## NOTICE

The Lowndes County Board of Commissioners does hereby announce that the millage rate will be set at a meeting to be held at the Lowndes County Judicial Complex, 327 N. Ashley St., Valdosta, GA on October 15, 2024 at 5:30 pm 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 2024 PROPERTY TAX DIGEST AND 5 YEAR HISTORY OF LEVY**

	COUNTY WIDE		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Countywide Area	V A L U E	Real & Personal	3,462,524,169	3,533,875,877	3,643,296,211	3,969,804,590	4,670,349,420	5,596,595,283
		Motor Vehicles	50,186,620	42,963,530	35,863,730	32,949,800	33,128,520	30,132,260
		Mobile Homes	20,144,414	20,857,490	21,395,408	24,127,602	26,214,281	25,585,926
		Timber - 100%	4,479,910	4,141,880	4,998,845	6,811,260	7,413,750	7,091,679
		Heavy Duty Equipment	346,385	487,745	362,999	565,975	376,870	533,587
		Gross Digest	3,537,681,498	3,602,326,522	3,705,917,193	4,034,259,227	4,737,482,841	5,659,938,735
		Less Exemptions	427,867,629	433,681,631	400,712,124	473,306,702	527,965,520	543,089,814
		NET DIGEST VALUE	3,109,813,869	3,168,644,891	3,305,205,069	3,560,952,525	4,209,517,321	5,116,848,921
	R A T E	Gross Maintenance & Operation Millage	1 <i>4</i> 9580	14.8750	15.0520	14.6610	12.8856	11.3260
		Less Rollback (Local Option Sales Tax)	4.0200	4.0240	4.3960	4.4500	4.1076	3.5220
		NET M&O MILLAGE RATE	10.9380	10.8510	10.6560	10.2110	8.7780	7.8040
	TAX	TOTAL M&O TAXES LEVIED	\$34,015,144	\$34,382,966	\$35,220,265	\$36,360,886	\$36,951,143	\$39,931,889
		Net Tax \$ Increase		\$367,822	\$837,300	\$1,140,621	\$590,257	\$2,980,746
		Net Tax % Increase		1.08%	2.44%	3.24%	1.62%	8.07%