

**WILLIAMSON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT ORDER
ADOPTION OF 2017 TAX RATES FOR
WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TEXAS**

STATE OF TEXAS

*** BEFORE THE COMMISSIONERS COURT**

*** OF**

COUNTY OF WILLIAMSON

*** WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TEXAS**

THAT ON THIS THE 29th day of August 2017, the Commissioners Court of Williamson County, Texas met in duly called session at the Commissioner's Courtroom, 710 Main St., Georgetown, Texas, with the following members present:

Dan A. Gattis, County Judge
Terry Cook, Commissioner Precinct #1
Cynthia Long, Commissioner Precinct #2
Valerie Covey, Commissioner Precinct #3
Larry Madsen, Commissioner Precinct #4
Nancy E. Rister, County Clerk

And at said meeting, among other business, the Court did consider the following:

ORDER ADOPTING A TAX RATE FOR TAX YEAR 2017

WHEREAS, Vernon's Texas Codes Annotated (V.T.C.A.) Tax Code 26.05 provides that the Williamson County Commissioners Court shall adopt the tax rates for the current year; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to levy ad valorem taxes on each \$100 valuation of all taxable property in Williamson County, Texas for the Tax Year beginning January 1, 2017, which will be due no later than January 31, 2018 at the tax rates set forth herein below; and

WHEREAS, the Williamson County Commissioners Court has complied with all the requirements set forth in the Tax Code; NOW

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED that the Williamson County Commissioners Court hereby adopts the following tax rates:

Road and Bridge Tax:

_____ moved for a tax rate of \$_____ per \$100.00 of taxable value for the purpose of assessing the Road and Bridge Taxes; and seconded by_____

	Yes	Abstain	No	Absent
Dan A. Gattis, County Judge:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Terry Cook, Commissioners, Precinct 1:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Cynthia Long, Commissioners, Precinct 2:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Valerie Covey, Commissioner, Precinct 3:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Larry Madsen, Commissioner, Precinct 4:	_____	_____	_____	_____

Motion Carried: **Yes:** _____ **No:** _____
 Abstaining: _____ **Absent:** _____

Interest and Sinking Service:

_____ moved for a tax rate of \$_____ per \$100.00 of taxable value for the purpose of Interest and Sinking Service; and seconded by_____

	Yes	Abstain	No	Absent
Dan A. Gattis, County Judge:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Terry Cook, Commissioners, Precinct 1:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Cynthia Long, Commissioners, Precinct 2:	_____	_____	_____	_____

Valerie Covey,
Commissioner, Precinct 3: _____

Larry Madsen,
Commissioner, Precinct 4: _____

Motion Carried: **Yes:** _____ **No:** _____
 Abstaining: _____ **Absent:** _____

Maintenance and Operations:

_____ moved for a tax rate of \$_____ per \$100.00 of taxable value for the purpose of Maintenance and Operations (M & O); and seconded by _____:

	Yes	Abstain	No	Absent
Dan A. Gattis, County Judge:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Terry Cook, Commissioners, Precinct 1:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Cynthia Long, Commissioners, Precinct 2:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Valerie Covey, Commissioner, Precinct 3:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Larry Madsen, Commissioner, Precinct 4:	_____	_____	_____	_____

Motion Carried: **Yes:** _____ **No:** _____
 Abstaining: _____ **Absent:** _____

Total Tax Rate:

I, _____, move that the property tax rate be increased by the adoption of a total tax rate of \$_____ which is effectively an _____% increase in the tax rate;
Seconded by _____

	Yes	Abstain	No	Absent
Dan A. Gattis, County Judge:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Terry Cook, Commissioners, Precinct 1:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Cynthia Long, Commissioners, Precinct 2:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Valerie Covey, Commissioner, Precinct 3:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Larry Madsen, Commissioner, Precinct 4:	_____	_____	_____	_____

Motion Carried: **Yes:** _____ **No:** _____
 Abstaining: _____ **Absent:** _____

THIS TAX RATE WILL RAISE MORE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS THAN LAST YEAR’S RATE; and

THE TAX RATE WILL EFFECTIVELY BE RAISED BY _____ PERCENT AND WILL RAISE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS ON A \$100,000 HOME BY APPROXIMATELY \$_____.

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED that the Williamson County Commissioners Court levy taxes in accordance with the foregoing tax rates and the provisions of the law.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED that if for any reason, the action of the Williamson County Commissioners Court setting tax rates or levying taxes should be held ineffective by a court of competent jurisdiction, that this Order shall serve as evidence of the good faith of Williamson County in attempting to comply with the law in as substantial a fashion as could be done under

the circumstances, and as evidence that Williamson County would have lawfully adopted a tax rate but for the conditions completely beyond control of Williamson County.

County Judge Dan A. Gattis was authorized to sign said Orders and ACT and DEED of the Williamson County Commissioners Court, this 29th day of August of 2017.

Dan A. Gattis, County Judge