

STATE OF GEORGIA  
COUNTY OF CLAYTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-\_\_\_\_

**A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY OF FOREST PARK, GEORGIA COUNCILMEMBERS KIMBERLY JAMES, DELORES A. GUNN, HECTOR GUTIERREZ, LATRESA AKINS-WELLS, AND ALLAN MEARS TO APPROVE THE ADOPTION OF THE 2025 MILLAGE RATE FROM THE CITY’S FINANCE DEPARTMENT.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Forest Park, Georgia (“City”) is a municipal corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Georgia; and

**WHEREAS**, the City has tentatively adopted a 2025 millage rate of 16.74 mills; and

**WHEREAS**, although the millage rate remains the same as the prior year, increases in assessed property values will result in an effective property tax increase of approximately 1.21 percent; and

**WHEREAS**, O.C.G.A. § 48-5-32 requires the City to hold three public hearings to receive input from the public before final adoption of the millage rate; and

**WHEREAS**, the three public hearings shall be held at City Hall on September 2, 2025 at 7:00 p.m., September 15, 2025 at 6:00 p.m., and September 15, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council have caused public notice of said hearings to be published in the City’s legal organ and posted at City Hall; and

**WHEREAS**, the approval of this millage rate is necessary for the safety, health, and welfare of the City’s citizens.

**THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF FOREST PARK, GEORGIA HEREBY RESOLVES:**

**Section 1. Approval.** The Department’s request to adopt the 2025 millage rate of 16.74 mills, which constitutes a property tax increase of 1.21 percent as presented to the Mayor and Council on September 15, 2025, is hereby approved.

**Section 2. Public Record.** This document shall be maintained as a public record by the City Clerk (“Clerk”) and shall be accessible to the public during all normal business hours of the City.

**Section 3. Authorization of Execution.** The Mayor is hereby authorized to sign all documents necessary to effectuate this Resolution.

**Section 4. Attestation.** The Clerk is authorized to execute, attest to, and seal any documents necessary to effectuate this Resolution, subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney.

**Section 5. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Forest Park as provided in the City Charter.

**SO RESOLVED** this 15th day of September 2025.

**CITY OF FOREST PARK, GEORGIA**

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Angelyne Butler, *Mayor*

**ATTEST:**

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(SEAL)  
*City Clerk*

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

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*City Attorney*