PUBLIC NOTICE – PUBLIC BUDGET HEARING

A Public Hearing will be held by the City of Athens' Mayor and Council to receive comments on the City's Fiscal Year 2022 Proposed Operating Budget.

Date: August 17, 2021

Time: 5:30 p.m.

Where: Training Room

Emergency Operations Center

610 S. Prairieville Street

Athens, Texas 75751

Residents wishing to speak at the Public Budget Hearing may sign in with City Secretary, Bonnie Hambrick, before the meeting begins.

"This budget will raise more total property taxes than last year's budget by \$213,595 or 3.97%, and of that amount \$37,335 is tax revenue to be raised from new property added to the tax roll this year."

These amounts are based on the City's proposed total Property Tax Rate of \$0.645221 cents per \$100 of assessed valuation, which is a reduction of one and a half cents (\$0.015) compared to the previous year.

The City's Fiscal Year 2022 Proposed Budget is posted on the City's Website **www.athenstx.gov** and is available for inspection at the City Secretary's office located at 508 E. Tyler Street, Athens, TX 75751.