

APPENDIX A
PROOF OF PUBLICATION

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COUNTY OF ALACHUA

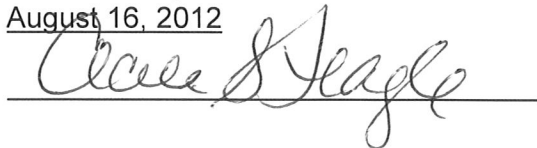
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Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Bruce Lawton who on oath says that she is the Account Executive of THE GAINESVILLE SUN, a daily newspaper published at Gainesville in Alachua County, Florida, and that the **City Manager Fire Assessments** advertisements were published in said newspaper in the issues of Monday August 13th, 2012 says that the said THE GAINESVILLE SUN is a newspaper published at Gainesville, in said Alachua County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Alachua County, each day, and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in Gainesville, in said Alachua County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant further says that he/she has neither paid nor promised any person, firm or corporation any discount for publication in the said newspaper.



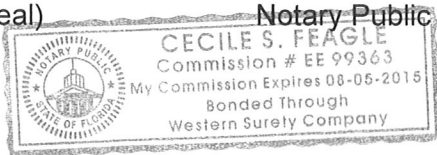
Sworn to and subscribed before me this

August 16, 2012



(Seal)

Notary Public



NOTICE OF HEARING TO IMPOSE AND PROVIDE FOR COLLECTION OF FIRE SERVICES SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

Notice is hereby given that the City Commission of the City of Gainesville, Florida, will conduct a public hearing to consider the imposition of annual fire special assessments for the provision of fire services within the municipal boundaries of the City of Gainesville and collection of these assessments pursuant to the tax bill collection method.

The hearing will be held at 6:00 PM on September 10, 2012, or as soon thereafter as may be heard, in the Commission Chambers of City Hall, 200 E. University Avenue, Gainesville, Florida, for the purpose of receiving public comment on the proposed assessments. All affected property owners have a right to appear at the hearing and to file written objections with the City Commission within 20 days of this notice. If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the City Commission with respect to any matter considered at the hearing, such person will need a record of the proceedings and may need to ensure that a verbatim record is made, including the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be made. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons needing a special accommodation or an interpreter to participate in this proceeding should contact the Equal Opportunity Office at (352) 334-5051, at least two days prior to the date of the hearing.

The assessment for each parcel of property will be based upon each parcel's classification and the total number of fire protection units attributed to that parcel.

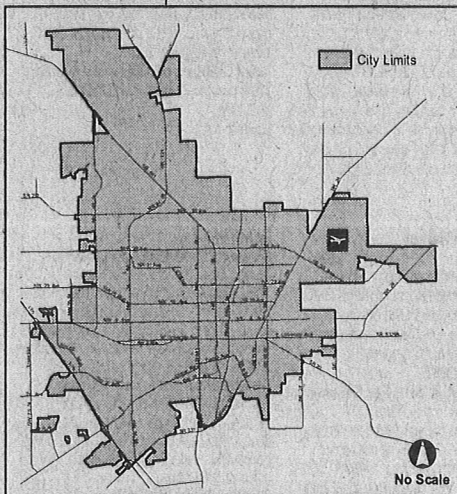
The City Commission on July 17, 2012 adopted a Preliminary Rate Resolution setting the proposed fire services assessments to be assessed for the fiscal year beginning October 2012 and future fiscal years as follows:

\$78.00 Per Net Factored Fire Protection Unit

Copies of the Fire Services Assessment Ordinance, the Preliminary Assessment Resolution and the Preliminary Assessment Roll are available for inspection at the City Manager's Office, City Hall, located at 200 E. University Avenue, Gainesville, Florida.

The fire service non-ad valorem assessment will be collected by the tax collector and placed on the ad valorem tax bill to be mailed in November 2012 and each year that the assessment is imposed. Failure to pay the assessments will cause a tax certificate to be issued against the property which may result in a loss of title.

If you have any questions, please contact the Gainesville Fire Assessment Information Line at (352) 334-5088, Monday through Thursday between 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.



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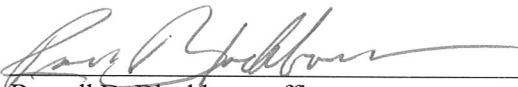
APPENDIX B
PROOF OF MAILING

AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Russell D. Blackburn, who, after being duly sworn, deposes and says:

I am the City Manager for the City of Gainesville, Florida (the "City"). Pursuant to Section 200.069(10)(a), Florida Statutes, and with agreement of the Property Appraiser, the City Commission elected to combine notice of the public hearing authorized by the Preliminary Rate Resolution with the truth-in-millage notification required pursuant to Section 200.069, Florida Statutes. Such mailed notice in the form required by Section 200.069(10)(a), Florida Statutes, and consistent with the Uniform Assessment Collection Act and the Ordinance, for the purpose of imposing Fire Services Special Assessments for the Fiscal Year beginning October 1, 2012 was in fact mailed to all affected property owners by the Alachua County Property Appraiser prior to or on the 15th of August, 2012.


FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.




Russell D. Blackburn, affiant

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF ALACHUA

The foregoing Affidavit of Mailing was sworn to and subscribed before me this 22nd day of August, 2012 by Russell D. Blackburn, City Manager, City of Gainesville, Florida. He is personally known to me or has produced N/A as identification and did take an oath.

NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF FLORIDA
 Kimberly A. Sweigard
Commission #DD817770
Expires: AUG. 26, 2012
BONDED THRU ATLANTIC BONDING CO., INC.



Printed Name: Kimberly A Sweigard
Notary Public, State of Florida At Large
My Commission Expires: 8-26-12
Commission No.: DD817770

APPENDIX C
FORM OF CERTIFICATE TO
NON-AD VALOREM ASSESSMENT ROLL

**CERTIFICATE
TO
NON-AD VALOREM ASSESSMENT ROLL**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that, I am the Mayor of the City of Gainesville, or authorized agent of the City of Gainesville, Florida (the "City"); as such I have satisfied myself that all property included or includable on the non-ad valorem assessment roll for fire services (the "Non-Ad Valorem Assessment Roll") for the City is properly assessed so far as I have been able to ascertain; and that all required extensions on the above described roll to show the non-ad valorem assessments attributable to the property listed therein have been made pursuant to law.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that, in accordance with the Uniform Assessment Collection Act, this certificate and the herein described Non-Ad Valorem Assessment Roll will be delivered to the Alachua County Tax Collector by September 15, 2012.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have subscribed this certificate and directed the same to be delivered to the Alachua County Tax Collector and made part of the above described Non-Ad Valorem Assessment Roll this _____ day of September, 2012.

CITY OF GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA

By: _____
CRAIG LOWE, Mayor

[to be delivered to Tax Collector prior to September 15]

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have subscribed this certificate and directed the same to be delivered to the Alachua County Tax Collector and made part of the above described Non-Ad Valorem Assessment Roll this 10th day of September, 2012.

CITY OF GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA

By: 
CRAIG LOWE, Mayor

[to be delivered to Tax Collector prior to September 15]