

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS  
AGENDA ITEM  
DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM**

**AGENDA DATE:** August 15, 2023

**PUBLIC HEARING DATE:** August 15, 2023

**CONTACT PERSON(S) NAME AND PHONE NUMBER:** K. Nicole Cote, Managing Director  
(915) 212-1092

**DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED:** All

**STRATEGIC GOAL:** 6. Set the Standard for Sound Governance and Fiscal Management

**SUBGOAL:**

**SUBJECT:** Discussion and action on an Ordinance levying FY 2023 - 2024 taxes.

**BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:**

The City Charter, Section 7.3F, requires City Council to pass a tax levy ordinance in accordance with the laws of Texas. This ordinance levies ad valorem taxes for fiscal year ending August 31, 2024.

**PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:**

Yes, Ordinance levying 019222 FY 2022 - 2023 taxes was passed on August 23, 2022.

The 1st Public Hearing on the Proposed FY 2023 – 2024 Property Tax Rate was on August 15, 2023. The Public Hearing was held as part of the Regular City Council Meeting to discuss the property tax rate introduced on July 31, 2023.

Texas Tax Code § 26.05(d) requires at least one public hearings before the adoption of an ordinance levying taxes, if the proposed tax rate exceeds the lower of the rollback rate or the effective tax rate. Texas Tax Code § 26.06 provides that the first hearing may not be held before the seventh day after the date the notice of the public hearing is given. Notice of the public hearing was given on Friday, August 4, 2023, a date more than seven days before August 15, 2023.

**AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:**

N/A

**HAVE ALL AFFECTED DEPARTMENTS BEEN NOTIFIED?** ☒ YES ☐ NO

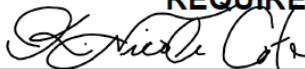
**PRIMARY DEPARTMENT:** City Manager's Office - Office of Management and Budget

**SECONDARY DEPARTMENT:** All City

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\*\*\*\*\*REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION\*\*\*\*\*

**DEPARTMENT HEAD:**



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department should sign also)