

1                                 **RESOLUTION NO. 020349**

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3                                 **PASSED September 9, 2002**

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7                 **A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF**  
8                 **GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA; RELATING TO THE LEVY OF**  
9                 **GENERAL MUNICIPAL PURPOSE AD VALOREM TAXES FOR**  
10                **THE 2002-2003 FISCAL YEAR; ESTABLISHING A PROPOSED**  
11                **MILLAGE RATE; SETTING A PUBLIC HEARING; PROVIDING**  
12                **FOR THE PUBLICATION OF NOTICE; AND PROVIDING AN**  
13                **IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE.**

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16                **WHEREAS**, on July 22, 2002, the City Commission of the City of Gainesville, Florida,  
17                adopted Resolution No. 020221, which approved a proposed tentative general operating and  
18                financial plan for the City of Gainesville, Florida; and

19                **WHEREAS**, on July 22, 2002, the City Commission adopted Resolution No. 020222  
20                approving the proposed millage rate necessary to fund the proposed tentative general purpose  
21                municipal budget; and

22                **WHEREAS**, pursuant to law and utilizing the rates established in the said resolutions on  
23                July 22, 2002, the Alachua County Property Appraiser mailed a Notice of Proposed Property  
24                Taxes to each taxpayer listed on the current year's assessment roll; and

25                **WHEREAS**, the said Notice of Proposed Property Taxes advised the recipients of a  
26                public hearing to be conducted by the City Commission for consideration of its tentative general  
27                operating and financial plan budget and the proposed millage necessary to fund the said budget;  
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29                **WHEREAS**, the public hearing has been held as specified in the Notice of Proposed  
30                Property Taxes and in accordance with applicable law; and

1           **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE**  
2 **CITY OF GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA:**

3           1. The proposed operating millage rate of 4.9416 mills to fund the amended tentative  
4 general operating and financial plan budget for the City of Gainesville's 2002-2003 fiscal year is  
5 hereby approved for further consideration in accordance with applicable law.

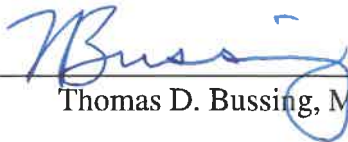
6           2. The general fund operating millage rate approved herein is more than the rolled-back  
7 rate by .2712 mills which results in a 5.81% increase in property taxes.

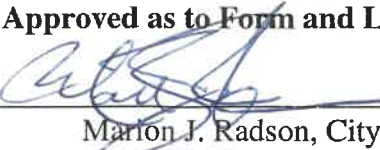
8           3. A public hearing will be held to consider the final millage rate and budget for general  
9 municipal purposes on Monday, the 23rd day of September, 2002, at 6:00 p.m., or as soon  
10 thereafter as the matter may be heard, in the City Hall Auditorium on the first floor of City Hall,  
11 200 East University Avenue, City of Gainesville, Florida.


12           4. The City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and publish all  
13 necessary and required notices prior to the hearing established herein, and to provide copies of  
14 this resolution to all parties as may be required by applicable law.

15           5. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

16           **PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9th day of September 2002.**

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20 Thomas D. Bussing, Mayor

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22 **Approved as to Form and Legality:**  
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24 Marlon J. Radson, City Attorney

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26 ATTEST:  
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29 Kurt M. Lannon, Clerk of the Commission

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