

**Agenda Item 5.A.
Meeting of 9/20/23****RESOLUTION 2023-15206**

A RESOLUTION DETERMINING AND FIXING THE 2023 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 Thirty-Four Billion, Nine Hundred Seventy Million, Two Hundred Three Thousand, Eight Hundred Sixty-Nine Dollars (\$34,970,203,869); and

WHEREAS, Section 200.065(2)(a), Florida Statutes (2021), 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 1.1700 mills; and

WHEREAS, Section 200.065(1), Florida Statutes (2021), 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 2023-24 aggregate millage rate of 1.1872 to be 13.36 percent greater than the aggregate rolled back rate of 1.0473 mills; and

WHEREAS, the City of Naples, Florida conducted a public hearing for the tentative millage rate as required by Section 200.065, Florida Statutes (2021), on September 5, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the City of Naples, Florida conducted a public hearing for the final millage rate as required by Section 200.065, Florida Statutes (2021), on September 20, 2023; and

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

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

Section 1. That the 2023 tax levy and operating millage rate for the City of Naples, Florida is adopted at 1.1700 mills.

Section 2. That the 2023-24 aggregate millage rate is 1.1872 or 13.36 percent greater than the aggregate rolled back rate of 1.0473 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:

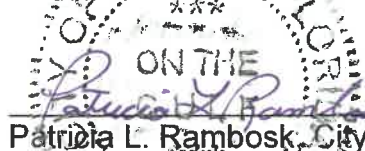
Total General Fund and Community Redevelopment Agency Operations:	
At 1.1700 millage rate.	\$40,915,319
Adjusted for discount per statute	\$38,869,382

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 will take effect immediately upon adoption.

PASSED IN OPEN AND SPECIAL SESSION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NAPLES, FLORIDA THIS 20TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2023.

Attest:



Patricia L. Rambosk
 Patricia L. Rambosk, City Clerk

Teresa Lee Heitmann
 Teresa Lee Heitmann, Mayor
Michael McCabe
 Michael McCabe, Vice Mayor

Approved as to form and legality:
Nancy Stahl
 Nancy Stahl
 Vose Law Firm, City Attorney

Date filed with City Clerk: 9/21/23