

CITY COUNCIL  
CITY OF BONITA SPRINGS  
FINAL MILLAGE AND BUDGET HEARING  
SEPTEMBER 19, 2019  
5:05 P.M.  
CITY HALL  
9101 BONITA BEACH ROAD  
BONITA SPRINGS, FLORIDA 34135  
MINUTES

I. CALL TO ORDER.

Mayor Peter Simmons called the meeting to order at 5:05 P.M.

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.

At the request of Mayor Simmons, Council Member Laura Carr led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

III. ROLL CALL.

Present:

Mayor Peter Simmons  
Greg DeWitt, District 2  
Laura Carr, District 3  
Peter O'Flinn, District 4, Participated via telephone  
Mike Gibson, District 5  
Fred Forbes, District 6

Absent:

Amy Quaremba, District 1

Mayor Simmons entered a motion to allow Council Member O'Flinn to participate via telephone; Council Member Forbes seconded; and the motion carried unanimously. There were no members of the public in attendance.

IV. OVERVIEW OF THE PUBLIC HEARING. (GREENSHEET NO. 19-09-290)

Finance Director Anne Wright furnished an overview of the budget, noting that this is a public hearing on the final millage rate and final budget for the City of Bonita Springs for FY 2019/2020. The proposed millage is .8173 mills per \$1,000 of taxable value compared to the rolled back rate of .7924 mills per \$1,000 of taxable value. She further addressed.

V. PUBLIC COMMENT.

No public comments were made.

VII. COUNCIL DISCUSSION OF THE FINAL BUDGET.

**THE BUDGET FOR THE FINAL BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING IS AVAILABLE ON THE CITY'S WEBSITE AT: [www.cityofbonitasprings.org](http://www.cityofbonitasprings.org).**

VIII. PUBLIC HEARINGS

- A. A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF BONITA SPRINGS, LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE FINAL LEVYING OF AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE CITY OF BONITA SPRINGS, LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019-2020; (GREENSHEET NO. 19-09-291)

Council Member Greg DeWitt motioned to approve; Council Member Carr seconded; and the motion carried unanimously. **ADOPTED RESOLUTION NO. 19-78**

B. A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF BONITA SPRINGS, LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE FINAL BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019-2020 AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE. (GREENSHEET NO. 19-09-292)

Council Member Fred Forbes motioned to approve; Council Member Mike Gibson seconded; and the motion carried unanimously. **ADOPTED RESOLUTION NO. 19-79**


X. PUBLIC COMMENT.

No public comments were made.

XI. ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further items to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 5:13 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Debra Filipek, City Clerk

APPROVED:  
CITY COUNCIL

Date: 10/2/19  
AUTHENTICATED:

  
Peter Simmons, Mayor