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**RESOLUTION NO. 2017 – 04**

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**MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA**

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**FY2017 - 2018 TENTATIVE BUDGET  
FOR THE SOUTHERN MANATEE FIRE & RESCUE DISTRICT**

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**ADOPTED: September 7, 2017**

**RESOLUTION 2017 – 04**  
**FISCAL YEAR 2017 - 2018 TENTATIVE BUDGET ADOPTION**  
**SOUTHERN MANATEE FIRE & RESCUE DISTRICT**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE SOUTHERN MANATEE FIRE & RESCUE DISTRICT OF MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE TENTATIVE BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2017 - 2018; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Fire Commissioners for the **Southern Manatee Fire & Rescue District** of Manatee County, Florida, on September 7, 2017, conducted a duly noticed public hearing to consider the adoption of a tentative budget for Fiscal Year 2017 – 2018, as required by Section 200.065, Florida Statutes; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Fire Commissioners for the **Southern Manatee Fire & Rescue District** of Manatee County, Florida, set forth the appropriations and revenue estimate for the tentative budget for Fiscal Year 2017 - 2018 in the amount of \$15,612,287.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Fire Commissioners of the **Southern Manatee Fire & Rescue District** of Manatee County, Florida, that:

1. The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated fully herein by reference.
2. The Fiscal Year 2017 - 2018 Tentative Budget is hereby adopted.
3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

**DULY ADOPTED** at a duly noticed public hearing this 7<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2017.

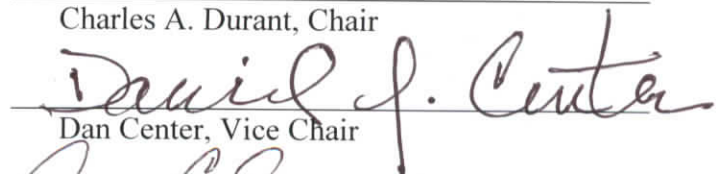
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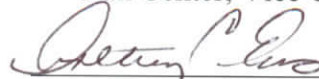
  
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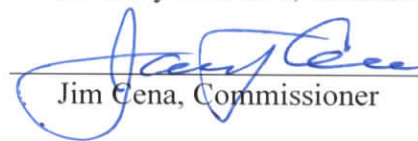
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**APPENDIX A**  
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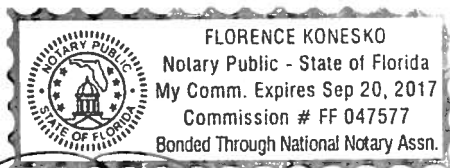
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COUNTY OF MANATEE

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Affidavit further says that the said publication is a newspaper published at Bradenton, in said Manatee County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Manatee County, Florida, each day and has been entered as second-class mail matter at the post office in Bradenton, in said Manatee County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant further says that she has neither paid nor promised any person, firm or corporation any discount, rebate, commission or refund for the purpose of securing this advertisement for publication in the said newspaper.

  
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## PUBLIC NOTICE 2017 FIRE TAX APPEALS HEARING AND 2017 MILLAGE RATE HEARING AND 2017/18 FISCAL YEAR BUDGET HEARING SOUTHERN MANATEE FIRE & RESCUE DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, September 14, 2017, at 5:01 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard at the Southern Manatee Administrative Offices located at 2451 Trailmate Drive, Sarasota, FL 34243, the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Southern Manatee Fire & Rescue District will hold a public hearing. The purpose of the hearing is to hear appeals from any property owner in the district with respect to the method of calculation and/or the amount of the 2017 fire assessment levied against any parcel of property located within the district, such special assessments shall be a lien upon the land so assessed until said assessments have been paid.

Following the 2017 Fire Tax Appeals Hearing, the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Southern Manatee Fire & Rescue District will hold a second public hearing. The purpose of the hearing is to hear testimony and adopt the 2017 Millage Rate.

Following the 2017 Millage Rate Hearing, the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Southern Manatee Fire & Rescue District will hold a third public hearing. The purpose of the hearing is to hear testimony and adopt the budget for the 2017/18 fiscal year.

Interested parties are encouraged to attend either in person or by agent or submit their appeal in writing prior to the date of the public hearing.

If any person desires to appeal any decision of the Fire District Board of Commissioners or of any other board of commission of the District, that person will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. (F.S. 286.0105).

The Southern Manatee Fire & Rescue District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability status in employment or in the provision of services. Disabled individuals may receive special accommodation in services on one working days' notice by calling Executive Mgmt. Assist. Debbie Tucker at 751-7675 (F.S. 286.011 (6)).

Charles A. Durant, Chairman  
Board of Fire Commissioner  
09/07/2017