RESOLUTION 2008-146

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE FINAL LEVY OF AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE CITY OF MARATHON OF MONROE COUNTY, FLORIDA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2008-2009

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 200.065, *Florida Statutes* the City of Marathon, Florida (the "City") has established a proposed millage rate; and

WHEREAS, the gross taxable value for operating purposes not exempt from taxation within Monroe County has been certified by the County Property Appraiser to the City as \$2,913,713,340; and

WHEREAS, on September 4, 2008, the City Council held a public hearing to consider any adjustment of its proposed millage rate, to adopt a tentative millage rate, and to adopt a tentative operating budget for Fiscal Year 2008-2009 (the "FY 2008-2009"), in accordance with Section 200.065(2)(c), *Florida Statutes* and

WHEREAS, on September 11, 2008, the City Council held a public hearing to consider any adjustment of its tentative millage rate, to adopt a final millage rate and to adopt a final operating budget for FY 2008-2009, in accordance with Section 200.065(2)(d), Florida Statutes.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The FY 2008-2009 final operating millage rate for the City is 1.500 mills, which is less than the rolled-back rate of 1.5363 mills by 2.36%.

Section 2. This resolution shall be effective immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 11th day of September, 2008 at 6:18 P.M.

THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA

Edward P. Worthington, Mayor

AYES:

Tempest, Bull, Cinque, Worthington

NOES:

Vasil None

ABSENT: ABSTAIN:

None

ATTEST:

Diane Clavier

City Clerk

(City Seal)

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY FOR THE USE AND RELIANCE OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA ONLY:

City Attorney