

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE
PROPOSED BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX LEVIES
FOR THE UPCOMING FISCAL YEAR FOR
THE CITY OF LAUREL**

The City of Laurel will hold a public hearing on its proposed budget for fiscal year 2027 on Monday, August 31, 2026 at 5:30 p.m. in the Council Room at City Hall.

The millage rate of 47.55 will produce the same amount of revenue from ad valorem taxes as was collected the prior year. The millage rate for the prior year was 47.55.

The decision to not increase the ad valorem tax millage rate for fiscal year 2027 above the current fiscal year's ad valorem tax millage rate means you will not pay more in ad valorem taxes on your home, automobile tag, utilities, business fixtures and equipment and rental real property, unless the assessed value of your property has increased for fiscal year 2027.

Any citizen of the City of Laurel is invited to attend this public hearing on the proposed budget and tax levies for fiscal year 2027 and will be allowed to speak for a reasonable amount of time and offer tangible evidence before any vote is taken.