

Dade County Board of Commissioners to Hold Public Hearings on 2025 Millage Rate

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TRENTON, Ga. (August 8, 2025) — The Dade County Board of Commissioners has announced a series of public hearings and special called meetings as part of the statutory process to adopt the 2025 millage rate and authorize tax collection in accordance with Georgia law.

The process began on June 11, 2025, with the completion of the 2025 County Property Digest by the Chief Appraiser, followed by formal approval by the Board of Assessors on June 12, 2025. On June 20, property owners were mailed assessment notices by Assurance, launching the 45-day window for appeals. All updates from settled or filed appeals were processed and entered into the system by August 4, 2025.

On July 29, 2025, Dade County Tax Commissioner Angie Galloway arranged for Assurance to extract data from the final digest and generate Consolidation Sheets necessary for millage rate calculations. These projections were cross-referenced with the proposed FY2026 budget to ensure accuracy in revenue estimates.

Public Hearings and Special Called Meetings

In accordance with public notice requirements and to ensure transparency, the following hearings and meetings will be held at the Dade County Administrative Building:

Wednesday, August 20, 2025

- 11:00 AM – First Public Hearing
 - 6:00 PM – Second Public Hearing
- The required Five-Year History and public notices will be published prior to this date.*

Wednesday, August 27, 2025

- 4:00 PM – Third Public Hearing
- 4:30 PM – Special Called Meeting to consider final adoption of the 2025 millage rate

Following the adoption of the millage rate, the Tax Commissioner will submit the certified digest and compliance documents to the Georgia Department of Revenue for final approval. Upon state certification, tax bill preparation and printing will commence.

Thursday, August 28, 2025

- 10:30 AM – Special Called Meeting to authorize tax collection of the Board of Education's millage rate, pending availability

Property Tax Bills and Payment Deadline

Property tax bills for 2025 are expected to be mailed by or before Tuesday, September 16, 2025, with a 61-day grace period for payment. The official deadline to pay Dade County property taxes is Friday, November 15, 2025.

Residents with questions regarding their assessments, appeal status, or the public hearing schedule are encouraged to contact the Dade County Tax Commissioner's Office or visit the county website at www.dadecounty-ga.gov for additional information.

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