

Agenda Item 2-b(1)
Meeting of 9/18/19

RESOLUTION 2019-14399

A RESOLUTION DETERMINING AND FIXING THE 2019 TAX LEVY AND FINAL MILLAGE RATE FOR THE CITY OF NAPLES, EXCLUSIVE OF DEPENDENT TAXING DISTRICTS, AND FOR PROVIDING SUFFICIENT FUNDS FOR THE GENERAL FUND OPERATIONS; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE, A REPEALER PROVISION, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Legislature of the State of Florida mandated a procedure for County Property Appraisers to calculate the total taxable value for each taxing authority and for the subsequent calculation of rolled back millage rate; and

WHEREAS, the gross taxable value, for operating purposes not exempt from taxation within the City, has been certified by the County Property Appraiser on line four (4) of the DR420 as Twenty-Four Billion, One Hundred Two Million, Six Thousand, Seven Hundred Nineteen Dollars (\$24,102,006,719); and

WHEREAS, Section 200.065(2)(a), Florida Statutes (2019), requires the taxing authority to compute a proposed millage rate necessary to fund the budget, other than the portion funded from sources other than ad valorem taxes, and that in computing proposed or final millage rates, the taxing authority must utilize not less than Ninety-Five percent (95%) of the certified taxable value; and

WHEREAS, the City of Naples, Florida has performed the necessary millage calculation and found it to be 1.1800 mills; and

WHEREAS, Section 200.065(1), Florida Statutes (2019), requires the taxing authority to compute a rolled back millage rate; and

WHEREAS, the City of Naples, Florida has performed the rolled back millage calculation as required by law and found the 2019-20 aggregate millage rate of 1.4954 to be 2.56 percent greater than the aggregate rolled back rate of 1.1656 mills; and

WHEREAS, the City of Naples adopted the tentative millage rate as required by Section 200.065, Florida Statutes (2019), on September 4, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the City of Naples, Florida conducted a public hearing for the millage rate as required by Section 200.065, Florida Statutes (2019), on September 18, 2019; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to state law, the City must adopt a tentative or final millage rate prior to adopting a final budget;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NAPLES, FLORIDA:

Section 1. That the 2019 tax levy and operating millage rate for the City of Naples, Florida is adopted at 1.1800 mills.

Section 2. That the 2019-20 aggregate millage rate is 1.1954 or 2.56 percent greater than the aggregate rolled back rate of 1.1656 mills; and.

Section 3. That the tax levy and millage rate have been fixed and determined in accordance with the following assessments and finding of the City Council, and making allowances for tax delinquents, discounts and losses therein, show, to-wit:

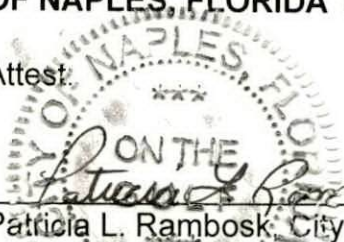
Total General Fund and Community Redevelopment Agency Operations:	
At 1.1800 millage rate	\$28,440,368
Adjusted for discount per statute	\$27,079,781

Section 4. If any word, phrase, clause, subsection or section of this resolution is for any reason held unconstitutional or invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect the validity of any remaining portions of this resolution. All resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 5. That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

PASSED IN OPEN AND SPECIAL SESSION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NAPLES, FLORIDA THIS 18TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2019.

Attest:



Patricia L. Rambosk
 Patricia L. Rambosk, City Clerk

Bill Barnett
 Bill Barnett, Mayor

Approved as to form and legality:

James D. Fox
 James D. Fox, City Attorney

Date filed with City Clerk: 9-18-19