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**CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA
RESOLUTION 2015-74**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF MARATHON, FLORIDA; DETERMINING THE PROPOSED MILLAGE RATE, AND THE CURRENT YEAR ROLLED-BACK RATE, AND THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE FOR THE FIRST AND SECOND BUDGET PUBLIC HEARINGS AS REQUIRED BY LAW; DIRECTING THE FINANCE DIRECTOR TO FILE SAID RESOLUTION WITH THE PROPERTY APPRAISER OF MONROE COUNTY PURSUANT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF FLORIDA STATUTES AND THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, on July 1, 2015, the Honorable Scott P. Russell, Property Appraiser of Monroe County, Florida (the "Property Appraiser"), served upon the City of Marathon (the "City"), a "Certification of Taxable Value" certifying to the City its 2015 taxable value; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed the taxable value supplied by the Property Appraiser in accordance with Section 200.065, *Florida Statutes*, et seq.; and

WHEREAS, the provisions of Section 200.065, *Florida Statutes*, requires that within thirty-five (35) days of service of the Certification of Taxable Value upon a municipality, said municipality shall be required to furnish to the Property Appraiser the proposed millage rate, the current year rolled-back rate, and the date, time and place at which a public hearing will be held to consider the proposed millage and the tentative budget; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to announce the dates of the first and second public hearings to the Property Appraiser.

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

Section 1. The proposed millage is declared to be 2.5115 mills, which is \$2.5115 per \$1,000.00 of assessed property within the City of Marathon, Florida. The proposed millage is 15.13% greater than the rolled back rate.

Section 2. The current year rolled-back millage rate, computed pursuant to Section 200.065, *Florida Statutes*, is 2.1814 mills, which is \$2.1814 per \$1,000.00 of assessed value.

Section 3. The maximum millage rate which may be adopted by a majority vote of the governing body, pursuant to Section 200.185, *Florida Statutes*, is 2.5115 mills, which is \$2.5115 per \$ 1,000.00 of assessed value.

Section 4. That the date, time and place of the first and second public hearings are set by the City Council as follows:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Place</u>
September 8, 2015	5:30 p.m.	Marathon Government Center, 2798 Overseas Hwy., 2 nd Floor Marathon, Florida
September 22, 2015	5:30 p.m.	Marathon Government Center, 2798 Overseas Hwy., 2 nd Floor Marathon, Florida

Section 4. The Finance Director is directed to attach the original Certification of Taxable Value to a certified copy of this resolution and serve the same upon the Honorable Scott P. Russell, Property Appraiser of Monroe County on or before July 24, 2015.

Section 5. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, THIS 23rd DAY OF JULY, 2015.

THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA



Chris Bull, Mayor

AYES: Keating, Kelly, Senmartin, Zieg, Bull
NOES: None
ABSENT: None
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