

NOTICE OF 2015 TAX YEAR PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX RATE FOR COUNTY OF ARANSAS

A tax rate of \$0.385462 per \$100 valuation has been proposed for adoption by the governing body of County of Aransas. This rate exceeds the lower of the effective or rollback tax rate, and state law requires that two public hearings be held by the governing body before adopting the proposed tax rate.

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| PROPOSED TAX RATE | \$0.385462 per \$100 |
| PRECEDING YEAR'S TAX RATE | \$0.384669 per \$100 |
| EFFECTIVE TAX RATE | \$0.375462 per \$100 |
| ROLLBACK TAX RATE | \$0.388260 per \$100 |

The effective tax rate is the total tax rate needed to raise the same amount of property tax revenue for County of Aransas from the same properties in both the 2014 tax year and the 2015 tax year.

The rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate that County of Aransas may adopt before voters are entitled to petition for an election to limit the rate that may be approved to the rollback rate.

YOUR TAXES OWED UNDER ANY OF THE ABOVE RATES CAN BE CALCULATED AS
FOLLOWS:

$$\text{property tax amount} = (\text{rate}) \times (\text{taxable value of your property}) / 100$$

For assistance or detailed information about tax calculations, please contact:

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You are urged to attend and express your views at the following public hearings on the proposed tax rate:

First Hearing: August 24, 2015 at 8:45 am at Aransas County Courthouse, Commissioners' Court Room, 301 N. Live Oak St., Rockport TX 78382.

Second Hearing: August 31, 2015 at 8:45 am at Aransas County Courthouse, Commissioners' Court Room, 301 N. Live Oak St., Rockport TX 78382.