

MINUTES
DOUGLAS COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
TAX MILLAGE RATE HEARING
AUGUST 17, 2021
8:00 a.m.

- I. The Douglas County Board of Education met in the Magnolia Room of the administrative office building at 11490 Veterans Memorial Highway, Douglasville, GA 30134.
 - A. D.T. Jackson called the meeting to order.
 - B. Also present were board members:
 - 1. Devettrion Caldwell (Post 1)
 - 2. Glenn Jackson (Post 5)

- II. Staff members present were Mr. Trent North, Superintendent; Mr. Greg Denney, Chief Financial Officer; Mr. Isaiah Smith, Communications Specialist; Mrs. Melanie Nicholson, Senior Executive Assistant to the Superintendent; Mrs. Hannah Washington, Executive Assistant to the Superintendent.

- III. TAX MILLAGE HEARING presented by Greg Denney
 - A. The staff recommends that the Board adopt a tax millage rate of 19.55 mills and bond millage rate of 0.5 mills

- IV. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION
 - A. Carol Newborn
 - 1. Spoke requesting more opportunity for tax cuts
 - B. Leslie Steinke
 - 1. Spoke regarding tax increase on Douglas County residents

- V. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
 - A. Next Meeting: August 17, 2021 at 6pm (2nd Millage Rate Hearing)
 - B. Glenn Easterwood
 - 1. Spoke regarding the demand and duties of School Resource Officers

- VI. Adjournment There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:45 AM.

Mr. Trent North, Superintendent

Ms. Tracy Rookard, Chair