

Lexington- Fayette Urban County Government Council Special Meeting

Lexington, Kentucky September 3, 2024

The Council of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, Kentucky convened in special session on September 3, 2024 at 1:00 p.m. Present were Mayor Gorton in the chair presiding, and the following members of the Council: Wu, F. Brown, J. Brown, Ellinger, Elliott Baxter, Fogle, Gray, LeGris, Lynch, Monarrez (via virtual teleconference), Reynolds, Sevigny, and Sheehan. Absent were Council Members Worley and Plomin.

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At 1:02 p.m., Mayor Gorton declared open a public hearing and invited public comment regarding the proposed tax rates for the General Services District, Full and Partial Urban Services Districts, Lexington-Fayette County Health Dept., and Soil and Water Conservation District for Fiscal Year 2025.

At 1:02 p.m., with no one appearing to speak, Mayor Gorton declared the public hearing closed.

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The following ordinances received second reading. Upon motion by Mr. Ellinger, and seconded by Ms. Fogle, the ordinances were approved by the following vote:

Aye: Wu, F. Brown, J. Brown, Ellinger, Elliott Baxter, Fogle, Gray, LeGris, Lynch, Monarrez, Reynolds, Sevigny, Sheehan -----13

Nay: -----0

An Ordinance levying ad valorem taxes for municipal purposes for the fiscal year July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025, on the assessed value of all taxable property within the taxing jurisdictions of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government (all taxes on each \$100.00 of assessed valuation as of the January 1, 2024 assessment date), as follows: General Services District, \$.076 on real property, including real property of public service companies, \$.0891 on personal property, including personal property of public service companies, noncommercial aircraft, and noncommercial watercraft, \$.1500 on insurance capital, \$.0150 on tobacco in storage, and \$.0450 on agricultural products in storage; Full Urban or Partial Urban Services Districts based on urban services available

on real property, including real property of public service companies, \$.139 for Refuse Collection, \$.027 for Street Lights, \$.009 for Street Cleaning, \$.0920 on insurance capital, \$.0150 on tobacco in storage, \$.0450 on agricultural products in storage; abandoned urban property \$1.00; and levying an ad valorem tax for municipal purposes at the rate of \$.088 on each \$100.00 of assessed value on all motor vehicles and watercraft within the taxing jurisdiction of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government as of the January 1, 2025 assessment date.

An Ordinance adopting the request of the Lexington-Fayette County Health Dept. under KRS 212.755 and levying a special ad valorem public health tax for the fiscal year July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025, on the assessed value of all taxable real and personal property within the taxing jurisdiction of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, including real and personal property of public service companies, noncommercial aircraft, noncommercial watercraft, and inventory in transit, and excluding insurance capital, tobacco in storage, and agricultural products in storage, at the rate of \$.0243 on each \$100.00 of assessed value as of the January 1, 2024 assessment date; and levying a special ad valorem public health tax at the rate of \$.0243 on each \$100.00 of assessed value on all motor vehicles and watercraft within the taxing jurisdiction of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, as of the January 1, 2025 assessment date.

An Ordinance levying ad valorem taxes for purposes of support of the Soil and Water Conservation District for the fiscal year July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025, on the assessed value of all taxable real property within the taxing jurisdiction of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, including real property of public service companies, at a rate of \$.001 on each one hundred dollars (\$100.00) of assessed valuation as of the January 1, 2024, assessment date.

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Upon motion by Mr. Sevigny, seconded by Ms. Gray, and approved by unanimous vote, the meeting adjourned at 1:06 p.m.

