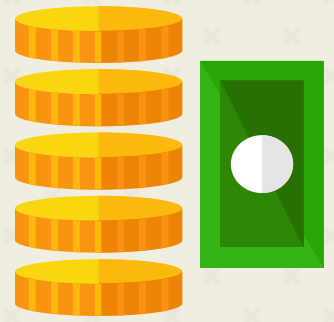


Facts about surtaxes



The adoption of a local governmental surtax can be approved by voters in a county. The surtax is combined with the local sales tax that utilities must collect and remit to the Department of Revenue each month. When applicable, customers will notice the tax indicated separately on the electric bill.

If you have questions about the surtax in your county, please visit floridarevenue.com or call Taxpayer Services at 850-488-6800.

Following are the voter-approved surtaxes within the LCEC service territory:



Lee County: 0.5% School Capital Outlay Surtax

Lee County Resolution; Sections 212.054 and 212.055, Florida Statutes. The surtax will remain in effect until December 31, 2028. The combined state and local sales and use tax rate for Lee County will be 6.5%.



Collier County: 1% Government Infrastructure Surtax

Collier County Ordinance No. 2018-21; Sections 212.054 and 212.055, Florida Statutes. The surtax will remain in effect until December 31, 2025. The combined state and local sales and use tax rate for Collier County will be 7%. **Effective December 31, 2023, the 1% infrastructure sales surtax imposed in Collier County is repealed.**



Broward County: 1% Charter County and Regional Transportation System Surtax

Broward County Ordinance No. 2018-29; Sections 212.054 and 212.055, Florida Statutes. The surtax will remain in effect until December 31, 2048. The combined state and local sales and use tax rate for Broward County will be 7%



Charlotte County: 1% Government Infrastructure Surtax

Charlotte County Ordinance No. 2020-024; Sections 212.054 and 212.055, Florida Statutes. The surtax will remain in effect until December 31, 2026. The combined state and local sales and use tax rate for Charlotte County is 7%.



Hendry County: 1% Government Infrastructure Surtax

Hendry County Ordinance No. 2002-32; Sections 212.054 and 212.055, Florida Statutes. The 1% surtax will remain in effect until further notice. Hendry County School Board Resolution No. 2022-41; Sections 212.054 and 212.055, Florida Statutes. The 0.5% surtax will remain in effect until December 31, 2042. The combined state and local sales and use tax rate for Hendry County is 7.5%.