

NOTICE OF PROPERTY TAX INCREASE

The City Council of Cleveland announces the intent to increase the 2026 property taxes by 0.02% (percent) over the rollback millage rate. The rate increase is to support the growing expenses for public safety, public works, and administration.

All concerned citizens are invited to the public hearing on this tax increase to be held at the Oak Springs Community Center, 342 Campbell Street, Cleveland GA on **August 13, 2026 at 6:00 p.m.** and on **August 20, 2026 at 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.**

The 2026 millage rate will be voted on immediately following the third hearing on **August 20, 2026 at 6:15p.m.**

This tentative increase will result in a millage rate of **1.938 mills**, an increase of **.012 mills** over the rollback rate. Without this proposed tax increase, the millage rate would be no more than **1.926 mills**. The proposed tax increase for a home with a fair market value of **\$300,000** is approximately **\$1.44.**