## **RESOLUTION NO. 2024-66**

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA, ESTABLISHING THE TENTATIVE MILLAGE FOR THE TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA, PURSUANT TO THE BUDGET SUMMARY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2024-2025, IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 200, FLORIDA STATUTES, AS AMENDED; SETTING FORTH THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE FOR THE SECOND AND FINAL PUBLIC HEARING TO ADOPT THE TOWN'S MILLAGE RATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2024-2025 AND DIRECTING PUBLICATION OF NOTICE THEREOF; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the tentative budget has been prepared, estimating the expenses and revenues for the Town of Loxahatchee Groves, Florida (the "Town"), for the ensuing year, with detailed information, including revenues to be derived from sources other than ad valorem levy, and also containing certain recommendations as to the amounts necessary to be appropriate for funding the activities of the Town for the ensuing year; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Chapter 200, Florida Statutes, as amended (the "Statute"), a method is prescribed for fixing the millage for the purpose of establishing the basis for the collection of said funds; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town, pursuant to Florida law, desires to set its tentative millage rate for the Fiscal Year 2024-2025 General Fund Budget at 3.00 mills, an increase of 10.9% from the rolled-back millage rate of 2.7048 mills, and to set the second public hearing for adoption of the Town's millage rate for the Fiscal Year 2024-2025 for September 18, 2024.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA, THAT:

- **Section 1.** Each "WHEREAS" clause set forth above is true and correct and herein incorporated by this reference.
- Section 2. The Town Council, pursuant to Florida law, conducted its first duly noticed public hearing to establish its proposed annual millage for the Fiscal Year 2024/2025 on September 3, 2024, at 6:30 p.m. at the Town Hall, in the Town of Loxahatchee Groves, Florida.
- <u>Section 3.</u> The Town Council hereby sets its tentative millage rate for the Fiscal Year 2024/2025 at 3.00 mills, an increase of 10.9% from the rolled-back millage rate of 2.7048 mills.
- Section 4. Pursuant to the Statute, the Town Council shall conduct its second and final public hearing to adopt its annual millage rate for the Fiscal Year 2024/2025 on September 18, 2024, at 6:30 p.m., at the Town Hall, 155 "F" Road, and Town of Loxahatchee Groves, Florida.

The Town Manager and the Town Clerk are herein authorized and Section 5. directed to prepare and publish the necessary advertisements for the public hearing scheduled in Section 4 herein. Section 6. If any clause, section, or other part 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. All resolutions or parts of resolutions may conflict herewith are Section 7. hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its Section 8. adoption. Councilmember \_\_\_\_\_ offered the foregoing resolution. Councilmember seconded the motion. ADOPTED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA, THIS 3rd DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2024. TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, **FLORIDA** ATTEST: Voted: Mayor Anita Kane, Seat 3 Town Clerk Vice Mayor Margaret Herzog, Seat 5 Voted: APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM: Councilmember Phillis Maniglia, Seat 1 *Vot<u>ed:</u>*\_\_\_\_\_ Office of the Town Attorney Councilmember Laura Danowski, Seat 2

Voted:

Councilmember Robert Shorr, Seat 4