**Sponsored by:** Williams

**RESOLUTION 2026-89**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE TENTATIVE MILLAGE RATE AND LEVY OF AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA FOR FISCAL YEAR 2026-2027; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**WHEREAS,** pursuant to Section 200.065, *Florida Statutes* the City of Marathon, Florida (the "City") has established a proposed millage rate; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 200.065(2)(c), *Florida Statutes*, within eighty (80) days of certification of taxable value the City must re-compute the proposed millage rate and adopt a tentative millage rate; and

**WHEREAS**, on September 16, 2026, the City Council held a public hearing to consider any adjustment of its proposed millage rate, to consider its tentative operating budget for Fiscal Year 2026-2027 ("FY 2026-2027") and adopt a tentative millage rate in accordance with Section 200.065, *Florida Statutes*.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1.** The foregoing recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by this reference.

**Section 2.** The FY 2026-2027 tentative millage rate for the City is 2.3231 mills, which is $2.3231 for each thousand dollars of taxable assessed property value; and the tentative millage rate is greater than the rolled-back rate of 1.9552 mills by 18.82%.

**Section 3.** This resolution shall be effective immediately upon its adoption.

**PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, THIS 16th DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2026.**

**THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA**

Mayor Lynny Del Gaizo

**Lynny Del Gaizo, Mayor**

AYES: Still, Matlock, Landry, Del Gaizo
NOES: None
ABSENT: Struyf
ABSTAIN: None

**ATTEST:**

Diane Clavier, City Clerk

(City Seal)

**APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY FOR THE USE AND RELIANCE OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA ONLY:**

City Attorney