

NO. 18-76

**RESOLUTION ADOPTING FINAL BUDGETS
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2018-2019
PINELLAS COUNTY – MUNICIPAL SERVICE TAXING UNITS & DEPENDENT SPECIAL DISTRICTS**

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners, as taxing authority for the Pinellas County Emergency Medical Services, Pinellas Planning Council, Municipal Service Taxing Unit, Public Library Cooperative-Municipal Service Taxing Unit (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 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 13th day of September, 2018; 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 as taxing authority for the following Tax Districts, in public hearing duly assembled this 25th day of September, 2018, that the Board of County Commissioners hereby adopts each of the final budgets as established pursuant to said hearing for the fiscal year 2018-2019 as:

<u>District</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>
Emergency Medical Services	156,588,330
Pinellas Planning Council	3,755,730
Municipal Service Taxing Unit	63,022,700
Public Library Cooperative MSTU	5,695,070
Palm Harbor Community Services	2,276,520
Feather Sound Community Services	283,750
East Lake Library Services	749,740
East Lake Recreation Services	749,660
<u>Fire Districts</u>	
Belleair Bluffs	1,327,700
Clearwater	8,151,010
Dunedin	2,233,730
Gandy	358,770
High Point	4,702,430
Largo	5,319,140
Pinellas Park	1,130,930
Safety Harbor	485,000
Seminole	9,118,820
South Pasadena	661,200
Tarpon Springs	712,230
Tierra Verde	2,512,680

Commissioner Gerard offered the foregoing Resolution and moved its adoption, which was seconded by Commissioner Seel, and upon roll call the vote was:

AYES: Welch, Seel, Beyrouiti, Eggers, Gerard, Justice, and Long.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: None.

APPROVED AS TO FORM

By:



Office of the County Attorney