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Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, September 3, 2024

5:01 PM

First Budget Hearing

Broward Center for the Performing Arts - Mary N. Porter Riverview
Ballroom - 201 SW 5th Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33312

CITY COMMISSION - SPECIAL MEETING

FORT LAUDERDALE CITY COMMISSION

DEAN J. TRANTALIS Mayor

STEVEN GLASSMAN Vice Mayor - Commissioner - District II

JOHN C. HERBST Commissioner - District I

PAM BEASLEY-PITTMAN Commissioner - District III

WARREN STURMAN Commissioner - District IV

SUSAN GRANT, Acting City Manager

DAVID R. SOLOMAN, City Clerk

THOMAS J. ANSBRO, City Attorney

PATRICK REILLY, City Auditor

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Trantalis called the meeting to order at 5:01 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Present 5 - Vice Mayor Steven Glassman, Commissioner Pam Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Warren Sturman, Commissioner John C. Herbst, and Mayor Dean J. Trantalis

COMMISSION QUORUM ESTABLISHED

Also Present: Acting City Manager Susan Grant, City Clerk David R. Soloman, City Attorney Thomas J. Ansbro, and City Auditor Patrick Reilly

FIRST BUDGET HEARING

BGT-1 [24-0653](#)

Resolutions Adopting the Fiscal Year 2025 Sunrise Key Neighborhood Improvement District Tentative Millage Rate and Tentative Budget - (1) Tentative Millage Rate (1.0000) and (2) Tentative Budget (\$201,660) - (Commission District 2)

Mayor Trantalis opened the public hearing.

There being no one wishing to speak on this Agenda items, Commissioner Herbst made a motion to close the public hearing and was seconded by Vice Mayor Glassman. Roll call showed AYES: Vice Mayor Glassman, Commissioner Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, and Mayor Trantalis

Mayor Trantalis and Acting City Manager Grant read their respective portions of the BGT-1 budget script.

A copy of the budget script is attached to these Meeting Minutes.

Commissioner Herbst introduced this Resolution which was read by title only.

ADOPTED - Tentative Millage Rate

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Glassman, Commissioner Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst and Mayor Trantalis

Vice Mayor Glassman introduced the Resolution which was read by title only.

ADOPTED - Tentative Budget

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Glassman, Commissioner Beasley-Pittman,
Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst and Mayor Trantalis

BGT-2 [24-0654](#)

Resolution Adopting the Fiscal Year 2025 Tentative Millage Rate (4.1193) for the City of Fort Lauderdale - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)

Mayor Trantalis opened the public hearing.

Mayor Trantalis and Acting City Manager Grant read their respective portions of the BGT-2 budget script.

A copy of the budget script is attached to these Meeting Minutes.

There being no one wishing to speak on this Agenda items, Commissioner Herbst made a motion to close the public hearing and was seconded by Commissioner Sturman. Roll call showed AYES: Vice Mayor Glassman, Commissioner Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, and Mayor Trantalis

Commissioner Sturman introduced this Resolution which was read by title only.

ADOPTED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Glassman, Commissioner Beasley-Pittman,
Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst and Mayor Trantalis

BGT-3 [24-0655](#)

Resolution Tentatively Approving and Adopting a Five-Year Community Investment Plan for the Period Beginning October 1, 2024, and Ending September 30, 2029 - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)

Mayor Trantalis opened the public hearing.

Mayor Trantalis read the BGT-3 budget script.

A copy of the budget script is attached to these Meeting Minutes.

There being no one wishing to speak on this item, Commissioner Beasley-Pittman made a motion to close the public hearing and was seconded by Vice Mayor Glassman. Roll call showed AYES: Vice Mayor Glassman, Commissioner Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, and Mayor Trantalis

Commissioner Herbst introduced this Resolution which was read by title only.

ADOPTED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Glassman, Commissioner Beasley-Pittman,
Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst and Mayor Trantalis

BGT-4 [24-0656](#)

Resolution Adopting the Fiscal Year 2025 Tentative Budget and
Personnel Complement for the City of Fort Lauderdale - (Commission
Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)

Mayor Trantalis opened the public hearing.

Mayor Trantalis noted a scrivener's error on Exhibit 6 of BGT-4.

***A copy of the revised Exhibit is attached to these Meeting
Minutes.***

Mayor Trantalis and Acting City Manager Grant read their respective
portions of the BGT-4 budget script.

A copy of the budget script is attached to these Meeting Minutes.

There being no one wishing to speak on this item, Commissioner
Sturman made a motion to close the public hearing and was seconded
by Commissioner Herbst . Roll call showed AYES: Vice Mayor
Glassman, Commissioner Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman,
Commissioner Herbst, and Mayor Trantalis

Commissioner Herbst introduced this Resolution which was read by title
only.

ADOPTED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Glassman, Commissioner Beasley-Pittman,
Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst and Mayor Trantalis

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Trantalis adjourned the meeting at 5:20 p.m.

Dean J. Trantalis
Mayor

ATTEST:

David R. Soloman
City Clerk