

NO. 23-72

**RESOLUTION ADOPTING TENTATIVE MILLAGE
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023-2024
PINELLAS COUNTY GENERAL FUND (PINELLAS COUNTY BCC)**

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners, as taxing authority for the Pinellas County General Fund (Pinellas County BCC) has received a tentative millage to be levied upon property under its jurisdiction and a tentative budget from the County Budget Officer, in accordance with the fiscal policy of the Board of County Commissioners and Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, prior to the presentation of the tentative 2023-2024 budgets and millages by the County Budget Officer in accordance with Section 129.03, Florida Statutes, revisions were made to the proposed budgets by the County Budget Officer as he deemed necessary, and a summary of these revisions has been distributed to the Board and the revisions have been incorporated into the tentative budgets and millages; and

WHEREAS, notice of the public hearing to adopt the tentative millage has been provided to the property owners in Pinellas County, Florida, and the Board is conducting a public hearing on the adoption of said tentative millage 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 Pinellas County General Fund (Pinellas County BCC), in public hearing duly assembled this 7th day of September, 2023 that the Board of County Commissioners hereby adopts the tentative millage rate for the Pinellas County General Fund (Pinellas County BCC) as established pursuant to said hearing for the fiscal year 2023-2024 as **4.7398** mills, which millage rate represents a **10.51%** increase in property taxes for the said fiscal year over the rolled-back rate of **4.2889**.

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

AYES: Long, Peters, Flowers, Justice, and Latvala.

NAYS: Eggers and Scott.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: None.

APPROVED AS TO FORM

By: Donald S. Crowell
Office of the County Attorney