

**ORDINANCE # 2017-01**

**AN ORDINANCE ASSESSING A 4.0 MILL TAX ON REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF LAVACA, ARKANSAS, FOR THE YEAR 2017 AND LEVYING A 5.0 MILL VOLUNTEER FIRE TAX ON SAME PROPERTY FOR THE YEAR 2017.  
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAVACA, ARKANSAS:**

**SECTION I:** That a tax of 4.0 mills on the dollar is hereby levied by the City Council of the City of Lavaca, Arkansas on all real and personal property within the Corporate limits of the City of Lavaca, Arkansas for the year 2017.

**SECTION II:** That a volunteer fire tax of 5.0 mills on the dollar is hereby levied by the City Council of the City of Lavaca, Arkansas on all real and personal property within the corporate limits of the City of Lavaca for the year 2017 for the Volunteer Fire Dept.

**SECTION III:** That said levy shall be certified with the County Clerk of Sebastian County, Arkansas, whose duty it shall be to extend said levy against all real and personal property within the corporate limits of the City of Lavaca, Arkansas, to be collected in the year of 2018.

**SECTION IV:** This ordinance being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and welfare, an emergency is hereby declared and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

**SECTION V:** The millage rate levied may be subject to an amendment 59 rollback in which case the rollback millage will become the effective rate.

**DATE: October 9, 2017**

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**Hugh Hardgrave, Mayor**

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**Attest: Shelly Hockaday, City Recorder**