# Maximum Millage Rates Feedback regarding FY21 **Proposed Budget**

July 30, 2020



**Pinellas** 

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- Establish Maximum Millage Rates for Certification to Property Appraiser by August 4 [F.S. 200.065(2)b]
  - Maximum Millage Rates included in TRIM Notice
  - Millage Rates may be decreased after certification, but may not be increased
- Considerations
  - Feedback regarding FY21 Proposed Budget



## No proposed increases

- General Fund 5.2755 mills (unchanged since FY14)
- EMS 0.9158 mills (unchanged since FY14)
- Health Department 0.0835 mills (increased in FY18)
- MSTU 2.0857 mills (unchanged since FY09)
- Unincorporated Fire Districts decrease recommended for six districts



- Proposed reduction for 6 Fire Districts; all other remain unchanged
  - Sufficient reserves forecast throughout 6-Year Forecast

	CURRENT	PROPOSED
UNINCORPORATED FIRE DISTRICT	MILLAGE	MILLAGE
Clearwater	2.9775	2.7938
Dunedin	2.7031	2.5215
Gandy	1.2000	1.1512
Largo	3.3179	3.0833
Safety Harbor	2.6743	2.4808
Seminole	1.9581	1.9581
South Pasadena	0.4500	0.4203

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- Formal vote not necessary

# **Budget Timeline**



#### <u>JULY 30</u>

Budget Information Session – Feedback regarding FY21 Proposed Budget and discussion to finalize maximum millage rates for inclusion in TRIM notices

## AUGUST 4

Property Appraiser notified of maximum millage rates for development of TRIM notices

## AUGUST 24

TRIM notices mailed to all property owners

# **Budget Timeline**



#### **SEPTEMBER 8**

Tentative FY21 Budget posted to County website

### **SEPTEMBER 10**

1<sup>st</sup> Public Hearing – BCC adopts tentative FY21 millage rates and budgets

### **SEPTEMBER 22**

2<sup>nd</sup> Public Hearing – BCC adopts final FY21 millage rates and budgets

## OCTOBER 1

Beginning of fiscal year 2021

### OCTOBER 23

Adopted FY21 Budget posted to County website (statutory deadline)