

Prepared by: City Clerk

**ORDINANCE NO. 2016-14**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF VENICE, SARASOTA COUNTY, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE FINAL LEVYING OF AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE CITY OF VENICE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2017; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Venice, of Sarasota County, Florida, on September 13, 2016 held a public hearing on its proposed millage rate and adopting its tentative budget as required by Section 200.065, Florida Statutes; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Venice, of Sarasota County, Florida held a public hearing on September 27, 2016 to finally adopt its millage rate and budget as required by Section 200.065, Florida Statutes; and

**WHEREAS**, the gross taxable value for operating purposes not exempt from taxation within Sarasota County has been certified by the County Property Appraiser to the City of Venice as \$3,527,614,748.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VENICE, FLORIDA:**

**SECTION 1.** The Fiscal Year 2017 operating millage rate is 3.6000 mills, which is greater than the rolled back rate of 2.8856 mills by 24.76%.

**SECTION 2.** The voted debt service millage is .1660 mills.

**SECTION 3.** This Ordinance shall become effective upon its approval and adoption, as provided by law.

**PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VENICE, FLORIDA, THIS 27TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2016.**

First Reading: September 13, 2016

Final Reading: September 27, 2016

Adoption: September 27, 2016

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John W. Holic, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Lori Stelzer, MMC, City Clerk

I, LORI STELZER, MMC, City Clerk of the City of Venice, Florida, a municipal corporation in Sarasota County, Florida, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full and complete, true and correct copy of an Ordinance duly adopted by the Venice City Council, at a meeting thereof duly convened and held on the 27th day of September, 2016, a quorum being present.

WITNESS my hand and the official seal of said City this 27th day of September, 2016.

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Lori Stelzer, MMC, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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City Attorney