

## VALUE INFORMATION

### Market Value

Last Year ( 2024 )	This Year ( 2025 )
240,915	241,053

Market value in Florida is also known as “just value” as provided by the constitution and described in state law. It is the amount a purchaser willing but not obliged to buy would pay to one willing but not obliged to sell, after proper consideration of all eight factors in section 193.011, F.S. Properties are valued as of January 1.

If you feel that the market value of your property is inaccurate or does not reflect fair market value, or you are entitled to an exemption or classification that is not reflected on this notice, **contact your County Property Appraiser at the numbers listed on the included insert.**

If the Property Appraiser's office is unable to resolve the matter as to market value, classification, or an exemption, you may file a petition for adjustment with the Value Adjustment Board. Petition forms are available from the County Property Appraiser's office. Your petition must be filed with the Clerk of Value Adjustment Board on or before **5:00 PM September 15, 2025** at 301 N Olive Ave, West Palm Beach, FL 33401.

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Taxing Authority	Assessed Value		Exemptions		Taxable Value	
	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year
County Operating	121,937	125,473	50,000	50,722	71,937	74,751
County Debt	121,937	125,473	50,000	50,722	71,937	74,751
Public Schools	121,937	125,473	25,000	25,000	96,937	100,473
Municipality Operating	121,937	125,473	50,000	50,722	71,937	74,751
Independent Special Dist	121,937	125,473	50,000	50,722	71,937	74,751

**Assessed Value** is the market value minus any assessment reductions.

**Exemptions** are specific dollar or percentage amounts that reduce your assessed value.

**Taxable Value** is the value used to calculate the tax due on your property (Assessed Value minus Exemptions).



Assessment Reductions	Applies To	Value
Save our Homes Assessment Cap- 2.9 percent in 2025	All Taxing Authorities	115,580

Properties can receive an assessment reduction for a number of reasons including the Save our Homes Benefit and the 10 % non-homestead property limitation.

Exemptions Applied	Applies To	Exempt Value
Homestead	All Taxing Authorities	25,000
Additional Homestead*	Non-School Taxing Authorities	25,722

Any exemption that impacts your property is listed in this section along with its corresponding exempt value. Specific dollar or percentage reductions in assessed value may be applicable to a property based upon certain qualifications of the property or property owner. In some cases, an exemption's value may vary depending on the taxing authority. The tax impact of an exempt value may also vary for the same taxing authority, depending on the levy (i.e. operating millage vs debt service millage).

\* Due to the passage of Amendment 5 in 2024, the amount of the additional homestead exemption will increase with the rate of inflation.

Visit the Palm Beach County Property Appraiser's website for more information: [www.pbcpa.gov](http://www.pbcpa.gov)



# 2025 NOTICE OF PROPOSED PROPERTY TAXES AND PROPOSED OR ADOPTED NON-AD VALOREM ASSESSMENTS

Real Estate Parcel ID: 08-43-45-33-32-018-0030			<b>DO NOT PAY</b> THIS IS NOT A BILL			The taxing authorities, which levy taxes against your property, will soon hold PUBLIC HEARINGS to adopt budgets and tax rates for the next year. The purpose of these PUBLIC HEARINGS is to receive opinions from the general public and to answer questions on the proposed tax change and budget PRIOR TO TAKING FINAL ACTION. Each taxing authority may AMEND or ALTER its proposals at the hearing.				
Legal Description: RIDGEPOINTE WOODS VILLAS LT 3 BLK 18										
	<b>COLUMN 1</b>		<b>COLUMN 2</b>			<b>COLUMN 3</b>			See <a href="http://www.pbcpa.gov">www.pbcpa.gov</a> for public hearing updates	
<b>Taxing Authority</b> <small>*Dependent Special Districts</small>	Your Property Taxes Last Year		Your Property Taxes This Year if no budget change is made			Your Property Taxes This Year if proposed budget change is made			<b>A public hearing on the proposed taxes and budget will be held at the locations and dates below.</b>	
	Taxable Value	Millage Rate	Tax Amount	Taxable Value	Millage Rate	Tax Amount	Taxable Value	Millage Rate		Tax Amount
<b>COUNTY</b>										
County Operating	71,937	4.5000	323.72	74,751	4.2413	317.04	74,751	4.5000		336.38
County Debt	71,937	.0396	2.85	74,751	.0330	2.47	74,751	.0330	2.47	
<b>PUBLIC SCHOOLS</b>										
By State Law	96,937	3.0660	297.21	100,473	2.9497	296.37	100,473	3.0730		308.75
By Local Board	96,937	3.2480	314.85	100,473	3.1248	313.96	100,473	3.2480	326.34	
<b>MUNICIPALITY</b>										
Boynton Beach Operating	71,937	7.8000	561.11	74,751	7.3764	551.39	74,751	7.8000		583.06
<b>INDEPENDENT SPECIAL DISTRICTS</b>										
So. Fla. Water Mgmt. Basin	71,937	.1026	7.38	74,751	.0961	7.18	74,751	.1026		7.67
So. Fla. Water Mgmt. Dist.	71,937	.0948	6.82	74,751	.0889	6.65	74,751	.0948	7.09	
Everglades Construction	71,937	.0327	2.35	74,751	.0306	2.29	74,751	.0327	2.44	
FL Inland Navigation District	71,937	.0288	2.07	74,751	.0270	2.02	74,751	.0288	2.15	
Children's Services Council	71,937	.4908	35.31	74,751	.4611	34.47	74,751	.4908	36.69	
Health Care District	71,937	.6561	47.20	74,751	.6164	46.08	74,751	.6561	49.04	
<b>Total Millage Rate &amp; Tax Amount</b>		20.0594	1,600.87		19.0453	1,579.92		20.0598	1,662.08	<b>** SEE BELOW FOR EXPLANATION</b>

### \*\* EXPLANATION OF TAX NOTICE

<b>COLUMN 1</b> "YOUR PROPERTY TAXES LAST YEAR"	<b>COLUMN 2</b> "YOUR TAXES THIS YEAR IF NO BUDGET CHANGE IS ADOPTED"	<b>COLUMN 3</b> "YOUR TAXES THIS YEAR IF PROPOSED BUDGET CHANGE IS ADOPTED"
This column shows the taxes that applied last year to your property. These amounts were based on budgets adopted last year and your property's previous taxable value.	This column shows what your taxes will be this year IF EACH TAXING AUTHORITY DOES NOT CHANGE ITS PROPERTY TAX LEVY. These amounts are based on last year's budgets and your current assessment.	This column shows what your taxes will be this year under the BUDGET ACTUALLY PROPOSED by each local taxing authority. The proposal is NOT final and may be amended at the public hearings shown above. The difference between columns 2 and 3 is the tax change proposed by each local taxing authority and is NOT the result of higher assessments.

### NON-AD VALOREM ASSESSMENT

LEVYING AUTHORITY	PURPOSE OF ASSESSMENT	UNITS	RATE	ASSESSMENT	CONTACT NUMBER
BOYNTON BEACH FIRE RESCUE ASSESSMENT	FIRE OPERATIONS	1	145.00	145.00	(561) 742-6312
SOLID WASTE AUTHORITY OF PBC	GARBAGE SERVICES	1	116.00	116.00	(561) 697-2700
<b>Total Non-Ad Valorem Assessment</b>				261.00	

Your final tax bill may contain Non-Ad Valorem assessments which may not be reflected on this notice such as assessments for roads, fire, garbage, lighting, drainage, water, sewer, or other governmental services and facilities which may be levied by your county, city, or any special district.

**NOTE:** Amounts shown on this form do NOT reflect early payment discounts you may have received or may be eligible to receive. (Discounts are a maximum of 4 percent of the amounts shown on this form.)

**Non-Ad Valorem Assessments:** Non-Ad Valorem assessments are placed on this notice at the request of the respective local governing boards. Your Tax Collector will be including them in the November tax bill. For details on particular Non-Ad Valorem assessments, contact the levying authority shown in the Non-Ad Valorem Assessment section on this page.