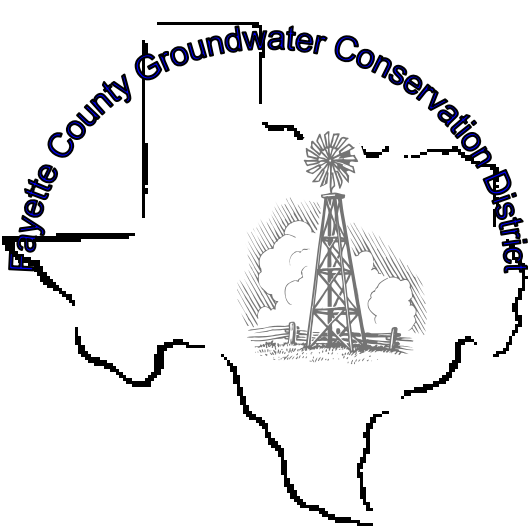




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Of the September 3, 2025, 9:30 A.M., Public Hearing Concerning the District's Proposed 2025 Tax Rate

Directors Present: Leo Wick, Sr., Cynthia Rodibaugh, Mark Heinrich, Alan Brothers
Directors Absent: Harvey Hayek
Others Present: Wendi Labus, Assistant General Manager; Monique Norman, Legal Counsel; Paul Kirby, Daniel B. Stephens & Associates

The public hearing was called to order by President Brothers at 9:32 a.m. on September 3, 2025. A quorum to conduct business was declared to be present.

Mr. Heinrich led the Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance.

President Brothers asked for any public comment regarding the proposed tax rate. There were none. Mrs. Labus recommended keeping the tax rate the same from the previous tax year of \$0.0080/\$100 valuation. Mrs. Labus presented how the proposed tax rate was calculated.

Mrs. Labus read the tax rate resolution into the record. The proposed tax rate of \$0.0080 per \$100 valuation was presented. This tax rate is the same from the 2024 adopted tax rate for the District. The proposed tax rate would increase the total taxes in the Fayette County Groundwater Conservation District by 9.8% based on an increased appraisal roll.

Mrs. Rodibaugh made the motion to set the tax rate for fiscal year 2025 at \$0.0080 per \$100 valuation. Mr. Heinrich seconded the motion.

There being no further discussion, President Brothers asked for a vote on the proposed tax rate. Mrs. Labus conducted a roll call vote. The motion was approved with Mr. Brothers, Mrs. Rodibaugh, Mr. Heinrich, and Mr. Wick voting aye. Mr. Hayek was absent and no director voted nay.

There being no further items on the agenda, President Brothers adjourned the public hearing on the District's Proposed 2025 Tax Rate at 9:40 a.m.

Alan Brothers, President

Cynthia Rodibaugh, Secretary/Treasurer