

**SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA  
METROPOLITAN COUNCIL  
GREATER BATON ROUGE AIRPORT AUTHORITY  
EAST BATON ROUGE SEWERAGE COMMISSION  
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS DISTRICT  
CITY OF BATON ROUGE AND PARISH OF EAST BATON ROUGE  
Friday, October 30, 2020  
10:00 AM**

**PUBLIC COMMENT POLICY**

This is a public meeting. In accordance with Title 1, Sections 1.2(c)(9) and 1.7(a) of the Code of Ordinances, all items on this agenda are open for public comment with the exception of those items listed as "Introductions." Items listed as "Introductions" will be available for public comment at subsequent meetings. All public comments will be given in person at the River Center Branch Library, 250 North Boulevard, Baton Rouge, LA 70802, 4th floor meeting room during the meeting. Any members of the public desiring to speak on a particular item should refer to a meeting agenda and complete necessary information prior to the meeting on a "request to speak" card. Once the item is announced by the President Pro-Tem, each person's name who has filled out a card will be called on to speak for the amount of time designated by the Pro-Tem. All persons entering the library must wear a mask. All comments by members of the public will be streamed live to the Metropolitan Council Chambers. The Metropolitan Council meeting will also be streamed live to the River Center Branch Library meeting room. Any interested person who does not wish to comment in person may email the members of the Metropolitan Council by emailing [metro council@brla.gov](mailto:metro council@brla.gov) (comments submitted via email to the councilmembers will not be read aloud at the meeting).

**CALL TO ORDER**

**ROLL CALL**

**PROOF OF NOTICE OF THE MEETING**

**ITEMS**

**PUBLIC HEARING/PUBLIC MEETING**

1. 20-01015 Adopting the following ad valorem tax millage rates within the boundaries of the following taxing jurisdictions on all taxable property to be levied during the year 2020 in order to adjust downward the 2020 millage rates as compared to the 2019 millage rates as required by Article VII, Section 23 (B) of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana.

	2019 Millage Levied	Adopting 2020 Adjusted Millage After Reappraisal/ Reassessment
1. East Baton Rouge Parish Operating Tax	3.32	3.15
2. City of Baton Rouge Operating Tax	6.03	5.75
3. City of Baton Rouge Three Platoon Police Tax	.87	.83
4. East Baton Rouge Parish Mosquito Abatement and Rodent Control District	1.12	1.06
5. East Baton Rouge Parish Mosquito Abatement and Rodent Control District (additional)	1.00	.95
6. East Baton Rouge Parish Library	11.10	10.52
7. Downtown Development District	10.00	9.57
8. Council on Aging	2.25	2.13
9. Mental Health & Substance Abuse	1.50	1.42
10. Emergency Medical Services	3.13	2.97
11. Consolidated Road Lighting District No. 1	2.00	1.85
12. Baton Rouge Municipal Fire Salaries & Benefits	6.00	5.72
13. Fire Protection District No. 1	9.00	8.76
14. Brownsfield Fire Protection District No. 3	10.00	8.65
15. Brownsfield Fire Protection District No. 3 (additional)	5.00	4.33
16. Brownsfield Fire Protection District No. 3 (additional)	10.00	8.65
17. Brownsfield Fire Protection District No. 3 (additional)	10.00	8.65
18. Chaneyville Fire Protection District No. 7	10.00	8.88
19. Chaneyville Fire Protection District No. 7 (additional)	10.00	8.88
20. Chaneyville Fire Protection District No. 7 (additional)	10.00	8.88
21. Pride Fire Protection District No. 8	10.00	8.80
22. Pride Fire Protection District No. 8 (additional)	15.00	13.20
23. Alsen Fire Protection District No. 9	10.00	9.94
24. Alsen Fire Protection District No. 9 (additional)	5.00	4.97

By Finance Director.

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2. 20-01014 Adopting the following increased ad valorem tax millage rates within the boundaries of the following taxing jurisdictions on all taxable property and adopting all other ad valorem tax millage rates within the boundaries of the following taxing jurisdictions on all taxable property (except that the millage rate for the Downtown Development District shall be levied on real property only) to be levied during the year 2020, as permitted by Article VII, Section 23 (C) of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana; and adopting all other millage rates for 2020.

	2020 Adjusted Millage After Reassessment	ADOPTING 2020 Millage to be Levied
Adoption of Increased Ad Valorem Tax Millage Rates for 2020 (Roll Forward):		
1. Emergency Medical Services	2.97	3.13
2. Baton Rouge Municipal Fire Salaries & Benefits	5.72	6.00
3. City of Baton Rouge Three Platoon Police Tax	.83	.87
4. Fire Protection District No. 1	8.76	9.00
5. Brownsfield Fire Protection District No. 3	8.65	10.00
6. Brownsfield Fire Protection District No. 3 (additional)	4.33	5.00
7. Brownsfield Fire Protection District No. 3 (additional)	8.65	10.00
8. Brownsfield Fire Protection District No. 3 (additional)	8.65	10.00
9. Chaneyville Fire Protection District No. 7	8.88	10.00
10. Chaneyville Fire Protection District No. 7 (additional)	8.88	10.00
11. Chaneyville Fire Protection District No. 7 (additional)	8.88	10.00
12. Pride Fire Protection District No. 8	8.80	10.00
13. Pride Fire Protection District No. 8 (additional)	13.20	15.00
14. Alsen Fire Protection District No. 9	9.94	10.00
15. Alsen Fire Protection District No. 9 (additional)	4.97	5.00
Adoption of All Other Ad Valorem Tax Millage Rates for 2020:		
16. East Baton Rouge Parish Operating Tax		3.15
17. City of Baton Rouge Operating Tax		5.75
18. East Baton Rouge Parish Mosquito Abatement and Rodent Control District		1.06
19. East Baton Rouge Parish Mosquito Abatement and Rodent Control District (add'l)		.65
20. East Baton Rouge Parish Library		10.52
21. Downtown Development District		9.57
22. Mental Health & Substance Abuse		1.42
23. Council on Aging		2.13
24. Consolidated Road Lighting District No. 1		1.85

By Finance Director & Various Taxing Districts .

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