

ST. JOHNS COUNTY

ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

District 1 – Cyndi Stevenson

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District 5 – Rachael L. Bennett, Vice-Chair



SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA

County Auditorium

500 San Sebastian View

Michael D. Wanchick, County Administrator

Patrick F. McCormack, County Attorney

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2014 – 5:01 P.M.

❖*Please be sure all cellular devices are turned off for the duration of the County Commission Meeting*❖

SPECIAL MEETING

- ❖ Call to Order by Chair
- ❖ Roll Call by the Clerk of the Court
- ❖ Invocation
- ❖ Pledge of Allegiance
- ❖ Public Comment
- ❖ Additions/Deletions to Special Meeting Agenda
- ❖ Approval of Special Meeting Agenda

Presenter – Doug Timms, Director of Management & Budget

- 1. Adoption of Final Millage Rates & Budget for Fiscal Year 2015.** Florida Statutes 129.03 and 200.065 require the Board of County Commissioners (BCC) to adopt its millage rates and budget for the next Fiscal Year (FY) at a Public Hearing. That hearing must be held after 5:00 PM if scheduled on a day other than Saturday. The September 3rd, 5:01 PM hearing date has been noticed, as required, in the recent mailing of Notices of Proposed Property Taxes (TRIM) by the County's Property Appraiser. Florida Statutes prescribe a specific order for the consideration of items at the Public Hearing. Due to possible revisions from updated information, the specific order and detail of the prescribed items will be provided at the meeting. The first substantive issue of discussion must be the percentage increase in the County's aggregate millage rate over the Rolled-back Rate. The Rolled-back Rate is defined as the aggregate millage rate that would generate the same level of prior year tax revenues less certain defined allowances (such as new construction). The general public shall be allowed to speak and to ask questions prior to adoption of any measures by the BCC. The BCC shall adopt by resolution its tentative millage rates prior to adopting its tentative budget for FY 2015. The BCC will also need to establish a date, time and place of a Public Hearing for its final millage and budget adoption for FY 2015. It is recommended that the BCC establish Wednesday, September 17, 2014 at 5:01 PM in the County Auditorium for its Final Hearing.

- ❖ **Commissioners' Reports**
- ❖ **County Administrator's Report**
- ❖ **County Attorney's Report**
- ❖ **Clerk of Court's Report**

End of Special Meeting Agenda