



CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING - FINAL BUDGET HEARING FY 2024-25

City Hall – Council Chamber
405 Bagshaw Way, Edgewood, Florida
Friday, September 27, 2024 at 6:00 PM

DRAFT MINUTES

A. CALL TO ORDER, INVOCATION, & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Council President Horn called the meeting to order at 6:03pm.

B. ROLL CALL & DETERMINATION OF QUORUM

City Clerk Riffle confirmed a quorum with 4 councilmembers and Mayor Dowless present..

Councilmember Steele stated at the first budget hearing that he would be absent and requested to be excused.

Councilmember Rader made a motion to excuse Councilmember Steele's absence; seconded by Councilmember Lomas. Motion approved by voice vote (4/0).

Elected Officials Present

John Dowless, Mayor
Susan Lomas, Councilmember
Casey McElroy, Councilmember
Beth Steele, Councilmember

Staff Present

Sandra Riffle, City Clerk
Dean DeSchryver, Police Chief
Drew Smith, City Attorney

Absent

Beth Steele, Councilmember

C. PUBLIC HEARINGS

- **Ordinance 2024-18 Adopt Millage Rate**

Attorney Smith read Ordinance 2024-16 in title only.

There were no public comments.

Councilmember Rader moved to adopt Ordinance 2024-18, setting the City of Edgewood's millage rate for Fiscal Year 2024/2025 at 5.250 mills, which represents a 6.97 percent increase over the roll-back rate of 4.9077 mills. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Lomas. Approved by roll call vote (4/0).

- **Resolution 2024-04 Adopt Final Budget**

Attorney Smith read Resolution 2024-04 in title only.

There were no public comments.

Councilmember Lomas moved to adopt Resolution 2024-04 adopting the City of Edgewood's budget for fiscal year 2024/2025. The motion was seconded by Councilmember McElroy. Approved by roll call vote (4/0).

D. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 6:08 pm.



Richard A. Horn, Council President

Attest:



Sandra Riffle, City Clerk