



MEMORANDUM

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TO: Mayor and City Commission

DATE: September 12, 2005

FROM: City Attorney

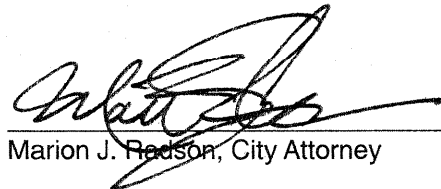
PUBLIC HEARING

SUBJECT: A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA; RELATING TO THE LEVY OF GENERAL MUNICIPAL PURPOSE AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE 2005-2006 FISCAL YEAR; ESTABLISHING A PROPOSED MILLAGE RATE; SETTING A PUBLIC HEARING; PROVIDING FOR THE PUBLICATION OF NOTICE; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE.

Recommendation: The City Commission adopt the proposed resolution.

The City Commission is required by Florida Law to adopt a final millage rate to fund the budget for FY 2005-2006.

Prepared and
submitted by:



Marion J. Redson, City Attorney

Attachment

1 RESOLUTION NO. _____

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3 PASSED _____

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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 2005-2006 FISCAL
10 YEAR; ESTABLISHING A PROPOSED MILLAGE
11 RATE; SETTING A PUBLIC HEARING; PROVIDING
12 FOR THE PUBLICATION OF NOTICE; AND
13 PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE.
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16 WHEREAS, on July 25, 2005, the City Commission of the City of Gainesville, Florida
17 adopted Resolution No. 050186 which approved a Proposed Tentative General Government
18 Financial and Operating Plan Budget for the City of Gainesville, Florida; and

19 WHEREAS, on July 25, 2005, the City Commission adopted Resolution No. 050188
20 approving the proposed millage rate necessary to fund the Proposed Tentative General
21 Government Financial and Operating Plan Budget; and

22 WHEREAS, pursuant to law and utilizing the rate established in the said resolution on or
23 about August 12, 2005, the Alachua County Property Appraiser mailed a Notice of Proposed
24 Property 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 Amended
27 Tentative General Government Financial and Operating Plan Budget and the proposed millage
28 necessary to fund the said budget; and

29 WHEREAS, the public hearing has been held as specified in the Notice of Proposed
30 Property Taxes and in accordance with applicable law;

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

3 **Section 1.** The proposed operating millage rate of 4.9416 mills to fund the Amended
4 Tentative General Government Financial and Operating Plan Budget for the City of Gainesville's
5 2005-2006 fiscal year is hereby approved for further consideration in accordance with applicable
6 law.

7 **Section 2.** The General Fund operating millage rate approved herein is more than the
8 rolled-back rate by .4539 mill, which results in a 10.11% increase in property taxes.

9 **Section 3.** A public hearing will be held to consider the final millage rate and budget for
10 general municipal purpose on Monday, the 26th day of September, 2005, at 6:00 p.m. or as soon
11 thereafter as the matter may be heard, in the City Hall Auditorium on the first floor of City Hall,
12 200 East University Avenue, Gainesville, Florida.

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

16 **Section 4.** This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.
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PASSED AND ADOPTED, this _____ day of September, 2005.

Pegeen Hanrahan, Mayor

Approved as to Form and Legality:

Marion J. Radson, City Attorney

ATTEST:

Kurt M. Lannon, Clerk of the Commission