

A public hearing and special meeting of the City Commission of the City of Apalachicola was held on Tuesday, September 27, 2022 at 5:01 PM at the Apalachicola Community Center, #1 Bay Avenue, Apalachicola, Florida.

PRESENT: Mayor Brenda Ash  
Commissioner Anita Grove  
Commissioner Despina George  
Commissioner Donna Duncan  
Commissioner Adriane Elliott

Travis Wade, City Manager  
Deborah Guillotte, City Clerk

## I. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Brenda Ash opened the public hearing to order and gave the prayer and invocation.

## II. AGENDA ADOPTION

Commissioner Adrian Elliott made a motion to approve the agenda. Commissioner Anita Grove seconded, and the motion carried 5-0.

## III. PUBLIC HEARING

### 1. Ordinance 2022-02 – Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Budget – Second reading

Mayor Ash read the following:

City of Apalachicola 2022-2023 Fiscal Year Budget the FY 2022-2023 Budget.

General Fund: 6,159,253  
Enterprise Fund: 3,915,927  
Total Budget: 10,075,275

Proposed Millage Rate: 8.3457  
Rolled Back Rate: 8.3457

This is the Final Public Hearing and Special Meeting for final adoption of the 2022-2023 fiscal year budget.

### 2. Public comment

No public comment.

Public Hearing Closed.

**IV. SPECIAL MEETING**

**1. Adoption Decision – Resolution 2022-06 – Final Adoption of FY 2022-23  
Millage Rate**

Mayor Ash read Resolution 2022-06 in its entirety:

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF APALACHICOLA, FLORIDA ADOPTING A MILLAGE RATE FOR THE LEVY OF AD VALOREM TAXES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023 ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN THE CITY OF APALACHICOLA, SETTING A TENTATIVE BUDGET HEARING DATE, TIME AND PLACE AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

Commissioner Despina George made a motion to approve Resolution 2022-06. Commissioner Elliott seconded, and the motion carried 5-0.

**2. Ordinance 2022-02 – Second reading and Final Adoption of Fiscal Year  
2022-2023 Budget**

Mayor Ash read Ordinance 2022-02 by title.

AN ORDINANCE BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF APALACHICOLA, FLORIDA ADOPTING THE 2022-2023 FISCAL YEAR BUDGET

No public comment.

Commissioner Elliott made a motion to adopt Ordinance 2022-02. Commissioner Grove seconded and the motion carried 5-0.

**V. ADJOURNMENT**

Commissioner Elliott made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Despina George seconded, and the motion carried 5-0.

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Brenda Ash, Mayor

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Deborah Guillotte, City Clerk