

The City Council will conduct a public hearing on the proposed Fiscal Year City property tax levy as follows:

Meeting Date: 4/1/2025 Meeting Time: 05:00 PM Meeting Location: Urbandale City Hall, 3600 86th Street, Urbandale IA 50322

At the public hearing any resident or taxpayer may present objections to, or arguments in favor of the proposed tax levy. After the hearing of the proposed tax levy, the City Council will publish notice and hold a hearing on the proposed city budget.

City Website (if available)
 www.urbandale.org

City Telephone Number
 (515) 278-3900

| Iowa Department of Management | Current Year Certified Property Tax 2024 - 2025 | Budget Year Effective Property Tax 2025 - 2026 | Budget Year Proposed Property Tax 2025 - 2026 |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| Taxable Valuations for Non-Debt Service | 3,821,213,422 | 3,967,938,302 | 3,967,938,302 |
| Consolidated General Fund | 30,050,328 | 30,050,328 | 30,895,241 |
| Operation & Maintenance of Public Transit | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Aviation Authority | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Liability, Property & Self Insurance | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Support of Local Emergency Mgmt. Comm. | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Unified Law Enforcement | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Police & Fire Retirement | 2,483,789 | 2,483,789 | 2,618,839 |
| FICA & IPERS (If at General Fund Limit) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Other Employee Benefits | 290,107 | 290,107 | 570,510 |
| Capital Projects (Capital Improv. Reserve) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Taxable Value for Debt Service | 4,181,094,034 | 4,350,091,455 | 4,350,091,455 |
| Debt Service | 6,229,830 | 6,229,830 | 6,264,132 |
| CITY REGULAR TOTAL PROPERTY TAX | 39,054,054 | 39,054,054 | 40,348,722 |
| CITY REGULAR TAX RATE | 10.08000 | 9.70447 | 10.03000 |
| Taxable Value for City Ag Land | 3,355,454 | 3,158,469 | 3,158,469 |
| Ag Land | 10,079 | 10,079 | 9,488 |
| CITY AG LAND TAX RATE | 3.00375 | 3.19110 | 3.00375 |
| Tax Rate Comparison-Current VS. Proposed | | | |
| Residential property with an Actual/Assessed Valuation of \$100,000/\$110,000 | Current Year Certified 2024/2025 | Budget Year Proposed 2025/2026 | Percent Change |
| City Regular Residential | 467 | 523 | 11.99 |
| Commercial property with an Actual/Assessed Valuation of \$300,000/\$330,000 | Current Year Certified 2024/2025 | Budget Year Proposed 2025/2026 | Percent Change |
| City Regular Commercial | 2,062 | 2,338 | 13.39 |

Note: Actual/Assessed Valuation is multiplied by a Rollback Percentage to get to the Taxable Valuation to calculate Property Taxes. Residential and Commercial properties have the same Rollback Percentage at \$100,000 Actual/Assessed Valuation.

Reasons for tax increase if proposed exceeds the current:

The City's proposed FY26 tax revenue increases \$1.3M (3.3%) over FY25 due primarily to routine personnel cost increases. The City will lower levy by 5 cents for FY26 to \$10.03. The reduction in rate is due to debt levy relief provided by City use of local option sales tax to retire bonds early.