## **NO.** 17-72

## RESOLUTION ADOPTING FINAL MILLAGES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2017-2018 PINELLAS COUNTY COUNTY-WIDE

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners, as taxing authority for Pinellas County General Fund (Pinellas County BCC) and Pinellas County Health Department, 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 14th day of September, 2017; and

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

WHEREAS, notice of the public hearing to adopt the final millages has been published, and the Board has conducted a public hearing on the adoption of the final millages 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 Pinellas County BCC and Pinellas County Health Department, in public hearing duly assembled this 26th day of September, 2017, that the Board of County Commissioners hereby adopts the final millage rates for Pinellas County, Florida, including the percentage increases in property taxes, as established pursuant to said hearing for the fiscal year 2017-2018 as:

COUNTY-WIDE:		Mills	Rolled-back Rate	Percentage Increase in Property Taxes
Aggregated	ł			
General Fund		5.2755	4.9554	6.46%
Health Department Fund		0.0835	0.0582	43.47%
Total		5.3590	5.0136	6.89%
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Commissioner <u>Welch</u> offered the foregoing Resolution and moved its adoption, which was seconded by Commissioner <u>Seel</u>, and upon roll call the vote was:

AYES: Long, Welch, Eggers, Gerard, Justice, Morroni, and Seel. NAYS: None. ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: None.

APPROVED AS TO FORM

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Office of the County Attorney