ORDINANCE NUMBER 090325(a)

2025 TAX RATE ADOPTION

Whereas, a tax rate of \$0.2850 for maintenance and operations and a tax rate of \$.0000 for interest and sinking fund are necessary and appropriate for the funding of the 2025 – 2026 City of Jasper budget and,

Whereas, said budget has to be heretofore regularly adopted by the City Council of the City of Jasper, Texas and,

Whereas, all other things required by law to be done, including published notices, have been done properly by the appropriate officials, and

Whereas, if the City does not take official action on the tax rate within 60 days from the certification of values, the City must set the tax rate at the lower of the 2024 rate or the 2025 effective rate, and

Whereas, the City has not voted an intent to raise the rate above the effective rate, then

Now Therefore, it is hereby ordained, by affirmative vote of the City Council of the City of Jasper, Texas, that the 2025 maintenance & operations tax rate in the amount of \$ 0.2850 per \$100.00 taxable value and the 2025 interest and sinking fund tax rate in the amount of \$.0000 per \$100.00 taxable value for a total combined 2025 tax rate of \$.2850 are ratified and adopted.

Passed and approved this the <u>3</u> day of September, 2025.

Approved:

Clark McLane. Mayor

Attest:

Liz Jarrell, City Secretary