

**WELCOME**  
**TO A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE**  
**CITY OF OPA-LOCKA CITY COMMISSION**  
**MONDAY, OCTOBER 02, 2017**

**12:00 PM**

**Sherbondy Village Auditorium**  
**215 President Barack Obama (Perviz) Avenue**  
**Opa-locka, FL 33054**



**CITY COMMISSION**

Mayor Myra L. Taylor  
Vice Mayor Joseph L. Kelley  
Commissioner Timothy Holmes  
Commissioner Matthew A. Pigatt  
Commissioner John B. Riley

**APPOINTED OFFICIALS**

Ed Brown, Interim City Manager  
Vincent T. Brown, City Attorney  
Joanna Flores, City Clerk



**CITY OF OPA-LOCKA**  
**"The Great City"**

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**AGENDA**

1. **CALL TO ORDER:**
2. **ROLL CALL:**
3. **INVOCATION:**
4. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**
5. **PUBLIC INPUT:**  
*(Agenda Items Only)*
6. **RESOLUTION:**
  - a) **A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF OPA-LOCKA, FLORIDA, ADOPTING A RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO ARTICLE IV SECTION 4.5(B) OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF OPA-LOCKA, DIRECTING THAT THE AMOUNTS APPROPRIATED FOR CURRENT OPERATIONS FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR (FY 2016-2017) BE DEEMED ADOPTED FOR THE ENSUING FISCAL YEAR (FY 2017-2018) FOR A PERIOD OF FIFTEEN (15) DAYS AND RENEWED BY RESOLUTION EACH FIFTEEN (15) DAYS THEREAFTER, WITH ALL ITEMS PRORATED ACCORDINGLY, UNTIL SUCH TIME AS THE COMMISSION ADOPTS AN ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE ENSUING FISCAL YEAR (FISCAL YEAR 2017-2018); PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE. *Sponsored by City Manager***
7. **ADJOURNMENT:**

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

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**WHEREAS**, The City Commission held its second reading and public hearing for the Fiscal Year 2017-2018 proposed Millage Rate and Budgets adoption on September 27, 2017; and

**WHEREAS**, The proposed millage rate and accompanying budgets required a unanimous vote of the City Commission pursuant to Florida Statute 200.065(5), and the required number of Commissioners needed to pass the proposed millage rate and accompanying budgets was not met; and

**WHEREAS**, The City Commission is scheduled to convene on Wednesday, October 25, 2018, at 5:01 p.m., for the second reading and public hearing for the adoption of Fiscal Year 2016-2017 proposed millage rate and budgets; and

**WHEREAS**, The State of Florida Financial Oversight Board for the City of Opa-locka requires additional time to review and approve the Fiscal Year 2017-2018 budgets proposed by the City of Opa-locka before they are accepted by the Governor of the State of Florida; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF OPA LOCKA, FLORIDA:**

**Section 1.** The recitals to the preamble herein are incorporated by reference.

**Section 2.** The City Commission of the City of Opa-locka hereby adopts a resolution pursuant to Article IV Section 4.5(B) of the City Charter, directing that the amounts appropriated for current operations for the current fiscal year (FY 2016-2017) shall be deemed adopted for the ensuing fiscal year (FY 2017-2018) for a period of fifteen (15) days and renewed by resolution each fifteen (15) days thereafter, with all items in it prorated accordingly, until such time as the Commission adopts an annual budget for the ensuing fiscal year.

**Section 3.** This Resolution shall be retroactive to October 1, 2017.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2017.**

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Myra L. Taylor  
Mayor

**Attest to:**

**Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:**

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Joanna Flores  
City Clerk



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Vincent T. Brown, Esq.  
The Brown Law Group, LLC  
City Attorney

Moved by:

Seconded by:

Commissioner Vote:

Commissioner Holmes:

Commissioner Riley

Commissioner Pigatt:

Vice Mayor Kelley:

Mayor Taylor:

**Section 4.5. - Annual Budget Adoption.**

- (A) *Balanced Budget.* Each annual budget adopted by the Commission shall be a balanced budget and adopted in accordance with Florida law.
- (B) *Budget Adoption.* The Commission shall by ordinance adopt the annual budget on or before the thirtieth (30th) day of September of each year. If it fails to adopt the annual budget by this date, the Commission may by resolution direct that the amounts appropriated for current operations for the current fiscal year shall be deemed adopted for the ensuing fiscal year for a period of fifteen (15) days and renewed by resolution each fifteen (15) days, with all items in it prorated accordingly, until such time as the Commission adopts an annual budget for the ensuing fiscal year. An ordinance adopting an annual budget shall constitute appropriation of the amounts specified therein.
- (C) *Specific Appropriation.* The budget shall be specific as to the nature of each category of appropriations therein. Reasonable appropriations may be made for contingencies, but only within defined spending categories.

(Res. No. 12-8434, § 2, 7-18-12)