

ORDINANCE NO. 2017-054

ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA ACCEPTING FOR BUDGET PURPOSES THE MIAMI-DADE COUNTY ASSESSMENT ROLL; ESTABLISHING A TAX MILLAGE RATE OF 6.3018 MILLS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2018, COMMENCING ON OCTOBER 1, 2017 AND ENDING ON SEPTEMBER 30, 2018, WHICH IS AN INCREASE OF 10.09% OVER THE ROLL BACK RATE; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH; PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION HEREOF; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, THAT:

Section 1: The certification of Taxable Value, dated July 1, 2017, presented by the Property Appraiser of Miami-Dade County, Florida, for the year 2017, showing adjusted taxable real, personal and centrally assessed property in the estimated amount of \$9,277,922,626 is hereby accepted for budget purposes for Fiscal Year 2018, commencing on October 1, 2017 and ending on September 30, 2018.

Section 2: The ad valorem tax millage rate shall be 6.3018 mills, which is an increase of 10.09% over the roll back rate of 5.7243 mills.

Section 3: Repeal of Ordinances in Conflict.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 4: Penalties.

Any person, business, association, corporation, partnership or other legal entity who violates any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be assessed a civil penalty, up to a maximum of \$500.00, within the discretion of the court or administrative tribunal having jurisdiction. Each day that a violation continues shall constitute a separate violation.

Section 5: Severability Clause.

If any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this ordinance shall be declared invalid or unconstitutional by the judgment or decree of a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs or sections of this ordinance.

Section 6: Effective Date.

This ordinance shall become effective when passed by the City Council and signed by the Mayor or at the next regularly scheduled City Council meeting, if the Mayor's signature is withheld or if the City Council overrides the Mayor's veto.

PASSED and ADOPTED this 2 day of October, 2017.

THE FOREGOING ORDINANCE
OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH WAS
PUBLISHED IN ACCORDANCE
WITH THE PROVISIONS OF
FLORIDA STATUTE 166.041
PRIOR TO FINAL READING.

Attest:

Marbelys Fatjo, City Clerk

Luis Gonzalez
Council President

Approved on this 3 day of October, 2017.

Mayor Carlos Hernandez

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:

Lorena Bravo, City Attorney

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Ordinance was adopted by a 6-0-1 vote with Council Members Caragol, Casáls-Muñoz, Cue-Fuente, Gonzalez, Hernandez, & Lozano voting "Yes", & Councilmember Garcia-Martinez, absent.