

NO. 23-93

**RESOLUTION ADOPTING FINAL BUDGETS  
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023-2024**

**PINELLAS COUNTY – MUNICIPAL SERVICE TAXING UNITS & DEPENDENT SPECIAL DISTRICTS**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of County Commissioners, sitting as the governing body and as taxing authority for the Pinellas County Emergency Medical Services Authority, Pinellas Planning Council, Unincorporated Area Municipal Service Taxing Unit (MSTU), Public Library Services District MSTU, Palm Harbor Community Services District, Feather Sound Community Services District, East Lake Library Services District, East Lake Recreation Services District and as governing body of the Pinellas County Fire Protection Authority and as the taxing authority for the unincorporated portions of each of the following Fire Protection Districts: Belleair Bluffs, Clearwater, Dunedin, Gandy, High Point, Largo, Pinellas Park, Safety Harbor, Seminole, South Pasadena, Tarpon Springs, and Tierra Verde has adopted tentative millages to be levied upon property under its jurisdiction and tentative budgets in accordance with the fiscal policy of the Board of County Commissioners and Florida Statutes at a public hearing on 7th day of September, 2023; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of County Commissioners has determined that the final budgets based upon said final millages are at the lowest possible level in accordance with sound fiscal policy; and

**WHEREAS**, notice of the public hearing to adopt the final budgets has been published, and the Board has conducted a public hearing on the adoption of the final budgets pursuant to the requirements of Chapters 129 and 200, Florida Statutes, and other applicable provisions of Florida Law.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of County Commissioners sitting as the governing body and as taxing authority for the following Tax Districts, in public hearing duly assembled this 19th day of September 2023, that the Board of County Commissioners hereby adopts the final budgets for the following Tax Districts as established pursuant to said hearing for the fiscal year 2023-2024 as:

<b><u>District</u></b>	<b><u>Final Budget</u></b>
Emergency Medical Services Authority	\$ 249,005,980
Pinellas Planning Council	6,160,370
Unincorporated Area MSTU	83,432,990
Public Library Services District MSTU	8,685,900
Palm Harbor Community Services	3,415,050
Feather Sound Community Services	363,700
East Lake Library Services	1,030,930
East Lake Recreation Services	1,030,930
<b><u>Fire Districts</u></b>	
Belleair Bluffs	2,039,750
Clearwater	13,526,060
Dunedin	2,807,920
Gandy	331,050
High Point	8,464,450
Largo	8,648,060
Pinellas Park	1,565,510
Safety Harbor	713,040
Seminole	13,666,070
South Pasadena	614,860
Tarpon Springs	1,503,370
Tierra Verde	4,109,310

Commissioner \_\_\_\_\_ Flowers \_\_\_\_\_ offered the foregoing Resolution and moved its adoption, which was seconded by Commissioner \_\_\_\_\_ Peters \_\_\_\_\_, and upon roll call the vote was:

**AYES:** Long, Peters, Eggers, Flowers, Justice, Latvala, and Scott.

**NAYS:** None.

**ABSENT AND NOT VOTING:** None.

**APPROVED AS TO FORM**

By: Donald S. Crowell  
Office of the County Attorney