ORDER SETTING BASTROP COUNTY, TEXAS TAX RATE FOR 2015

Whereas, the Bastrop County Commissioners Court for 2015, in order to provide funds with which to meet the budget requirements of the County, and to pay the expenses necessarily incurred in connection with the services provided by the County to Bastrop County residents: therefore,

BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT:

1. That there is hereby levied and there shall be assessed and collected for 2015 an ad valorem tax of \$.6190 per \$100 assessed valuation on all taxable property within the county as shown on the final approved 2015 tax rolls of the county. This tax rate will raise more taxes for maintenance and operations than last year's tax rate.

This tax rate is hereby adopted in the following components:

General Fund Maintenance and Operating Tax Rate Debt Service Tax Rate Road & Bridge Maintenance and Operating Tax Rate	\$.4178 \$.0887 \$.1125
2015 Total Ad Valorem Tax Rate	\$.6190

- 2. For comparison purposes, a \$100,000 home (not allowing for exemptions), paid \$629.00 to Bastrop County in 2014. In 2015 the same house, at the same value, would pay \$619.00. This tax rate will reduce taxes for maintenance and operation on a \$100,000 home by \$10.00.
- 3. That the Bastrop County Tax Assessor/Collector is hereby authorized and directed to prepare 2015 tax statements and transmit the same to the owners of taxable property within the County on or before October 1, 2015, or as soon thereafter as possible.
- 4. The total effective tax rate for 2015 is \$.5981. The total effective maintenance & operating rate for 2015 is \$.5065. The 2015 total rollback rate \$.6417.

PASSED and APPROVED on the 14th day of September, 2015.

Court Members Voting Aye:	Court Members Voting Nay:
Jaul Pape	
County Judge Paul Pape	County Judge Paul Pape
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Commissioner Willie Pina, Precinct 1	Commissioner Willie Pina, Precinct 1
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