

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF
THE TOWN OF FORT MYERS BEACH, FLORIDA
RESOLUTION NUMBER 04-28

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF FORT MYERS BEACH, FLORIDA, TO ESTABLISH AND LEVY TENTATIVE AD VALOREM TAXES WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE TOWN OF FORT MYERS BEACH, FOR THE TAX YEAR 2005, PROVIDING AUTHORITY; LEVY OF AD VALOREM TAXES IN THE AMOUNT OF 1.0000 MILLS (\$1.0000 PER \$1,000) BASED ON THE ASSESSED VALUE ON NON-EXEMPT REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE TOWN OF FORT MYERS BEACH; PROVIDING MANNER OF ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town of Fort Myers Beach, incorporated under Chapter 95-494, Laws of Florida, which by Section 11.03, provides for the adoption of a budget; and,

WHEREAS, the Town Council held the required public hearings.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FORT MYERS BEACH, FLORIDA:

SECTION ONE: Authority. This Resolution is enacted pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 95-494, Laws of Florida, Chapter 166, Florida Statutes, and other applicable provisions of law.

SECTION TWO: Levy of Tentative Ad Valorem Taxes in the Amount of 1.0000 Mills (\$1.0000 Per \$1,000) based on the assessed value on non-exempt real and personal property located within the limits of the Town of Fort Myers Beach.

That the Town Council of the Town of Fort Myers Beach does hereby tentatively establish and fix ad valorem taxes for the taxable year 2005 in the amount of 1.0000 mills, \$1.0000 for each \$1,000 of assessed valuation, less exemptions. The tentative millage rate levied is more than the roll-back rate of 0.8870 mills by 0.1130 mills computed pursuant to Florida Law and amounts to a 12.74% increase in property taxes. The increase in revenue will be used for traffic mitigation solutions.

SECTION THREE: Manner of Assessment and Collection. That the tentative levy of taxes provided for by this Resolution shall be based on the assessed value of all non-exempt real and personal property assessed and established pursuant to law by the Lee County Property Appraiser for the year 2004 and shall be collected as provided by law. When collected, taxes fixed and levied by this resolution shall be used for all lawful purposes for the Fiscal Year beginning October 1, 2004, and ending September 30, 2005, for the Town of Fort Myers Beach, Florida.

SECTION FOUR: Effective Date. This resolution shall become effective upon adoption.

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Fort Myers Beach Town Council upon being put to a vote, the result was as follows:

Howard Rynearson	<u>Aye</u>
Don Massucco	<u>Nay</u>
Bill Thomas	<u>Aye</u>
W. H. "Bill" Van Duzer	<u>Aye</u>
Garr Reynolds	<u>Nay</u>

Adopted this 4th day of October, 2004.

ATTEST:

By: Marsha Segal-George
Marsha Segal-George, Town Clerk

TOWN OF FORT MYERS BEACH

By: Bill Thomas
Bill Thomas, Mayor

Approved as to form by:

Richard V.S. Roosa
Richard V.S. Roosa, Town Attorney