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NOTICE

The **Ben Hill County Board of Commissioners** does hereby announce that the millage rate will be set at a meeting to be held at the **Courthouse Annex 324 East Pine Street, Fitzgerald, Georgia on July 25, 2019 at 6:30 p.m.** and pursuant to the requirements of O.C.G.A. § 48-5-32 does hereby publish the following presentation of the current year's tax digest and levy, along with the history of the tax digest and levy for the past five years.

CURRENT 2019 PROPERTY TAX DIGEST AND 5 YEAR HISTORY OF LEVY

		COUNTY WIDE	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
C o u n t y w i d e	V A L U E	Real & Personal	384,933,851	387,619,545	387,304,521	400,458,132	400,974,678	416,390,781
		Motor Vehicles	28,923,030	20,070,910	14,837,340	11,476,130	8,801,600	7,213,740
		Mobile Homes	5,010,664	5,076,016	5,084,243	5,120,133	5,149,287	5,138,895
		Timber - 100%	5,645,461	5,257,906	5,749,394	5,007,526	3,949,048	4,266,102
		Heavy Duty Equipment						107,992
		Gross Digest	424,513,006	418,024,377	412,975,498	422,061,921	418,874,613	433,117,510
		Less Exemptions	81,284,560	85,288,560	81,956,653	82,868,069	81,893,153	83,109,872
	NET DIGEST VALUE	343,228,446	332,735,817	331,018,845	339,193,852	336,981,460	350,007,638	
	R A T E	Gross Maintenance & Operation Millage	17.9970	18.2830	18.3250	19.4430	19.5290	19.4490
		Less Rollback (Local Option Sales Tax)	3.1160	3.1880	3.1600	2.7780	2.8660	2.8680
NET M&O MILLAGE RATE		14.8810	15.0950	15.1650	16.6650	16.6630	16.5810	
T A X	TOTAL M&O TAXES LEVIED	\$5,107,583	\$5,022,647	\$5,019,901	\$5,652,666	\$5,615,122	\$5,803,477	
	Net Tax \$ Increase	(\$63,412)	(\$84,935)	(\$2,746)	\$632,765	(\$37,543)	\$188,355	
	Net Tax % Increase	-1.22%	-1.66%	-0.05%	12.61%	-0.66%	3.35%	