



RESOLUTION NO. 2026-014

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF HIGHLAND BEACH, FLORIDA, ADOPTING A FINAL MILLAGE RATE OF 3.4227 MILS FOR THE TOWN'S GENERAL OPERATING FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2026, AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2027; PROVIDING THAT THE FINAL MILLAGE RATE OF 3.4227 MILS IS 4.4143 PERCENT GREATER THAN THE COMPUTED ROLLED BACK RATE OF 3.2780 MILS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, CONFLICTS, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town Manager has made a recommendation as to the amount necessary to be appropriated for the fiscal year commencing October 1, 2026, and ending September 30, 2027, and the Town Commission has reviewed and considered a final budget for the upcoming fiscal year, with detailed information, including revenues to be derived from sources other than the ad valorem levy; and

WHEREAS, having conducting all required advertised public hearings, the Town Commission determines that the adoption of this Resolution is in the best interests of the Town and its residents.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF HIGHLAND BEACH, FLORIDA:

Section 1. The final millage rate necessary to be levied against ad valorem valuation of property subject to taxation in the Town of Highland Beach, Florida, to produce a sufficient sum which together with departmental and other revenues will be sufficient to pay for appropriations made in the budget for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2026, and ending September 30, 2027, is hereby set at 3.4227 mils, plus 0.1648 for voted debt service, for a final millage rate of 3.5875.

Section 2. The final operating millage rate of 3.4227 is 4.4143 percent greater than the computed rolled-back rate of 3.2780.

Section 3. If any clause, section, or other parts of this Resolution shall be held by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, such unconstitutional or invalid part shall be considered as eliminated and shall in no way affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Resolution.

Section 4. All resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 5. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon passage and shall be implemented as of October 1, 2026.

DONE AND DULY ADOPTED by the Town Commission of the Town of Highland Beach, Florida, this ____ day of _____, 2026.

Natasha Moore, Mayor

ATTEST:

**REVIEWED FOR LEGAL
SUFFICIENCY:**

Lanelda Gaskins, MMC
Town Clerk

Leonard Rubin, Town Attorney
Town of Highland Beach

VOTES:

Mayor Natasha Moore
Vice Mayor David Stern
Commissioner Donald Peters
Commissioner Judith M. Goldberg
Commissioner Jason Chudnofsky

YES NO