

ST. JOHNS COUNTY

ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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BOARD MEETING AGENDA

County Auditorium
500 San Sebastian View

Joy Andrews, County Administrator
Rich Komando, Interim County Attorney

Tuesday, September 3, 2024 5:01 PM

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SPECIAL MEETING

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

Presenter: Jesse Dunn, Director, Office of Management & Budget

1. **Public Hearing * 5:01 p.m. Public Hearing -- Adoption of Tentative Millage Rates & Budget for FY 2025.** In accordance with sections 129.03 and 200.065 of the Florida Statutes, the Board of County Commissioners (BCC) is required hold public hearings to adopt its millage rates and budget for the next Fiscal Year (FY). Such hearings must be held after 5:00 PM if scheduled on a day other than Saturday. In the recently mailed Notices of Proposed Property Taxes (TRIM) by the County's Property Appraiser, the date and time noticed for the required hearings is September 3, 2024, at 5:01 P.M. The Florida Statutes further prescribe the specific order for consideration of substantive issues to be discussed during the required public hearings. The first substantive issue of discussion must be the percentage increase in the County's aggregate millage rate over the rolled-back rate necessary to fund the budget. 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). During such discussion, the general public shall be allowed to speak and ask questions prior to the 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 2025. Additionally, the BCC is required to establish a date, time and place to conduct public hearings on the final millage and budget adoption for FY 2025. It is recommended that the BCC establish September 17, 2024 at 5:01 PM in the County Auditorium to conduct such hearings. A copy of the FY 2025 Tentative Budget Workbook, including detail per line item, may be found on the County's webpage at <http://www.sjcf.us/OMB/>

- ❖ Public Comment
- ❖ Commissioners' Reports
- ❖ County Administrator's Report
- ❖ County Attorney's Report