

**RESOLUTION 2023-09
2023-2024 FINAL MILLAGE RATE
CEDAR HAMMOCK FIRE CONTROL DISTRICT**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CEDAR HAMMOCK FIRE CONTROL DISTRICT
OF MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE FINAL LEVY OF
AD VALOREM TAXES FOR CEDAR HAMMOCK FIRE CONTROL DISTRICT
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023-2024, PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

WHEREAS, the Cedar Hammock Fire Control District (“District”) is a special purpose fire district authorized under the provisions of Chapter 189 and 191, Florida Statutes (Fla. Stat.), and established under Chapter 57-1546, Laws of Florida and recodified and amended by Chapters 2000-391, 2005-297, 2007-283, 2015-197, and 2022-242, Laws of Florida (Collectively referred to as the “Enabling Legislation”), to levy annually an ad valorem tax against the taxable real estate within the District to provide funds for the purposes of the District in an amount not to exceed 3.75 mills; and

WHEREAS, the District shall levy and collect ad valorem taxes in accordance with applicable general law, including Chapter 200, Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Fire Commissioners of the District held a properly advertised public hearing on September 7, 2023, and September 21, 2023, for purposes of fixing the rate of the District’s ad valorem tax in accordance with the provisions set forth in the District’s Special Act and applicable general law; and

WHEREAS, the gross taxable value for operating purposes not exempt from taxation within Cedar Hammock Fire Control District in Manatee County has been certified by the Manatee County Property Appraiser to the Board of Fire Commissioners of the District as \$ 4,714,020,247.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Cedar Hammock Fire Control District, that:

1. The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated fully herein by reference.
2. The Fiscal Year 2023-2024 final operating millage rate for the Cedar Hammock Fire Control District is 1.3 mills, which is more than the rolled-back rate of 1.1170 mills by 16.38%
3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.
4. A copy of this resolution shall be forwarded within 3 days of the adoption to the Manatee County Property Appraiser and Tax Collector.

DULY ADOPTED at a public hearing this the 21st day of September, 2023.

CEDAR HAMMOCK FIRE CONTROL DISTRICT

ATTEST: Samuel A. Reasoner, Secretary/Treasurer - Approved 09/21/2023

Ronald D. Getman, Chairman – Approved 09/21/2023

Richard G. Findlay, Vice Chairman- Approved 09/21/2023

Marnie E. Matarese, Commissioner – Approved 09/21/2023

John H. Stevens, Commissioner – Approved 09/21/2023