

**ORDER SETTING THE  
TAX YEAR 2017 / FY 2018  
PROPERTY TAX RATES FOR  
COUNTY WIDE EQUALIZATION TAX RATE  
FOR GAINES COUNTY TEXAS SCHOOLS**

Whereas, the Gaines County Judge is maintaining the same tax revenue levels for tax year 2017 / FY 2018, because the ISD Superintendents made a strong pitch for maintaining the tax revenue of the previous year. The Superintendents advocate that this level of funding is needed in order to meet the FY 2018 budget requirements of the Independent School Districts (ISD) in Gaines County, and to pay the expenses necessarily incurred in connection with the services provided by the ISDs to Gaines County residents: therefore,

**BE IT ORDERED BY THE GAINES COUNTY JUDGE:**

1. That there is hereby levied and there shall be assessed and collected for Tax Year 2017 and Fiscal Year 2018 a County Wide Equalization ad valorem tax of \$0.320305 per \$100 assessed valuation on all taxable property within the county.

This tax rate is hereby adopted in the following components:

<u>County Wide Equalization Tax Rate</u>	<u>\$0.320305</u>
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2. That the Gaines County Appraisal District is hereby authorized to assess and collect the County Wide Equalization taxes of Gaines County, Texas, employing the above Tax Rate.

**ADOPTED and APPROVED on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2017.**

*Tom N. Keyes*

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Tom N. Keyes  
County Judge  
Gaines County Texas

ATTEST: *Vicki Phillips*  
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County Clerk Vicki Phillips