## **RESOLUTION NO. 2019-064**

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, FLORIDA, APPROVING AND ADOPTING THE FINAL MILLAGE RATE FOR TAXATION OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY LYING WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES FOR THE 2019-2020 FISCAL YEAR, COMMENCING OCTOBER 1, 2019 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2020; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**WHEREAS,** the Town of Southwest Ranches, Florida is a municipality located in Broward County, Florida; and

**WHEREAS,** pursuant to Section 200.065 (4)(E)(1), Florida Statutes, the Town Council adopted both its tentative millage rate and its budget, on first reading, on Thursday, September 12, 2019 during a Public Hearing held at 6:00 P.M.; and

**WHEREAS,** a Public Hearing on the Town of Southwest Ranches' final millage for Fiscal Year 2019-2020 was held at 6:00 P.M. on Thursday, September 26, 2019, at the Southwest Ranches Council Chambers, 13400 Griffin Road, Southwest Ranches, Florida, 33330; and

**WHEREAS,** the gross taxable value for operating purposes not exempt from taxation within Broward County has been certified by the County Property Appraiser to the Town of Southwest Ranches as \$1,480,632,023.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Town Council of the Town of Southwest Ranches, Florida as follows:

**Section 1:** The above-referenced recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by reference.

**Section 2:** The Town Council, following a presentation by the Town Administrator and Town Financial Administrator, testimony from Town Staff and from other interested parties, at a duly noticed public hearing held on September 26, 2019 and pursuant to Exhibit A, hereby approves and adopts the Fiscal Year 2019-2020 operating millage rate for the Town of Southwest Ranches of 4.6564 mills, which is equal to the rolled-back rate of 4.6564 therefore representing a 0.00% percentage change from the roll-back rate. Said final millage rate has been set pursuant to and in furtherance of Section 200.185 Florida Statutes.

**Section 3: Severability.** If any one or more provisions of this Resolution shall be held contrary to any express provision of law or contrary to the policy of express law,

though not expressly prohibited or against public policy, or shall for any reason whatsoever be held invalid, then such provision shall be null and void and shall be separate from the remaining provisions, and shall in no way affect the validity of all other provisions of this Resolution.

**Section 4: Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Town Council of the Town of Southwest

Ranches, Florida, this <u>26<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>September</u>, <u>2019</u>, on a motion by

Council Member	tchrolen	and seconded by	Council	Member A	ablanti
McKay	Yes		yes	_4 ()	
Jablonski	<u>Yes</u>	N	ays	0	
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Hartmann	Yes_				
Schroeder	<u>Yes</u>			<i>✓</i> >	
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ATTEST

Russell Muñiz, Assistant Town Administrator/Town Clerk

Approved as to Form and Correctness:

Keith M. Poliakoff J.D., Town Attorney

## **EXHIBIT A**

## Fiscal Year 2020 Millage Maximums and Related Information (Based on Certified Assessment Information)

Millage Name	Votes Required	Maximum Millage	Total Resulting Net Revenues	Net Revenue Change (from prior year adopted rate funding level)	FY 2020 levy increase per \$250,000 of taxable value
FY 2019-2020 Proposed Rate (Town of SWR Operating 4:2125 + TSDOR :4439 Rates) Current Year Roll-Back Rate	:3	4.6564	\$6,549,694	(\$245,733)	\$0
Maximum Majority Vote	3	4.8143	\$6,771,796	(\$23,631)	\$39
FY 2018-2019 Adopted Rate (Town of SWR Operating 4.4969 + TSDOR .3342 Rates)	4	4.8311	\$6,795,427	\$0	\$44
Maximum Super Majority Rate	4	5.2957	\$7,448,934	\$653,507	\$160
Unanimous (Maximum)	5	10.0000	\$14,066,004	\$7,270,577	\$1,336

**Note:** \* Property owners without a change in net taxable value will receive a real cash reduction of 3.75% in their Town of Southwest Ranches portion of their tax bill due to the proposed reduction in the millage rate from 4.8311 to 4.6564.