



City of North Port

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-R-58

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NORTH PORT, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE FINAL AD VALOREM MILLAGE RATE AND ROLLED-BACK RATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2023 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2024; PROVIDING FOR FINDINGS; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Florida Statutes Section 166.211(1) and Article VII, Section 9 of the State Constitution, municipalities are authorized to adopt a millage rate each fiscal year and to levy ad valorem taxes on taxable real property within the municipality; and

WHEREAS, Florida Statutes Chapter 200 provides a procedure for the adoption of ad valorem tax and millage rates; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager and staff have prepared a budget and have computed a millage rate necessary to fund the budget, excluding the portion of the budget to be funded from sources other than ad valorem taxes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NORTH PORT, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1 – FINDINGS

- 1.01 The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated in this resolution by reference.
- 1.02 A public hearing on this final millage rate for Fiscal Year 2023-2024 (“the Fiscal Year”) was held on September 7, 2023. The general public was provided an opportunity to make comments and ask questions prior to the adoption of this resolution.
- 1.03 The City’s intent to adopt a final millage rate and budget was duly advertised in compliance with Florida Statutes Section 200.065 and Florida Statutes Chapter 50.
- 1.04 This resolution was adopted at a duly noticed public meeting held after 5:00 p.m. on a weekday.

SECTION 2 – CERTIFICATION AND ADOPTION

- 2.01 The general municipal millage rate and tax levy for the City of North Port, Florida is 3.7667 mills, which is \$3.7667 per \$1,000.00 of assessed property within the City. This millage rate is certified to the Property Appraiser and the Tax Collector of Sarasota County, Florida, to be levied for the City’s general government operating and capital purposes for the Fiscal Year.
- 2.02 The general municipal millage rate is 12.12% higher than the rolled-back rate of 3.3594 mills, which is \$3.3594 per \$1,000.00 of assessed property within the City.
- 2.03 The final millage rate adopted in this resolution does not exceed the tentative millage rate adopted in Resolution No. 2023-R-53.

SECTION 3 – CONFLICTS

- 3.01 In the event of any conflict between the provisions of this resolution and any other resolution, in whole or in part, the provisions of this resolution will prevail to the extent of the conflict.

SECTION 4 – SEVERABILITY


- 4.01 If a court of competent jurisdiction finds that any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or provision of this resolution is for any reason invalid or unconstitutional, that provision will be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision and will not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the resolution.

SECTION 5 – EFFECTIVE DATE

- 5.01 This resolution takes effect immediately.

ADOPTED by the City Commission of the City of North Port, Florida in public session on September 21, 2023.

CITY OF NORTH PORT, FLORIDA


BARBARA LANGDON
MAYOR

ATTEST



HEATHER FAUST, MMC
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CORRECTNESS



AMBER L. SLAYTON, B.C.S.
CITY ATTORNEY