

## NOTICE OF PROPERTY TAX INCREASE

The Brooks County Board of Commissioner has tentatively adopted a 2026 millage rate which will require an increase in property tax by 1.59 percent for the unincorporated area and by 13.75 percent for the incorporated area.

All concerned citizens are invited to the public hearing on this tax increase to be held at the Brooks County Admin Building, Board of Commissioners meeting room, 610 S Highland Rd, Quitman, GA on August 20, 2026 at 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Times and places of additional public hearings on this tax increase are at the Brooks County Admin Building, Board of Commissioners meeting room, 610 S Highland Rd, Quitman, GA on August 27, 2026 at 6:00 p.m.

This tentative increase will result in a millage rate of 14.079 mills, an increase of .220 mills for the unincorporated area. Without this tentative increase, the millage rate will be no more than 13.859 mills. The proposed tax increase for a home with a fair market value of 200,000 is approximately \$17.16 and the proposed tax increase for non-homestead property with a fair market value of 225,000 is approximately \$19.80.

This tentative increase will result in a millage rate of 14.079 mills, an increase of 1.702 mills for the incorporated area. Without this tentative increase, the millage rate will be no more than 12.377 mills. The proposed tax increase for a home with a fair market value of 200,000 is approximately \$132.75 and the proposed tax increase for non-homestead property with a fair market value of 225,000 is approximately \$153.18.