



**Local Government Update
September 2026
Budget Updates**

Volusia County Council

The Volusia County Council approved its millage rates and budget for FY2026-27 on September 22. The local millage rates are as follows:

Taxing Fund/District	FY25-26 Rates	FY26-27 Rates	FY26-27 Rollback
General Fund	3.2007	3.1007	3.1007
Law Enforcement	1.5994	1.5994	1.5485
Library	0.3697	0.3697	0.3576
Volusia Forever	0.2000	0.2000	0.1936
Volusia ECHO	0.2000	0.2000	0.1936
Mosquito Control	0.1573	0.1573	0.1525
Ponce Inlet/Port Authority	0.0660	0.0640	0.0640
Municipal Service District	1.6956	1.6956	1.6495
Silver Sands- Bethune Beach	0.0099	0.0099	0.0098
Fire Rescue District	3.6236	3.5990	3.5217

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Worth noting: The County approved a one-time transfer of \$4.8 million from the economic development reserves to cover recurring costs that would otherwise need to be cut at the approved millage rates. The use of these reserves is something to monitor to ensure that it is only a one-time transfer, and that our reserves remain healthy and able to promote economic growth in the County.

Daytona Beach City Commission

The Daytona Beach City Commission approved its millage rate and budget for FY2026-27 on September 23. The local millage rate is as follows:

City of Daytona Beach	FY25-26 Rate	FY26-27 Rate	FY26-27 Rollback
Operating Millage	5.9300	5.7300	5.7309

Worth noting: The City originally proposed a flat millage of 5.9300, but we saw the first effects of HJR 3F during this meeting. The initially proposed rate did not receive the supermajority vote to approve millage rates above the rollback rate as required by HJR 3F, and the Commission therefore could not adopt it. The rate was amended to 5.7300 and passed with little debate.

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