



SOUTH SAN ANTONIO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Agenda Item Summary

Meeting Date: August 17, 2026

Agenda Section: Consent

Agenda Item Title: Resolution for the 2026-2027 Fiscal Year Tax Rate

From: Stanley Osborne, Chief Financial Officer

Additional Presenters if Applicable:

Description: The tax rate consists of the following: Maintenance and Operations is \$0.7869 and the Debt Service is \$0.4101. The overall tax rate is \$1.197.

The tax rate proposed is the advertised tax rate that was published in the SA Observer – August 5, 2026 edition.

Historical Data: Sec.26.05(b) of the Texas Property Tax Code requires the Board of Managers to adopt tax rates each school year.

Recommendation: The District is recommending that the Board adopt the tax rate of \$1.197. per hundred-dollar valuation.

Purchasing Director and Approval Date: N/A

Funding Budget Code and Amount: N/A

Goal: 3. SSAISD will implement program initiatives and activities that reflect a commitment to preparing 100% of students for post-secondary educational or career paths.

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF
THE SOUTH SAN ANTONIO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

WHEREAS, South San Antonio Independent School District is a political subdivision and taxing entity located in Bexar County, Texas.

WHEREAS, the South San Antonio ISD Board of Managers adopts a budget annually based on the projected needs and priorities of the District for the coming fiscal year.

WHEREAS, The South San Antonio ISD Board of Managers adopts a tax rate annually to support the budget adopted for the coming fiscal year and will do so prior to adopting a tax rate.

WHEREAS, Texas Tax Code Section 26.08 and South San Antonio ISD Board Policy CCG (Legal) provide that if the Board of Managers adopts a tax rate that exceeds the District's voter-approval tax rate, the registered voters of the District, at an election held for that purpose, must determine whether to approve the adopted tax rate.

WHEREAS, Section 26.042(e) of the Texas Tax Code and South San Antonio ISD Board Policy CCG (Legal) provide when increased expenditure of money by a school district is necessary to respond to a disaster, including a tornado, hurricane, flood wildfire, or other calamity, but not including a drought, epidemic, or pandemic, that has impacted the district and the governor has requested federal disaster assistance for the area in which the district is located, an election is not required under Texas Tax Code Section 26.08 to approve the tax rate adopted by the board of Managers for the year following the year in which the disaster occurs.

WHEREAS, if the South San Antonio ISD Board of Managers adopts a tax rate under the authority provided by Texas Tax Code Section 26.042(e), the amount by which that rate exceeds the District's voter-approval tax rate for the coming tax year will be considered when calculating the District's voter-approval tax rate in subsequent years.

WHEREAS, the South San Antonio ISD Board of Managers may not adopt a tax rate under the authority provided by Texas Tax Code Section 26.042(e) premised upon the same disaster declaration in subsequent tax years.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD THAT:

The Board of Managers declares its intent to approve an order, ordinance, or resolution adopting a tax rate for South San Antonio ISD for tax year 2026-2027 of \$1.197 authorized by Texas Tax Code Section 26.042(e).

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the vote of the majority of members of the Board of Managers of the South San Antonio Independent School District present and voting at an open meeting of the Board on the 17th day of August, 2026, at which a quorum was present.

Raymond Tijerina, Board President
Board of Managers

Darrell Balderrama, Board Secretary
Board of Managers