

RESOLUTION NO. 25-XXX

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF OPA-LOCKA, FLORIDA, SETTING THE PROPOSED MILLAGE RATE OF 8.9797 MILLS FOR COMPUTATION OF AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE CITY OF OPA-LOCKA, FLORIDA AS REQUIRED BY LAW FOR THE BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026; ESTABLISHING THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE FOR THE FIRST HEARING TO CONSIDER THE PROPOSED MILLAGE RATE AND PROPOSED BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, Section 200.065, Florida Statutes, provides that a taxing authority shall advise the Property Appraiser and Tax Collector of the proposed millage rate, the current year rolled-back rate and the date, time and place of the first budget hearing, at which time a public hearing will be held to consider the proposed millage rate and the tentative budget for the upcoming fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager of the City of Opa-Locka has recommended a proposed millage rate of rate of 8.9797 mills for Fiscal Year 2025-2026, commencing October 1, 2025 and ending September 30, 2026.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF OPA- LOCKA, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. The recitals to the preamble herein are incorporated by reference.

SECTION 2. The proposed tax levy and millage rate for the City of Opa-Locka, Florida for Fiscal Year 2025-2026, commencing October 1, 2025 and ending September 30, 2026, is hereby proposed to be 8.9797 mills, which is \$8.9797 of property taxes per \$1,000 of assessed property value within the City of Opa-Locka. This represents a 11.25% increase over the rolled-back rate of 8.0720 mills, which is \$8.0720 of property taxes per \$1,000 of assessed property value.

SECTION 3. The date, time and place for the public hearing to consider the above proposed Millage Rate shall be as follows:

PUBLIC HEARING

Date: Wednesday, September 10, 2025

Time: 5:01 p.m.

Place: Commission Chambers, Third Floor, 780 Fisherman Street, Opa-Locka, FL 33054

SECTION 4. This Resolution shall take effect upon the adoption and is subject to the approval of the Governor or Governor's Designee.

PASSED and **ADOPTED** this ____ day of _____, 2025.

John Taylor, Mayor

ATTEST:

Joanna Flores, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

Burnadette Norris-Weeks, P.A.
City Attorney

Moved by: _____

Seconded by: _____

VOTE:

Commissioner Bass	_____
Commissioner Santiago	_____
Commissioner Ervin	_____
Vice Mayor Kelley	_____
Mayor Taylor	_____



City of Opa-locka Agenda Cover Memo

Department Director:	Bob Anathan		Department Director Signature:	ROBERT ANATHAN	
City Manager:	Sha'mecca Lawson		CM Signature:	[Signature]	
Commission Meeting Date:	July 24, 2024		Item Type: (Enter X in box)	Resolution X	Ordinance Other
Fiscal Impact: (Enter X in box) N/A	Yes X	No	Ordinance Reading: (Enter X in box)	1st Reading	2nd Reading
			Public Hearing: (Enter X in box)	Yes	No
				X	X
Funding Source: Account# :	(Enter Fund & Dept) Ex: NA		Advertising Requirement: (Enter X in box)	Yes	No X
Contract/P.O. Required: (Enter X in box)	Yes	No X	RFP/RFQ/Bid#:		
Strategic Plan Related (Enter X in box)	Yes X	No	Strategic Plan Priority Area: Enhance Organizational <input type="checkbox"/> Bus. & Economic Dev <input type="checkbox"/> Public Safety <input type="checkbox"/> Quality of Education <input type="checkbox"/> Qual. of Life & City Image <input type="checkbox"/> Communication <input type="checkbox"/>	Strategic Plan Obj./Strategy: (list the specific objective/strategy this item will address) All areas	
Sponsor Name	City Manager		Department:	City Manager	

Short Title:

Adoption of Preliminary Millage Rate and Establishing Date, Time and Place for First Budget Hearing

Staff Summary:

The City is required to adopt a proposed millage rate, establish the date, time and place for the initial September hearing, to be entered into the State TRIM (Truth in Millage) system no later than August 4, 2025. Staff recommends a millage rate of 8.9797 mills for FY 26.

Staff further recommends that the first budget hearing be conducted at a Special Commission Meeting on Tuesday, September 10th at 6:00 p.m. Although the first City budget hearing is normally conducted prior to the first Regular Commission Meeting in September, the Miami-Dade School Board will be conducting their second budget hearing on September 10th , and the State TRIM Statute prohibits the City from conducting a budget