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**RESOLUTION NO. 2015 – 06**

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**MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA**

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**FY2015 - 2016 PROPOSED MILLAGE RATE  
FOR THE SOUTHERN MANATEE FIRE & RESCUE DISTRICT**

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**ADOPTED: September 10, 2015**

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**2015 PROPOSED MILLAGE RATE**  
**SOUTHERN MANATEE FIRE & RESCUE DISTRICT**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE SOUTHERN MANATEE FIRE & RESCUE DISTRICT OF MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE PROPOSED LEVY OF AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE SOUTHERN MANATEE FIRE & RESCUE DISTRICT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2015/2016, PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Fire Commissioners for the **Southern Manatee Fire & Rescue District** of Manatee County, Florida, on September 10, 2015, adopted Fiscal Year 2015/2016 proposed millage rates following a public hearing as required by Florida Statutes 200.065; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Fire Commissioners for the **Southern Manatee Fire & Rescue District** of Manatee County, Florida, held a public hearing as required by Florida Statutes 200.065; and

**WHEREAS**, the gross taxable value for operating purposes not exempt from taxation within Manatee County has been certified by the County Property Appraiser to the Board of Fire Commissioners for the **Southern Manatee Fire & Rescue District** as \$3,910,308,952.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Fire Commissioners of the **Southern Manatee Fire & Rescue District** of Manatee County, Florida, that:

1. The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated fully herein by reference.
2. The Fiscal Year 2015/2016 operating millage rate for the Southern Manatee Fire & Rescue District is 1.2061 mills which is higher than the rolled-back rate of 1.1507 mills by 4.81%.
3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

**DULY ADOPTED** at a proposed public hearing this 10<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2015.

**SOUTHERN MANATEE FIRE & RESCUE DISTRICT**

ATTEST:

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Melanie A. Marken  
Secretary

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Charles A. Durant, Chair

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Dan Center, Vice Chair

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Anthony C. Evans, Treasurer

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Jim Cena, Commissioner

**APPENDIX A**  
**PROOF OF PUBLICATION**

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**APPENDIX B**  
**AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING**

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**STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF MANATEE**

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Brian Gorski, who after being duly sworn, deposes and says:

- 1. I, Brian Gorski, am the duly appointed Fire Chief of the Southern Manatee Fire Rescue District for Manatee County, Florida.
- 2. On or before August 17, 2015, I mailed or directed the mailing of, a notice, by first class mail, to each owner of property within the Southern Manatee Fire Rescue District in conformance with the requirements of Florida Statute 191.011, and other applicable provisions of law, at the address shown on the real property assessment tax roll maintained by the Manatee County Property Appraiser for the purpose of the levy and collection of ad valorem taxes.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Affiant

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by \_\_\_\_\_ on behalf of Manatee County, Florida, who is personally known to me or who has produced \_\_\_\_\_ as identification and did (did not) take an oath.

WITNESS, my hand and official seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A.D., 2015.

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Signature of person taking acknowledgement

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of acknowledger (printed)

My commission expires: