

City of Gainesville Agenda Item Report

File Number: 2023-848

Agenda Date: September 7, 2023

Department: City Attorney

Title: 2023-848 Fire Assessment – Final Assessment Resolution (B)

Description: Resolution No. 2023-848

A resolution of the City of Gainesville, Florida, relating to the provision of fire services, facilities and programs in the City of Gainesville, Florida; imposing Fire Services Special Assessments against assessed properties located within the City for the fiscal year that begins October 1, 2023; providing for exemptions; approving the assessment roll; providing for the estimated fire services assessed cost; approving the rates of assessment; providing for severability; and providing an immediate effective date.

Explanation: On June 15, 2023 the City Commission adopted Resolution 2023-563 (the "Initial Assessment Resolution") which set the proposed fire services assessment rates and provided for notice by mail and publication of the proposed rates and public hearing to set the final rates. In adopting the Final Assessment Resolution, the Commission will have to determine the Fire Services Special Assessment rates for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2023.

Recommendation: The City Commission: 1) receive any written objections filed; 2) hear testimony from all interested persons; 3) approve the assessment roll; 4) establish the annual rates for the Fire Services Special Assessment; and 5) adopt the proposed Final Assessment Resolution.