



**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA**

**Citrus County Courthouse
110 N. Apopka Avenue, Room 100
Inverness, FL 34450**

MINUTES

July 22, 2026 - 8:45 AM

**Diana Finegan, Chair, District 2
Janet Barek, 1st Vice Chair, District 3
Jeff Kinnard D.C. 2nd Vice Chair, District 1
Holly L. Davis, Commissioner, District 5
Rebecca Bays, Commissioner, District 4**

**Steve L. Howard, County Administrator
Denise A. Dymond Lyn, County Attorney
Traci Perry, Clerk of the Circuit Court and
Comptroller**

A. CALL TO ORDER

July 22, 2026 Citrus County Courthouse
The meeting was called to order at 8:45 AM.

A.1. Invocation

A.2. Pledge of Allegiance

A.3. Roll Call

Present: Holly L. Davis, Rebecca Bays, Jeff Kinnard D.C., Diana Finegan, Janet Barek, County Administrator Steve Howard, Clerk of the Circuit Court and Comptroller Traci Perry, Deputy Clerk Amy Novinger, Deputy Clerk Georgette Tozer

Absent: County Attorney Denise A. Dymond Lyn

B. FIRE PROTECTION PRELIMINARY BUDGET HEARING

1. Fire Protection Preliminary Budget Hearing

Interim Management and Budget Director Barbara Luckham provided the recommendation.

Clerk's Note: The meeting moved to item C, then resumed with this item.

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Motion to set the Fire Protection Special District millage at 0.00 for the fiscal year of 2026/2027.

RESULT: **Adopted**

MOVER: Jeff Kinnard D.C.

SECONDER: Janet Barek

AYES: Davis, Bays, Kinnard D.C., Finegan, Barek

NAY: None

C. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

There were no citizen comments.

D. UPCOMING MEETINGS

1. Tentative Budget Hearing, **September 10, 2026, at 5:00 PM**, Citrus County Courthouse, Room 100, 110 N. Apopka Avenue, Inverness, FL 34450

E. ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 08:48 AM.

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