

TOWN OF ST. LEO
FINAL BUDGET HEARING
September 26, 2011
7:00 PM
(meeting actually began at 7:50 pm)

OPENING – Mayor Hamilton

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Mayor Hamilton

ROLL CALL Donna DeWitt, O.S.B. – Mayor Pro Tem
Richard Christmas – Commissioner, absent
William Hamilton, - Mayor
John “Jack” Gardner – Commissioner, absent
Robert Courtney - Commissioner

STAFF Joan Miller - Town Clerk

ATTENDEES Brother James Hallett, O.S.B.

BUDGET HEARING
The final public budget hearing was opened.

CLERK’S COMMENTS ON THE 2011-2012 BUDGET

The rolled back rate is the rate that would generate prior year tax revenues, less allowances for new construction, additions and deletions. The 2010 ad valorem tax proceeds were \$46,647. This amount was generated by the 2010 final gross taxable value of \$35,862 at the rate of 1.3 mils. The proposed millage rate is 1.30 mill and the rolled back rate for 2011 is 1.3408. The current year proposed rate, as a percent change of the rolled back rate is - 3.0429%.

BUDGET ORDINANCES

Clerk Miller read the budget ordinances by title only.

Ordinance 11-04

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF ST. LEO, FLORIDA
LEVYING AN AD VALOREM TAX ON ALL NON-EXEMPT
PERSONAL PROPERTY SITUATED WITHIN THE TOWN OF ST.
LEO, FLORIDA, AND PROVIDING FOR THE AMOUNT OF SAID
TAX AT THE RATE OF 1.300 DOLLARS (\$1.300) PER ONE
THOUSAND DOLLARS BEING A MILLAGE RATE OF 1.300
MILLS UPON EACH DOLLAR OF ASSESSED VALUATION ON
ALL PERSONAL PROPERTY ASSESSABLE FOR TAXATION
WITHIN SAID TOWN FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING
OCTOBER 1, 2011.**

Discussion.

MOTION: TO ADOPT ORDINANCE 11-04 AS READ.

MOTION BY: Commissioner DeWitt

SECOND: Commissioner Courtney

Discussion.

VOTE: Unanimous for Approval, Adopted 3/0

Ordinance 11-05

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF ST. LEO, FLORIDA LEVYING AN AD VALOREM TAX ON ALL NON-EXEMPT REAL PROPERTY SITUATED WITHIN THE TOWN OF ST. LEO, FLORIDA AND PROVIDING FOR THE AMOUNT OF SAID TAX AT THE RATE OF 1.300 DOLLARS (\$1.300) PER ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS BEING A MILLAGE RATE OF 1.300 MILLS UPON EACH DOLLAR OF ASSESSED VALUATION ON ALL REAL PROPERTY ASSESSABLE FOR TAXATION WITHIN SAID TOWN FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2011.

Discussion.

MOTION: TO ADOPT ORDINANCE 11-05 AS READ.

MOTION BY: Commissioner DeWitt

SECOND: Commissioner Courtney

Discussion.

VOTE: Unanimous for Approval, Adopted 3/0

Ordinance 11-06

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF ST. LEO, FLORIDA, ADOPTING AN OPERATING BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2011 – 2012, BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2011 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2012; MAKING APPROPRIATION OF MUNICIPAL FUNDS; PROVIDING FOR AMENDMENT; PROVIDING SEVERABILITY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Discussion.

MOTION: TO ADOPT ORDINANCE 11-05 AS READ.

MOTION BY: Commissioner DeWitt

SECOND: Commissioner Courtney

Discussion.

VOTE: Unanimous for Approval, Adopted 3/0

The Mayor closed the Public Hearing.

NEW BUSINESS

Rattlesnake Festival Run

A Temporary Use Permit for Special Events was received by the Town requesting permission to have an event on Pompanic Street, associated with the Annual Rattlesnake Festival, October 22, 2011. The Town Commission agreed to permit this event.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: TO ADJOURN MEETING AT 8:00 P.M.

MOTION BY: Commissioner DeWitt

SECOND BY: Commissioner Courtney

VOTE: Unanimous for Approval, 3/0

Respectfully, Joan Miller, M.M.C.