

TOWN OF MICANOPY

FINAL BUDGET HEARING MINUTES

September 23, 2026 – 6:03 P.M.

Call to Order

The Final Budget Hearing was called to order at 6:03 p.m. The meeting opened with an invocation and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Commissioners and staff present: Mayor Jiana Williams, Mayor Pro Tem Kevin Putansu, Commissioner Judy Galloway, Commissioner David Massey, Attorney Derek Folds, and Administrator Sara Samario. Commissioner Ken Wessberg absent with notice.

New Business

Resolution 2026-08 – Adoption of Final Millage Rate for Fiscal Year 2026–2027

The Town Commission considered Resolution 2026-08, adopting the final levy of ad valorem taxes at a millage rate of **5.2 mills** for Fiscal Year 2026–2027. The Commission noted that the millage rate had been previously discussed during the budget process and that no changes were proposed.

Commissioner Galloway moved to approve Resolution 2026-08 adopting the final millage rate for Fiscal Year 2026–2027. Commissioner Massey seconded the motion.

Motion passed 4–0.

Resolution 2026-09 – Adoption of Final Budget for Fiscal Year 2026–2027

The Town Commission considered Resolution 2026-09 adopting the final operating budget for Fiscal Year 2026–2027, setting forth revenues and appropriations totaling **\$7,785,839**.

A question was raised regarding previous discussion of the employee manual, and it was clarified that the employee manual was not part of the budget resolution.

Commissioner Galloway moved to approve Resolution 2026-09 adopting the final budget for Fiscal Year 2026–2027. Commissioner Massey seconded the motion.

During community comment, a typographical error on page 21 relating to “Total Parks” was identified. The correction was acknowledged, and no additional comments or concerns were raised.

With the spelling correction noted, the Commission proceeded to vote.

Motion passed 4–0.

Adjournment 6:30 pm With no further business, the Final Budget Hearing was adjourned.