## NOTICE

The **Ben Hill County Board of Commissioners** does hereby announce that the millage rate will be set at a meeting to be held at the **Ben Hill County Courthouse Annex** on **July 27, 2023** at 6:00 p.m. and pursuant to the requirements of O.C.G.A. § 48-5-32 does hereby publish the following presentation of the current year's tax digest and levy, along with the history of the tax digest and levy for the past five years.

## **CURRENT 2023 PROPERTY TAX DIGEST AND 5 YEAR HISTORY OF LEVY**

Countywide Area	COUNTY WIDE		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
	V A L U	Real & Personal	400,974,678	416,390,781	415,985,335	431,449,733	481,829,209	554,190,043
		Motor Vehicles	8,801,600	7,213,740	6,207,590	5,744,150	5,473,350	5,427,130
		Mobile Homes	5,149,287	5,138,895	5,380,132	5,523,331	6,548,659	6,420,387
		Timber - 100%	3,949,048	4,266,102	6,929,164	5,828,088	8,692,933	8,810,203
		Heavy Duty Equipment	0	107,992	247,694	13,045	73,200	16,120
		Gross Digest	418,874,613	433,117,510	434,749,915	448,558,347	502,617,351	574,863,883
		Less Exemptions	81,893,153	83,109,872	81,513,025	82,147,423	91,852,496	109,881,999
		NET DIGEST VALUE	336,981,460	350,007,638	353,236,890	366,410,924	410,764,855	464,981,884
	R A T E	Gross Maintenance & Operation Millage	19.5290	19.4490	19.6789	20.0325	18.9551	17.7304
		Less Rollback (Local Option Sales Tax)	2.8660	2.8680	3.0329	3.5765	3.1151	3.0434
		NET M&O MILLAGE RATE	16.6630	16.5810	16.6460	16.4560	15.8400	14.6870
	ТАХ	TOTAL M&O TAXES LEVIED	\$5,615,122	\$5,803,477	\$5,879,981	\$6,029,658	\$6,506,515	\$6,829,189
		Net Tax \$ Increase	(\$37,543)	\$188,355	\$76,505	\$149,677	\$476,857	\$322,674
		Net Tax % Increase	-0.66%	3.35%	1.32%	2.55%	7.91%	4.96%