ORDINANCE 2021-04

ADOPTING THE CITY OF FAIR OAKS RANCH ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2021 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2022; AND OTHER MATTERS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH

WHEREAS, the City Manager submitted to the City Council a proposed budget for the next ensuing budget year, and filed the proposed budget with the City Secretary for public review pursuant to LGC §102.005; and,

WHEREAS, on August 26, 2021, the Council set September 16, 2021 as the date for the public hearing thereon and caused notice of such public hearing to be posted on the City's website and published in the Boerne Star pursuant to LGC §102.006 and 102.0065; and,

WHEREAS, the public hearing was held on said date and all persons were then afforded an opportunity to appear and object to any or all items and estimates in the proposed budgets; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to Local Government Code §102.007, the City Council, by passage of the Budget Ordinance shall adopt the budget for the ensuing fiscal year and appropriate such sums of money as the Council deems necessary to defray all expenditures of the City during the 2021-22 budget year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FAIR OAKS RANCH, TEXAS, THAT:

SECTION 1. BUDGET.

- a. The City hereby approves and adopts the "Fiscal Year 2021-22 Municipal Budget", attached as **Exhibit A**, in all respects as the City's annual budget for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2021 and ending September 30, 2022.
- b. The City Manager may reallocate budget amounts within and between departmental accounts, but reallocation of amounts between funds must be approved by the City Council by ordinance. For purposes of this section the term "fund" refers to the Governmental Accounting definition of a fund (i.e. "General Fund", "Utility Fund", and "Debt Service Fund").
- c. In accordance to LGC §102.008(a), the adopted budget shall be filed with the City Secretary; and a copy of the adopted budget including the cover page shall be posted on the City's website.

SECTION 2. SEVERABILITY.

If any provision of this Ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance shall be held to be invalid, the remainder of this Ordinance and the application of such provision to other persons and circumstances shall nevertheless be valid, and the City hereby declares that this Ordinance would have been enacted without such invalid provision.

Section 3. CONFLICT OF ORDINANCES.

Ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed, and are no longer of any force and effect.

Section 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Ordinance shall take effect on the first day of October 2021.

PASSED on first reading this 16th day of September, 2021 and recorded as follows:

	FOR	AGAINST	ABSTAIN
Mayor Greg Maxton	✓		
Council Member Stroup	✓		
Council Member Elizondo	✓		
Council Member Bliss	ABSENT		
Mayor Pro Tem Koerner	✓		
Council Member Parker	✓		
Council Member Muenchow	✓		

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED on second reading, this the 27th day of September, 2021 and recorded as follows:

	FOR	AGAINST	ABSTAIN
Mayor Greg Maxton	✓		
Council Member Stroup	✓		
Council Member Elizondo	✓		
Council Member Bliss	✓		
Mayor Pro Tem Koerner	✓	1	
Council Member Parker	✓		
Council Member Muenchow	✓		

Gregory C. Maxton, Mayor

ATTEST:

Christina Picioccio, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Denton Navarro Rocha Bernal & Zech, P.C.,

City Attorney

ORDINANCE 2021-05

AN ORDINANCE LEVYING AD VALOREM TAXES FOR USE AND SUPPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF FAIR OAKS RANCH, TEXAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2021 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2022; PROVIDING WHEN TAXES SHALL BECOME DUE AND WHEN SAME SHALL BECOME DELINQUENT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, on August 26, 2021, the City Council established a proposed ad valorem tax rate to support the proposed FY 2021-22 budget and, set September 27, 2021 as the date for the meeting to vote on the tax rate and caused notice of such meeting to be posted pursuant to Local Government Code §140.010(e)(f) and (g); and,

WHEREAS, the public meeting was held on said date and all persons were then afforded an opportunity to appear and object to the proposed ad valorem tax rate; and,

WHEREAS, on September 27, by ordinance, the Council approved the municipal budget for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2021 and ending September 30, 2022; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that an ordinance be passed levying an ad valorem tax on all property, both real and personal, within the corporate limits of the City of Fair Oaks Ranch, Texas in accordance with said budget and Texas Property Tax Code, §26.05(b).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FAIR OAKS RANCH:

SECTION 1. TAX LEVY.

- a. That there is hereby levied and there shall be collected for the use and support of the municipal government of the City of Fair Oaks Ranch (herein the "City"), upon all property, real, personal, and mixed, in the corporate limits of said City subject to taxation, a tax rate of \$.3223 on each \$100 taxable valuation of property, said tax being so levied for the maintenance and operations of the General Fund of the municipal government for the 2021-22 Fiscal Year.
- b. That there is hereby levied and there shall be collected for the use and support of the municipal government of the City of Fair Oaks Ranch (herein the "City"), upon all property, real, personal, and mixed, in the corporate limits of said City subject to taxation, a tax rate of \$.0295 on each \$100 taxable valuation of property, said tax being so levied for the debt service principal and interest of the Debt Service Fund of the municipal government for the 2021-22 Fiscal Year.
- c. THIS TAX RATE WILL RAISE LESS TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS THAN LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE. THE TAX RATE WILL EFFECTIVELY BE LOWERED BY 1.76% AND WILL LOWER TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS ON A \$100,000 HOME BY APPROXIMATELY \$18.60.

SECTION 2. TAX PAYMENT DUE DATE AND DELINQUENT EFFECTIVE DATE.

- a. Taxes assessed and levied under this ordinance shall be due on October 1, 2021.
- b. Taxes not paid on or before January 31, 2022 shall immediately become delinquent.
- c. Taxes shall become a lien upon the property against which assessed, and the Bexar County Tax

Office as the collector of property taxes is hereby authorized and empowered to enforce the collection of such taxes according to the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas and ordinances of the City and shall, by virtue of the tax rolls, fix and establish a lien by levying upon such property, whether real or personal, for the payment of said taxes, penalty and interest, and, the interest and penalty collected from such delinquent taxes shall be apportioned to the general fund of the City. All delinquent taxes shall bear interest from date of delinquency at the rate as prescribed by state law.

SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY.

If any provision of this Ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance shall be held to be invalid, the remainder of this Ordinance and the application of such provision to other persons and circumstances shall nevertheless be valid, and the City hereby declares that this Ordinance would have been enacted without such invalid provision.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from the date after its passage.

PASSED and APPROVED on first reading this 16th day of September 2021 and recorded as follows:

	FOR	AGAINST	ABSTAIN
Mayor Greg Maxton	✓		
Council Member Stroup	✓		
Council Member Elizondo	✓	***************************************	
Council Member Bliss	ABSENT		
Mayor Pro Tem Koerner	✓		
Council Member Parker	✓		
Council Member Muenchow	✓		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

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Council Member Elizondo	✓		
Council Member Bliss	✓		
Mayor Pro Tem Koerner	✓		
Council Member Parker	✓		
Council Member Muenchow	✓		

ATTEST:

Christina Picioccio, City Secretary

Gregory C. Maxton, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM

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