

**CITY OF FORT MEADE, FLORIDA
TRIM 2nd FINAL BUDGET HEARING
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2014**

A Budget Hearing of the Fort Meade City Commission was held at 6:30 PM Tuesday, October 14, 2014 at the City Hall Commission Chambers, 8 West Broadway, Fort Meade, Florida.

1. CALL TO ORDER:

The Meeting was called to order at 6:30 PM by Mayor Elliott.

2. ROLL CALL:

| | | |
|--------------|------------------|---------|
| Mayor | Robert Elliott | Present |
| Vice Mayor | Maurice Nelson | Absent |
| Commissioner | Barbara Manley | Present |
| Commissioner | Richard Cochrane | Present |
| Commissioner | James Watts | Present |

Also present was Sergeant Andy Beymer

Staff Present

| | | |
|-------------------------|------------------|---------|
| City Manager | Fred Hilliard | Absent |
| City Attorney | Tom Cloud | Absent |
| Deputy City Clerk | Melissa Newman | Absent |
| Finance Director | James Mel Parker | Present |
| Human Resource Director | Donna Parker | Present |
| City Planner | April Brown | Present |
| Public Works Director | Jackie Cannon | Present |
| Water and Wastewater | Robbie Ward | Absent |

3. FY 2013-2014 PROPOSED MILLAGE RATE AND TENTATIVE BUDGET

- A.** City Planner, April Brown read the title to Ordinance 14-14 – Levying Taxes on Final Reading.

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY
OF FORT MEADE, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE FINAL
LEVYING OF AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE CITY OF FORT
MEADE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015 AND PROVIDING AN
EFFECTIVE DATE.**

Mayor Elliott opened the Public Hearing.

Mayor Elliott closed the Public Hearing.

Motion Commissioner Cochrane, second Commissioner Watts to adopt Ordinance 14-14 Levying Taxes FY 2014-2015.

**Mayor Elliott – Aye
Commissioner Watts – Aye
Commissioner Cochrane – Aye
Commissioner Manley – Nay**

Motion carried 3 to 1.

- B. City Planner, April Brown read the title to Ordinance 14-15 – Adopting the Final Budget on Final Reading.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT MEADE, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE FINAL BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Mayor Elliott opened the Public Hearing.

Mayor Elliott closed the Public Hearing.

Motion Commissioner Cochrane, second Commissioner Watts to adopt Ordinance 14-15 Adopting Budget for Fiscal Year 2014-2015.

**Mayor Elliott – Aye
Vice Mayor Nelson – Aye
Commissioner Watts – Aye
Commissioner Cochrane – Aye
Commissioner Manley – Nay**

Motion carried 3 to 1.

4. **COMMENTS**
None.


5. **ADJOURNMENT**

Motion Commissioner Watts, second Commissioner Cochrane to adjourn the budget hearing of the Fort Meade City Commission on Tuesday, October 14, 2014 at 6:35 P.M. Motion carried with all yeas.



Robert Elliott, Mayor

ATTEST:


Melissa Newman, Deputy City Clerk