

COLUMBUS CONSOLIDATED GOVERNMENT

The Mayor and Council of the Consolidated Government of Columbus, Georgia, do hereby announce that the millage rate will be set at a meeting to be held at the City Services Center, Second Floor, 3111 Citizens Way, Columbus, Georgia 31906 on Tuesday, June 21, 2022 at 9:00 o'clock A.M. for the first reading and June 28, 2022 at 5:30 o'clock P.M. for the second reading and, pursuant to the requirements of O.C.G.A. 48-5-32, do 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. The millage rate consists of the Maintenance and Operating (M&O) levy.

CURRENT 2021 TAX DIGEST AND FIVE YEAR HISTORY OF LEVY

	2017 FY18	2018 FY19	2019 FY20	2020 FY21	2021 FY22	2022 FY23 (Estimated)
USD 1, 5, 6, 7						
Real & Personal	5,391,675,949	5,367,106,724	5,406,017,514	5,519,607,073	5,543,394,980	6,018,503,893
Motor Vehicles	355,471,830	360,036,063	398,940,533	53,980,628	44,568,690	36,145,880
Mobile Homes	4,993,641	5,121,213	4,884,718	4,700,191	4,221,032	4,253,987
Timber - 100%	77,452	77,451	77,452	0	0	0
Heavy Duty Equipment	16,563	21,787	13,780	217,605	1,169,903	1,052,449
Gross Digest	5,752,235,435	5,732,363,238	5,809,933,997	5,578,505,497	5,593,354,605	6,059,956,209
Less M&O Exemptions	1,161,305,206	1,207,283,928	1,191,989,680	1,204,914,732	1,173,485,164	1,298,355,059
Net M&O Digest	4,590,930,229	4,525,079,310	4,617,944,317	4,373,590,765	4,419,869,441	4,761,601,150
Gross M&O Millage Rate	32.77	32.77	31.87	33.56	35.07	34.13
Less Millage Rate Rollbacks	15.59	15.59	14.69	16.38	17.89	17.45
Net M&O Millage Rate	17.18	17.18	17.18	17.18	17.18	16.68
Net Taxes Levied	\$78,872,181	\$77,740,863	\$79,336,283	\$75,138,289	\$75,933,357	\$79,423,507
Net Taxes \$ Increase	\$8,505,684	(\$1,131,318)	\$1,595,420	(\$4,197,994)	\$795,068	\$3,490,150
Net Taxes % Increase	12.09%	-1.43%	2.05%	-5.29%	1.06%	4.60%
USD 2						
Real & Personal	564,494,795	560,253,951	558,316,604	570,759,178	598,815,747	691,449,593
Motor Vehicles	31,993,661	32,506,454	37,208,609	5,698,916	4,596,970	3,811,170
Mobile Homes	0	0	0	0	0	0
Timber - 100%	0	0	0	0	0	0
Heavy Duty Equipment	4,328	28,143	21,925	1,632,865	565,017	192,865
Gross Digest	596,492,784	592,788,548	595,547,138	578,090,959	603,977,734	695,453,628
Less M&O Exemptions	120,711,144	128,799,393	124,507,459	127,093,437	128,588,168	172,007,224
Net M&O Digest	475,781,640	463,989,155	471,039,679	450,997,522	475,389,566	523,446,404
Forest Land Grant Value	51,799	51,354	50,893	50,418	49,938	49,435
Adjusted Net M&O Digest	475,833,439	464,040,509	471,090,572	451,047,940	475,439,504	523,495,839
Gross M&O Millage Rate	24.34	24.34	23.89	25.29	26.95	26.43
Less Millage Rate Rollbacks	13.14	13.14	12.69	14.09	15.75	15.73
Net M&O Millage Rate	11.20	11.20	11.20	11.20	11.20	10.70
Net Taxes Levied	\$5,329,335	\$5,197,254	\$5,276,214	\$5,051,737	\$5,324,922	\$5,601,405
Net Taxes \$ Increase	\$832,597	(\$132,081)	\$78,960	(\$224,477)	\$273,185	\$276,483
Net Taxes % Increase	18.52%	-2.48%	1.52%	-4.25%	5.41%	5.19%
USD 4						
Real & Personal	5,793,268	5,844,067	6,553,363	5,884,378	6,396,791	8,567,852
Motor Vehicles	0	684,366	872,523	76,969	66,570	54,550
Mobile Homes	0	0	0	0	0	0
Timber - 100%	0	0	0	0	0	0
Heavy Duty Equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gross Digest	5,793,268	6,528,433	7,425,886	5,961,347	6,463,361	8,622,402
Less M&O Exemptions	8,471	8,525	9,419	22,656	15,724	25,529
Net M&O Digest	5,784,797	6,519,908	7,416,467	5,938,691	6,447,637	8,596,873
Gross M&O Millage Rate	23.24	23.24	22.88	24.24	25.08	24.83
Less Millage Rate Rollbacks	12.94	12.94	12.58	13.94	14.78	15.03
Net M&O Millage Rate	10.30	10.30	10.30	10.30	10.30	9.80
Net Taxes Levied	\$59,583	\$67,155	\$76,390	\$61,169	\$66,411	\$84,249
Net Taxes \$ Increase	\$197	\$7,572	\$9,235	(\$15,221)	\$5,242	\$17,838
Net Taxes % Increase	0.33%	12.71%	13.75%	-19.93%	8.57%	26.86%
TOTAL						
Real & Personal	5,961,964,012	5,933,204,742	5,970,887,481	6,096,250,629	6,148,607,518	6,718,521,338
Motor Vehicles	387,465,491	393,226,883	437,021,665	59,756,513	49,232,230	40,011,600
Mobile Homes	4,993,641	5,121,213	4,884,718	4,700,191	4,221,032	4,253,987
Timber - 100%	77,452	77,451	77,452	0	0	0
Heavy Duty Equipment	20,891	49,930	35,705	1,850,470	1,734,920	1,245,314
Gross Digest	6,354,521,487	6,331,680,219	6,412,907,021	6,162,557,803	6,203,795,700	6,764,032,239
Less M&O Exemptions	1,282,024,821	1,336,091,846	1,316,506,558	1,332,030,825	1,302,089,056	1,470,387,812
Net M&O Digest	5,072,496,666	4,995,588,373	5,096,400,463	4,830,526,978	4,901,706,644	5,293,644,427
Forest Land Grant Value	51,799	51,354	50,893	50,418	49,938	49,435
Adjusted Net M&O Digest	5,072,548,465	4,995,639,727	5,096,451,356	4,830,577,396	4,901,756,582	5,293,693,862
Net Taxes Levied	\$84,261,099	\$83,005,272	\$84,688,887	\$80,251,195	\$81,324,690	\$85,109,161

Net Taxes \$ Increase	\$9,338,478	(\$1,255,827)	\$1,683,615	(\$4,437,692)	\$1,073,495	\$3,784,471
Net Taxes % Increase	12.46%	-1.49%	2.03%	-5.24%	1.34%	4.65%