

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SEAGOVILLE, TEXAS  
ORDINANCE NO. 16-2020**

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AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 15-2020 TO CORRECT  
SCRIVENER'S ERRORS; PROVIDING A REPEALING  
CLAUSE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE;  
PROVIDING A SAVINGS CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN  
EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, after publication and posting of all legally required notices and the conducting of a public hearing, the City Council adopted Ordinance No. 15-2020, adopting and levying ad valorem taxes for the fiscal year 2020-2021; and

**WHEREAS**, at the time of adoption of Ordinance No. 15-2020 due to scrivener errors Subsections (a) and (b) of Section 1 of Ordinance No. 15-2020 failed to state the proper components of the total ad valorem tax rate, which correct rates were reflected in the discussion before the Council as well as in the notices published regarding the fiscal year 2020-2021 ad valorem tax rate and budget.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEAGOVILLE, TEXAS:**

**SECTION 1.** That Ordinance No. 15-2020 be and the same is hereby amended by amending Subsections (a) and (b) of Section 1 of Ordinance No. 15-2020 to correct a scrivener's error to read as follows:

**SECTION 2.** There is hereby approved, adopted and levied for the tax year 2020 on all taxable property, real, personal and mixed, situated within the corporate limits of the City of Seagoville, Texas, and not exempt by the Constitution of the State and valid State laws, a tax of \$0.788800 on each One Hundred Dollars (\$100) assessed valuation of taxable property, which consists of two components each one of which is separately approved by the Council as follows:

(a) 0.068302 per One Hundred Dollars (\$100) of taxable value, the rate that, if applied to the total taxable value, will impose the total amount published under Section 26.04(e)(3)(C) of the Texas Property Tax Code (Tax Code), less any amount of additional sales and use tax revenue that will be used to pay debt service; and

(b) 0.720498 per One Hundred Dollars (\$100) taxable value, the rate that, if applied to the total taxable value, will impose the amount of taxes needed to fund maintenance and operation expenditures of the City for the coming year."

**SECTION 3.** That all provisions of the ordinances of the City of Seagoville in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same are hereby, repealed, and all other provisions of the ordinances of the City of Seagoville not in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

**SECTION 4.** That should any sentence, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase or section of this Ordinance be adjudged or held to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of this Ordinance as a whole, or any part or provision thereof other than the part so decided to be invalid, illegal or unconstitutional, and shall not affect the validity of the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance as a whole.

**SECTION 5.** That this Ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage and the publication of the caption, as the law and charter in such case provide.

**DULY PASSED** by the City Council of the City of Seagoville, Texas, on the 21st day of September 2020.

**APPROVED:**

  
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**Dennis K. Childress, Mayor**

**ATTEST:**

  
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**Kandi Jackson, City Secretary**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

  
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**Victoria W. Thomas, City Attorney**  
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