

- TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the Fort Lauderdale City Commission
- FROM: Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager
- **DATE**: July 10, 2018
- TITLE: Resolution Setting the FY 2019 Proposed Millage Rate and Debt Service Rate for the City of Fort Lauderdale, Setting the Millage Rate for the Sunrise Key Neighborhood Improvement District, and Acknowledging the Receipt of the City Manager's Budget Message and Proposed Budget

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission adopt a resolution acknowledging receipt of the City Manager's budget message, estimates and recommendations, together with a Proposed Budget for FY 2019, setting the proposed millage rate for the FY 2019 Budget at 4.1193 per \$1,000 of taxable value and the debt service rate at .0640 per \$1,000 of taxable value, setting the FY 2019 proposed millage rate for the Sunrise Key Neighborhood Improvement District at 1.000 per \$1,000 of taxable value, and authorizing the City Manager to compute the rolled back rate and execute all appropriate instruments in order to advise the Broward County Property Appraiser of such millage rates and rolled-back rate.

Background

Per Section 9.02 of the City Charter, the City Manager is required to submit to the City Commission his budget message, estimates and recommendations, together with a proposed budget for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2018.

The FY 2019 Proposed Budget includes a millage rate of 4.1193 per \$1,000 of taxable value. This millage supports the FY 2019 Proposed General Fund Operating Budget of \$362,553,864. The total proposed (tentative) budget for the City of Fort Lauderdale is \$790,341,082 which includes all transfers, reserves, and balances.

In addition, the proposed operating budget includes a debt service millage rate of .0640. This debt service millage covers the following: .0307 per \$1,000 of taxable value for debt service on the General Obligation Bonds Series 2015 and .0333 per \$1,000 of taxable value for debt service on the General Obligation Bonds Series 2011A.

The Sunrise Key Neighborhood Improvement District board met on April 30, 2018 and approved a proposed millage rate of 1.0000 per \$1,000 of taxable value. This revenue supports the Sunrise Key Neighborhood Improvement District's proposed expenditure budget of \$129,200. Pursuant to Section 163.5151, Florida Statutes, the City Commission may approve, disapprove, or modify the budget or millage submitted by the Sunrise Key Neighborhood Improvement District.

Resource Impact

There is no fiscal impact associated with this action.

Strategic Connections

This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2018* initiative, included within the **Internal Support Cylinder**, specifically advancing:

- Goal 12: Be a leading government organization, managing our resources wisely and sustainably.
- Objective 1: Ensure sound fiscal management

Attachments

Exhibit 1 - City Manager's Budget Message Exhibit 2 - FY 2019 Proposed Budget Exhibit 3 - FY 2019 – FY 2023 Proposed Community Investment Plan (CIP) Exhibit 4 - Minutes from Sunrise Key Neighborhood Improvement District Exhibit 5 - Resolution

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