ORDINANCE NUMBER 2019 -007

AN ORDINANCE BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA CLARA, TEXAS SETTING THE TAX RATE FOR THE 2019 TAX YEAR.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA CLARA, TEXAS, THAT:

SECTION 1. The ad valorem tax rate for the City of Santa Clara, Texas for the 2019 Tax Year is hereby set at \$0.1643 per \$100.00 valuation of real property located within the limits of the city of Santa Clara Texas.

THIS TAX RATE WILL RAISE MORE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS THAN LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE.

THE TAX RATE WILL EFFECTIVELY BE RAISED BY 7.39 PERCENT AND WILL RAISE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS ON A \$100,000 HOME BY APPROXIMATELY \$0. The prior tax rate was also \$0.1643 per \$100.00.

SECTION 2. CONFLICT. All Ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. MEETING OPEN TO PUBLIC. It is hereby found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance is passed is open to the public as required by law and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given as required.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall be effective upon passage, with the tax rate is effective October 1, 2019.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 27th day of September, 2019

ATTEST:

Jonna L. White, City Secretary

Jeff Hunt, Mayor