

**NEW ALEXANDRIA BOROUGH  
WESTMORELAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

**ORDINANCE NO. 169**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF NEW ALEXANDRIA, COUNTY OF WESTMORELAND, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, FIXING THE TAX RATE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023.**

WHEREAS, the Borough Council of New Alexandria Borough (Borough), in an effort to preserve health, safety and welfare of it's residents, and comply with the applicable Borough Code Sections, believe it to be in the best interest of the residents of the Borough to levy real estate taxes as set forth herein; and

WHEREAS, the express intent and purpose of the Ordinance is to set the annual real estate tax rate as required by 8 Pa.C.S.A.§1310, upon adoption of the annual budget; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Code at 8 Pa.C.S.A. §1302(a), authorizes the Borough to levy a tax not exceeding thirty (30) mills for general purposes as elaborated therein; and

WHEREAS, in conjunction with the preparing the 2023 annual budget, the Borough Council has determined that the tax rate for 2023 shall be set at 10.00 mills for general purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Council has adopted its annual budget for 2023, the real estate tax rate is set as follows:

1. The 2023 real estate tax rate is 10.00 mills for general purposes.
  
2. This Ordinance is enacted pursuant to the Borough Code (Act. No. 581 of February 1, 1966, P.L. 1956 (1965), as amended, the laws and the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Borough Council hereby determines, finds

and declares that each and every matter and thing provided for herein is necessary, desirable or proper to promote the public health, safety, morals and general welfare and to carry out and effectuate the public purposes of the Borough in accordance with such laws and the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

3. In the event that any one or more of the provisions, sections, sentences, clauses or parts contained in this Ordinance shall for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect, such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability shall not affect any other provisions, sections, sentence, clause or part of this Ordinance, and this Ordinance shall be construed and enforced as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provisions had never been contained herein.

4. This Ordinance shall be effective January 1, 2023.

ADOPTED AND ENACTED by the Council of the Borough of New Alexandria, County of Westmoreland, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on the 14 day of December, 2022.

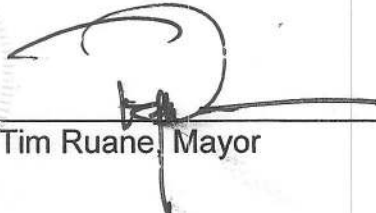
  
Jennifer Graham, Council President

ATTEST:

  
Charles Ferry, Borough Secretary

APPROVED THIS 14 DAY OF December, 2022.



  
Tim Ruane, Mayor