in the prior three years, enter the rate from A. Note that the rate can be greater than 100%	100.00%
A. Enter the 2021 anticipated collection rate certified by the collector:	100.00%
B. Enter the 2020 actual collection rate	105.00%
C. Enter the 2019 actual collection rate	100.30%
D. Enter the 2018 actual collection rate	100.00%
33. 2021 debt adjusted for collections. Divide line 31 by line 32.	\$914,161
34. 2021 total taxable value. Enter amount on line 20 of the <i>No-New-Revenue Tax Rate Worksheet</i> .	\$509,970,064
35. 2021 debt tax rate. Divide line 33 by line 34 and multiply by \$100.	\$0.179257/\$100
36. 2021 voter-approval tax rate. Adds lines 28 and 35. If the school district received distributions from an equalization tax imposed under former Chapter 18, Education Code, add the NNR tax rate as of the date of the county unit system's abolition to the sum of Lines 28 and 35.	\$1.209957/\$100

SECTION 3: Voter-Approval Rate Adjustment for Pollution Control

A school district may raise its rate for M&O funds used to pay for a facility, device or method for the control of air, water or land pollution. This includes any land, structure, building, installation, excavation, machinery, equipment or device that is used, constructed, acquired or installed wholly or partly to meet or exceed pollution control requirements. The school district's expenses are those necessary to meet the requirements of a permit issued by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ). The school district must provide the tax assessor with a copy of the TCEQ letter of determination that states the portion of the cost of the installation for pollution control.

This section should only be completed by a school district that uses M&O funds to pay for a facility, device or method for the control of air, water or land pollution.

37. Certified expenses from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ). ⁶ Enter the amount certified in the determination letter from TCEQ. The school district shall provide its tax assessor with a copy of the letter. ⁸	\$0
38. 2021 total taxable value. Enter the amount from line 20 of the No-New-Revenue Tax Rate Worksheet.	\$509,970,064
39. Additional rate for pollution control. Divide line 37 by line 38 and multiply by \$100.	\$0/\$100
40. 2021 voter-approval tax rate, adjusted for pollution control. Add line 39 and line 36.	\$1.209957/\$100

SECTION 4: Total Tax Rate

Indicate the applicable total tax rates as calculated above.

No-New-Revenue Tax Rate Enter the 2021 NNR tax rate from Line 25.	\$1.055962
Voter-Approval Tax Rate As applicable, enter the 2021 voter-approval tax rate from Line 36 or Line 40.	\$1.209957

SECTION 5: School District Representative Name and Signature

Enter the name of the person preparing the tax rate as authorized by the governing body of the school district. By signing below, you certify that you are the designated officer or employee of the school district and have calculated the tax rates in accordance with requirements in Tax Code and Education Code

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Printed Name of School District Representative

sign here

School District Representative

Date

8/9/2021

⁶Tex. Tax Code Section 26.045(d)

⁷Tex. Tax Code Section 26.045(l)