

ORDER ADOPTING TAX RATE

JOANNA BLANCO
 CASTRO COUNTY
 CLERK

After notice and hearing the following motion was offered by Commissioner Brockman and seconded by Commissioner Ramirez
 "I move that property taxes be adopted at a rate of \$0.5389 in Operating and Maintenance and \$.00 in Interest and Sinking for a total tax rate for fiscal year 2023-2024 of \$0.5389 per \$100.00 property valuation."

This budget will raise more revenue from property taxes than last year's budget by an amount of \$112,612, which is a 3.98 percent increase from last year's budget. Property tax revenue increased due to higher property appraisal figures. Windfarm revenue will be received through the County's tax abatement agreement. Under the budget, the County will provide for the payment of debt service of \$768,575.00 for the fiscal year on its Certificates of Obligation, Series 2017 from the windfarm revenue received by the County through the County's tax abatement agreement (PILOT Payment In Lieu Of Taxes).

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE: Ayes

Paul Ramirez, Precinct Commissioner 1

Tim Elliott, Precinct Commissioner 2


Michael Goolsby, Precinct Commissioner 3

Ralph Brockman, Precinct Commissioner 4

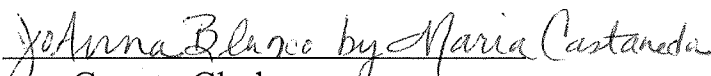
Nays: None

Signed this 28th day of August 2023

ATTEST:



 County Judge



 County Clerk