

NORTH EAST INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND LEVYING SCHOOL DISTRICT AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE NORTH EAST INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR 2026 - 2027 AND DIRECTING THE ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION THEREOF:

Whereas, the Board of Trustees of North East Independent School District finds for carrying out the duties and responsibilities placed upon the district by law, for the tax year 2026 taxes must be levied to provide the revenue requirements of the budget for the ensuing year and;

Whereas, the Board of Trustees of North East Independent School District further finds all things prerequisite to the passing of this ordinance, including all notices of hearings, consideration of budget and all other things have been done and performed; and

Whereas, the Board of Trustees of North East Independent School District further finds the taxes for the year 2026, hereinafter levied are necessary to pay all lawful expenses of the district and to carry out the duties and obligations placed upon said school district by law (and to provide the required sinking fund on outstanding bonds of the school district during the ensuing year):

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NORTH EAST INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT:

SECTION 1. For the further maintenance of public schools in this school district (and to pay the principal and interest on outstanding bonds of the district falling due) during the ensuing year, and for all other lawful purposes, there is hereby levied and ordered to be assessed and collected for the tax year 2026, and for each year thereafter until it be otherwise provided and ordained, on all property situated within the boundaries of this school district, and not exempt from taxation by valid laws, an ad valorem tax made up of two components:

Maintenance & Operation (General Operating Fund)	\$0.6754
Interest & Sinking (Debt Service Fund)	<u>0.3000</u>
Total Tax Rate:	<u>\$0.9754</u>

The Maintenance and Operation (General Operating Fund) tax rate of \$0.6754 will be used for maintenance and operations and the Interest & Sinking (Debt Service Fund) tax rate of \$0.300 will be used to pay principal and interest on outstanding bonds and related executed credit agreements. The tax rate will be assessed per one hundred dollars (\$100) valuation of such property.

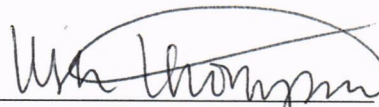
SECTION 2. This ordinance shall become effective from and after its passage. At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the North East Independent School District on September 14, 2026, a quorum was present and the trustees voted unanimously to adopt this ordinance.

APPROVED:



President, Board of Trustees
David Beyer

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Secretary, Board of Trustees
Lisa Thompson