

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

**AGENDA DATE:** August 23, 2022

**PUBLIC HEARING DATE:** August 23, 2022

**CONTACT PERSON(S) NAME AND PHONE NUMBER:** K. Nicole Cote, Interim 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 2022 - 2023 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, 2023.

**PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:**

Yes, Ordinance levying 019222 FY 2021 - 2022 taxes was passed on August 24<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

The 1st Public Hearing on the Proposed FY 2022 – 2023 Property Tax Rate was on August 16, 2022. The Public Hearing was held as part of the Regular City Council Meeting to discuss the property tax rate introduced on August 1, 2022.

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 5, 2022, a date more than seven days before August 23, 2022.

**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

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

**DEPARTMENT HEAD:**



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department should sign also)