

**Legislative #  
160304**

1 RESOLUTION NO. 160304

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6 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF  
7 THE CITY OF GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA; RELATING  
8 TO THE LEVY OF GENERAL MUNICIPAL PURPOSE  
9 AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE 2016-2017 FISCAL  
10 YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2016 AND ENDING  
11 SEPTEMBER 30, 2017; ADOPTING THE FINAL  
12 MILLAGE RATE; DIRECTING THE TRANSMITTAL  
13 OF CERTIFIED COPIES; AUTHORIZING A  
14 SPECIFIED ADJUSTMENT TO THE FINAL  
15 MILLAGE RATE; AND PROVIDING AN  
16 IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE.  
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19 WHEREAS, on July 28, 2016, the City Commission of the City of Gainesville, Florida  
20 adopted Resolution No. 160160 which approved a Proposed Tentative General Government  
21 Financial and Operating Plan Budget for the City of Gainesville, Florida; and

22 WHEREAS, on July 28, 2016, the City Commission adopted Resolution No. 160159  
23 approving the proposed millage rate necessary to fund the Proposed Tentative General  
24 Government Financial and Operating Plan Budget; and

25 WHEREAS, pursuant to law and utilizing the rate established in Resolution No. 160159,  
26 on or about August 15, 2016, the Alachua County Property Appraiser mailed a Notice of  
27 Proposed Property Taxes to each taxpayer listed on the current year's assessment roll; and

28 WHEREAS, the said Notice of Proposed Property Taxes advised the recipients of a  
29 public hearing to be conducted by the City Commission for consideration of its Tentative  
30 General Government Financial and Operating Plan Budget and the tentative millage rate  
31 necessary to fund the said budget; and

1           **WHEREAS**, on September 8, 2016, the City Commission held the public hearing has  
2 been held as specified in the Notice of Proposed Property Taxes and in accordance with  
3 applicable law; and

4           **WHEREAS**, on September 8, 2016, the City Commission of the City of Gainesville,  
5 Florida, adopted Resolution No. 160302 approving a tentative millage rate necessary to fund the  
6 Amended Tentative General Government Financial and Operating Plan Budget;

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8           **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE**  
9 **CITY OF GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA:**

10           **Section 1.** The final operating millage rate of 4.5079 mills to fund the Final General  
11 Government Financial and Operating Plan Budget for the City of Gainesville's 2016-2017 fiscal  
12 year is approved.

13           **Section 2.** The General Fund operating millage rate approved herein is more than the  
14 rolled-back rate of 4.4057 mills, which results in a 2.32% increase in property taxes.

15           **Section 3.** The City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to transmit copies of this  
16 Resolution, as well as any other forms or documents required by law, to the Alachua County  
17 Property Appraiser, Alachua County Tax Collector, and the Florida Dept. of Revenue within  
18 three (3) days after the adoption of this Resolution.

19           **Section 4.** In the event the City is notified by the Alachua County Property Appraiser of  
20 an aggregate change in the assessment roll of more than one (1) percent pursuant to Section  
21 200.065(6), Florida Statutes, then the millage rate adopted in Section 1 of this Resolution may be  
22 adjusted in accordance with Section 200.065(6), Florida Statutes. The City Manager is hereby  
23 authorized to compute the adjustments as provided in Section 200.065(6) and administratively  
24 adjust the millage rates. The City Manager is also authorized and directed to execute an official

1 notification of the millage adjustment and shall deliver the same to the Alachua County Property  
2 Appraiser within three (3) days of the receipt of any notice of aggregate change in the assessment  
3 roll.

4 **Section 5.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

5 **PASSED AND ADOPTED**, this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016.

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Lauren Poe, Mayor

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**Approved as to Form and Legality:**

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Nicolle M. Shalley, City Attorney

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16 **ATTEST:**

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Kurt M. Lannon, Clerk of the Commission