

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING - CITY OF BATTLE CREEK - PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX LEVY**  
**Fiscal Year July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022**

The City Council will conduct a public hearing on the proposed Fiscal Year City property tax levy as follows:

**Meeting Date:** 2/9/2021 **Meeting Time:** 06:00 PM **Meeting Location:** Battle Creek Community Hall

At the public hearing any resident or taxpayer may present objections to, or arguments in favor of the proposed tax levy. After adoption of the proposed tax levy, the City Council will publish notice and hold a hearing on the proposed city budget.

City Website (if available)  
 www.battlecreekia.org

City Telephone Number  
 (712) 365-4646

	Current Year Certified Property Tax 2020 - 2021	Budget Year Effective Property Tax 2021 - 2022	Budget Year Proposed Maximum Property Tax 2021 - 2022	Annual % CHG
Regular Taxable Valuation	12,028,378	13,665,457	13,665,457	
Tax Levies:				
Regular General	97,430	97,430	110,691	
Contract for Use of Bridge	0	0	0	
Opr & Maint Publicly Owned Transit	0	0	0	
Rent, Ins. Maint. Of Non-Owned Civ. Ctr.	0	0	0	
Opr & Maint of City-Owned Civic Center	0	0	0	
Planning a Sanitary Disposal Project	0	0	0	
Liability, Property & Self-Insurance Costs	18,000	18,000	19,000	
Support of Local Emer. Mgmt. Commission	2,556	2,556	3,620	
Emergency	3,248	3,248	3,690	
Police & Fire Retirement	0	0	0	
FICA & IPERS	10,100	10,100	11,000	
Other Employee Benefits	0	0	0	
<b>Total Tax Levy</b>	<b>131,334</b>	<b>131,334</b>	<b>148,001</b>	<b>12.69</b>
<b>Tax Rate</b>	<b>10.91868</b>	<b>9.61066</b>	<b>10.83030</b>	

**Explanation of significant increases in the budget:**

Projected increase in property and self-insurance costs, law enforcement and emergency services, supplies and loss of revenue related to COVID, employee benefits increase resulting from possible wage adjustments.

**If applicable, the above notice also available online at:**

www.battlecreekia.org

\*Total city tax rate will also include voted general fund levy, debt service levy, and capital improvement reserve levy.

\*\*Budget year effective property tax rate is the rate that would be assessed for these levies if the dollars requested is not changed in the coming budget year