ORDINANCE #37 TO SET TAX RATE

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of Gatesville Independent School District must establish the tax rates to be levied on taxable property within the Gatesville Independent School District which is to be recorded on the Coryell County tax rolls.

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees has approved and adopted the tax rolls of the Gatesville Independent School District and the total valuation of all taxable property rendered for taxation for the year 2013 is \$644,092,243.

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees has adopted the budget for the 2013 - 2014 school year, and it is now necessary to establish the 2013 tax rate in support of the 2014 fiscal year budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE GATESVILLE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, GATESVILLE, TEXAS:

SECTION 1: Total Tax Rate: A total tax rate aggregating \$1.128 shall be levied on each \$100 valuation of all taxable property located in the Gatesville Independent School District and appearing on the assessment roll for the year 2013, in accordance with the constitution and laws of the State of Texas. THIS TAX RATE WILL RAISE THE SAME TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS AS LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE.

SECTION 2: <u>Allocation of Tax Rate</u>: \$1.04 of the total rate is specifically levied for current maintenance and operation expenses and \$ 0.088 of the total rate is specifically levied for the payment of principal and interest on debt. THE TAX RATE WILL RAISE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS ON A \$100,000 HOME BY APPROXIMATELY \$(0.00).

SECTION 3: Levy: There is hereby levied and shall be collected from every

person, firm, and corporation pursuing an occupation in Gatesville Independent

School District, which is taxable by law, the full amount of taxes permitted by the

laws of the State of Texas.

SECTION 4: Severability: If any portion of the Ordinance, or the application of

same to any person or set of circumstances is for any reason held to be

unconstitutional, void, or invalid (or for any reason unenforceable), the validity of the

remaining portions of this Ordinance or the application to other persons or sets of

circumstances shall not be affected, it being the intent of the Board of Trustees of the

Gatesville Independent School District, Gatesville, Texas, in adopting this Ordinance

that no portion contained in it shall become inoperative or fail by reasons of any

unconstitutionality or invalidity of any other portion.

SECTION 5: Effective Date: This Ordinance shall become effective upon

adoption.

Adopted by the Board of Trustees of Gatesville Independent School District at a

meeting on August 29, 2013, at which a quorum was present and for which due

notice was given pursuant to Tex. Gov't Code § 551.001 and Tex. Educ. Code § 44.004.

President, Board of Trustees

Stephen a. Nosis M.D.

ATTEST:

Secretary, Board of Trustees