

**RESOLUTION 2023-28**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF WESTLAKE, FLORIDA, ADOPTING A FINAL MILLAGE RATE OF 5.0 FOR THE CITY'S GENERAL OPERATING FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2023 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2024; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

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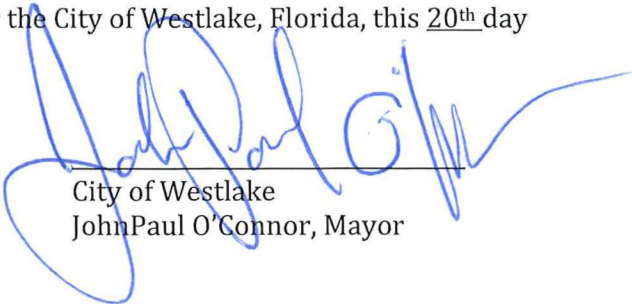
WHEREAS, a final budget has been prepared estimating expenditure and revenues of the City for the ensuing year, with detailed information, including revenues to be derived from sources other than ad valorem levy, and recommendations have been made as to the amount to be appropriated for the ensuing year; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Westlake, Florida has conducted a public hearing and has considered recommendations and the proposed millage to be levied to carry on the government of the City for the ensuing year;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF WESTLAKE, FLORIDA:**

- SECTION 1. The foregoing "WHEREAS" clauses are true and correct and hereby ratified and confirmed by the City Council. All exhibits attached hereto are hereby incorporated herein.
- SECTION 2. The final millage rate necessary to be levied against ad valorem valuation of property subject to taxation in the City of Westlake, Florida, to produce a sufficient sum which together with departmental and other revenues will be sufficient to pay for appropriations made in the final budget for the fiscal year is hereby set at 5.0 mills.
- SECTION 3. The final millage adopted herein is greater than the rolled-back rate computed pursuant to the TRIM Act (Section 200.065, Florida Statutes, 2010, as amended) by 19.067%.
- SECTION 4. Conflicts: All Resolutions or parts of Resolutions in conflict herewith, be and the same are repealed to the extent of such conflict.
- SECTION 5. Severability: If any clause, section or other part of this Resolution shall be held by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, such unconstitutional or invalid part shall be considered eliminated and will in no way affect the validity of the other provisions of this Resolution.
- SECTION 6. That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY the City Council for the City of Westlake, Florida, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of September 2023.



City of Westlake  
John Paul O'Connor, Mayor



Zoie P. Burgess, CMC  
City Clerk