

PUBLIC NOTICE

FOR THE HABERSHAM COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FISCAL YEAR 2027 BUDGET

All Citizens are invited to attend meetings regarding the adoption of the Proposed Fiscal Year 2027 Budget, to be held at the following times and locations:

Monday, June 15, 2026, at 6:00 p.m.: The proposed Fiscal Year 2027 Budget will be presented and a public hearing will be held during a special called meeting of the Habersham County Board of Commissioners located in the Jury Assembly Room of the Habersham County Courthouse.

Monday, June 29, 2026, at 6:00 p.m.: A Special Called Meeting of the Habersham County Board of Commission will be held for the purpose of presenting the proposed Fiscal Year 2027 Budget at a second public hearing with adoption of the budget to follow the public hearing. The meeting will be held in the Jury Assembly Room of the Habersham County Courthouse.

The Habersham County Courthouse is located at:
295 Llewellyn Street
Clarkesville, GA 30523

Copies of the proposed Habersham County Fiscal Year 2027 Annual Budget will be available beginning Monday, June 15, 2026, for public inspection during regular office hours in the Finance Department at the Habersham County Administrative Building., 130 Jacob's Way, Clarkesville, GA 30523. A copy will also be available on the County's website: www.habershamga.com

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FOR THE HABERSHAM COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS 2026 Millage Rate

All Citizens are invited to attend meetings regarding the adoption of the Proposed 2026 Millage Rate, to be held at the following time and location:

Monday, June 29, 2026, at 6:00 p.m.: A public hearing for the 2026 Millage Rate will be held for the adoption of the 2026 Millage Rate. A Full Rollback of the Millage Rate is anticipated. The meeting will be held in the Jury Assembly Room of the Habersham County Courthouse.

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NOTICE

The Habersham County Board of Commissioners does hereby announce that the millage rate will be set at a meeting to be held in the Jury Assembly Room at the **Habersham County Courthouse** 295 Llewellyn Street, Clarkesville, GA 30523 on **June 29, 2026 at 6:00 pm** and pursuant to the requirements of O.C.G.A. Section 48-5-32 does hereby publish the following presentation of the current year's tax digest and levy, along with the history of the tax digest and levy for the past five years.

CURRENT 2026 TAX DIGEST AND 5 YEAR HISTORY OF LEVY

		2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
C o u n t y w i d e A r e a	COUNTY WIDE						
	Real & Personal	1,691,502,634	1,912,757,730	2,247,879,990	2,585,631,075	3,035,459,904	3,153,845,813
	Motor Vehicles	20,180,990	18,903,000	19,789,080	19,476,600	18,562,160	17,172,280
	Mobile Homes	9,332,704	11,393,240	13,555,668	16,056,160	18,259,099	20,499,742
	Timber - 100%	1,250	140,114	64,224	20,586	21,661	88,254
	Heavy Duty Equipment	29,554	71,249	59,754	841,854	956,204	385,752
	Gross Digest	1,721,047,132	1,943,265,333	2,281,348,716	2,622,026,275	3,073,259,028	3,191,991,841
	Less M&O Exemptions	346,747,524	419,052,505	555,634,703	700,232,226	908,043,295	911,347,010
	Net M&O Digest Value	1,374,299,608	1,524,212,828	1,725,714,013	1,921,794,049	2,165,215,733	2,280,644,831
	Gross Maintenance & Operation Millage	11.682	12.682	12.682	12.682	11.771	11.272
	Less Rollbacks	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.911	0.499	0.018
	Net M&O Millage	11.682	12.682	12.682	11.771	11.272	11.254
	Total M&O Taxes Levied	\$16,054,568	\$19,330,067	\$21,885,505	\$22,621,438	\$24,406,312	\$25,666,377
	Net Taxes \$ Increase		\$3,275,499	\$2,555,438	\$735,933	\$1,784,874	\$1,260,065
	Net Taxes % Increase		20.40%	13.22%	3.36%	7.89%	5.16%