

City of Chipley
Special Council Meeting
Tentative Millage &
Budget Hearing
Minutes
September 15, 2022 at 5:05 p.m.

Attendees:

Ms. Tracy Andrews, Mayor (via Zoom)
Mr. Brett Butler, Council Member
Mr. Tommy Sasser, Council Member

Mr. Kevin Russell, Mayor Pro-Tem
Mrs. Linda Cain, Council Member

Others Present Were:

Mr. Dan Miner, City Administrator
Mr. Scott Thompson, Police Chief
Mr. Jimmy Cook, Water Utilities Director
Mrs. Michelle Jordan, City Attorney

Mrs. Patrice Tanner, Asst. City Admin./City Clerk
Mr. Guy Lane, Public Works Director
Mrs. Tamara Donjuan, Planning/Code Enf. Officer
Mr. Wesley Adams, Incoming Council Member

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- A. **Call to Order.** The Tentative Millage and Budget Adoption Hearing was called to order by Mayor Andrews at 5:05 p.m.
- B. **Prayer and Pledge.** Prayer was given by Mrs. Cain and Mayor Andrews led the pledge to the American Flag.
- C. **Approval of Agenda.**

A motion was made by Council Member Russell and seconded by Council Member Sasser to approve the agenda as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

D. Agenda Items.

- 1. **Approval of Resolution No. 22-32** – Adopt the Final Millage Rate for Fiscal Year 2022-2023. Mr. Miner read Resolution No. 22-32 by title:

RESOLUTION NO. 22-32

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHIPLEY OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE FINAL MILLAGE RATE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

The following was also read:

The gross taxable value for operating purposes not exempt from taxation within Washington County has been certified by the County Property Appraiser to the City of Chipley as \$170,703,632.

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Chipley of Washington County, Florida, that:

The Fiscal Year 2022-2023 operating millage rate is 7.0000 mills which is more than the rolled-back rate of 6.6344 mills by 5.51%.

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

A motion was made by Council Member Sasser and seconded by Council Member Russell to approve Resolution No. 22-32. The motion passed unanimously.

- 2. Approval of Resolution No. 22-33** – Adopt the Final Budget for Fiscal Year 2022-2023. Mr. Miner read Resolution No. 22-33 by title:

RESOLUTION NO. 22-33

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHIPLEY OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE FINAL BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

The following was also read:

The City of Chipley of Washington County, Florida set forth appropriations and revenue estimates for the budget for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 in the amount of \$17,233,393.

The City Council's intent to adopt a final millage and budget at a final public hearing and the required budget summary was properly published on September 28, 2022.

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the City of Chipley of Washington County, Florida, that:

The Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Final Budget be adopted.

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

A motion was made by Council Member Cain and seconded by Council Member Sasser to approve Resolution No. 22-33. The motion passed unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned by Mayor Andrews at 5:10 p.m.

Tracy L. Andrews, Mayor

Attest:

Patrice A. Tanner,
Assistant City Administrator/City Clerk