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Public hearings scheduled on millage rate adoption - Due to a proposed change in the millage rate (from 13.5 to 14 mills).

As required by law, the Treutlen County Board of Education (TCBOE) will hold three public hearings as part of its process for setting the millage rate. The first and second hearings will be held on October 3 at 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. The third public hearing will be held on October 15 at 6:00 p.m. All public hearings are scheduled to take place in the Board Room at the Board of Education, located at 5040 South Third Street, Soperton, Georgia.

According to O.C.G.A. §20-2-165(9)(c), the calculation of local five mill share is defined annually from 2015 through 2019 and millage rates must meet the local five mill share in order to qualify for equalization funding. The annual minimum millage rate (local fair share) determined by O.C.G.A. §20-2-165(9)(c) for 2018 is 14 mills. If the millage rate for 2018 is lower than 14, Treutlen County Schools will not qualify for \$1,195,314 in equalization funding from the Georgia Department of Education.