Agenda Item #: 5A-1

PALM BEACH COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Mosting Date:

Meeting Date: June 3, 2025 [] Consent [] Regular

[] Workshop [X] Public Hearing

Department: Engineering and Public Works
Submitted By: Engineering and Public Works
Submitted For: Engineering and Public Works

I. EXECUTIVE BRIEF

Motion and Title: Staff recommends motion to:

- A) adopt an Ordinance amending Palm Beach County (County) Code Chapter 17, Article I, Ordinance No. 95-23 reimposing the six (6) cent local option fuel tax upon every gallon of motor fuel and diesel fuel sold in the County; providing for relevy; effective dates; distribution of proceeds; severability; repeal of ordinances in conflict; inclusion in the code of laws and ordinances; captions; and an effective date;
- B) approve the 2025 Interlocal Agreement to Re-determine, Re-adopt, and Ratify the existing distribution formula for the six (6) cent local option fuel tax (ILA) with the Town of Highland Beach; and
- C) approve the ILA with the City of Palm Beach Gardens.

SUMMARY: On April 8, 2025, the Board of County Commissioners (BCC) approved this Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 95-23 on preliminary reading and authorized advertisement for today's Public Hearing for final adoption. This Ordinance reimposes at the current rate and levies the six (6) cent local option fuel tax (Tax) that expires on August 31, 2025. This Tax will be effective beginning September 1, 2025 through August 31, 2055. Section 336.025, Florida Statutes (Statute), authorizes the BCC to levy fuel taxes on the sale of every gallon of motor fuel and diesel fuel sold in the County. This Tax is pursuant to Section 336.025(1)(a), Florida Statutes, and is one of several taxes levied on the sale of fuel. The Tax was originally levied by Ordinance No. 83-14 at a rate of two (2) cents, and increased to four (4) cents by Ordinance No. 85-19. Ordinance No 86-23 increased the levy to six (6) cents effective through August 1995, and Ordinance No. 95-23 extended the effective date through August 31, 2025. The County currently receives 66.5648% of this Tax revenue and municipalities collectively share the remaining 33.4352%, pursuant to the distribution formula based upon population and roadway lane miles. Use of proceeds from this Tax is restricted to transportation expenditures that include: a) public transportation operations and maintenance; b) roadway and right-of-way maintenance and equipment and structures used primarily for the storage and maintenance of such equipment; c) roadway and right-of-way drainage; d) street lighting installation, operation, maintenance, and repair; e) traffic signs, traffic engineering, signalization, and pavement markings, installation, operation maintenance, and repair; f) bridge maintenance and operation; g) debt service and current expenditures for transportation capital projects in the foregoing program areas, including construction or reconstruction of roads and sidewalks.

These two (2) ILAs, in addition to the 27 ILAs that were approved on April 8, 2025 and May 6, 2025, represent a 73.9% majority of the population of the incorporated area. The ILA was prepared in coordination with the League of Cities (League), reviewed by the Engineering and Public Works Department (EPW), the Office of Financial Management and Budget (OFMB), and the County Attorney's Office. The League conducted outreach to all eligible municipalities in the County for ILA execution and forwarded the ILAs to the County for approval upon receipt. The Engineering and Public Works Department advertised this public hearing on May 16, 2025. Countywide (YBH)

Background and Policy Issues:

(Continued on Page 3)

Attachments:

- 1. Proposed Local Option Gas Tax for Six Cents Ordinance with Exhibit A: clean version
- 2. Proposed Local Option Gas Tax for Six Cents Ordinance with Exhibit A: strike-through/underline version
- 3. Fuel Tax Analysis
- 4. 2025 Interlocal Agreement with the Town of Highland Beach
- 5. 2025 Interlocal Agreement with the City of Palm Beach Gardens

Recommended by:	David 2 hol	7 MAY 2025	
YBH/TEL TEL	County Engineer	Date	
Approved by:	Tao	5/3/25	•
	Deputy County Administrator	Date	

II. FISCAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

A. Five Year Summary of Fiscal Impact:

Fiscal Years	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Capital Expenditures	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Operating Costs	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
External Revenues	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Program Income (County)	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
In-Kind Match (County)	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
NET FISCAL IMPACT	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
# ADDITIONAL FTE POSITIONS (Cumulative)	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-

Is	Item	Included in	Current Budget?	Yes Yes	1	on	~
		<u>-</u>	Federal Funds?	Yes	1	No[~
Is	this	item using	State Funds?	Yes	ı	No	/

Budget Account No: Fund Dept Unit Object Recommended Sources of Funds/Summary of Fiscal Impact:

C. Departmental Fiscal Review:

III. REVIEW COMMENTS

A. OFMB Fiscal and/or Contract Dev. and Control Comments;

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Contract Dev. and Control

B. Approved as to Form and Legal Sufficiency:

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Assistant County Attorney

C. Other Department Review:

Department Director

^{**}No Fiscal Impact**

Background and Policy Issues (Continued from Page 1): The Statute allows the BCC to reimpose the Tax at the current rate, provided that the Tax is levied before July 1 to be effective September 1 of the year of expiration, and a redetermination of the method of distribution is made as provided in the Statute. After reviewing this Ordinance and consulting with OFMB, EPW recommends adoption of the Ordinance by the BCC.

1	ORDINANCE NO. 20
2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS (BCC) OF PALM BEACH COUNTY (COUNTY), FLORIDA, AMENDING COUNTY CODE CHAPTER 17, ARTICLE I, SECTION 17-3(a)-(c), ORDINANCE NO. 95-23 (ORDINANCE) REIMPOSING THE SIX (6) CENT LOCAL OPTION FUEL TAX UPON EVERY GALLON OF MOTOR FUEL AND DIESEL FUEL SOLD IN THE COUNTY; PROVIDING FOR RELEVY; EFFECTIVE DATES; SEVERABILITY; REPEAL OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; INCLUSION IN THE CODE OF LAWS AND ORDINANCES; CAPTIONS; AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.
12 13	WHEREAS, by Ordinance No. 85-19, the BCC levied a four (4) cent local option fuel tax
14	on every gallon of motor fuel and diesel fuel sold in the County; and
15	WHEREAS, by Ordinance No. 86-23, the BCC amended Ordinance No. 85-19 to increase
16	the levy to six (6) cents; and
17	WHEREAS, by Ordinance No. 95-23, the BCC amended Ordinance No. 86-23 to extend
18	the levy of the six (6) cent local option fuel tax through August 31, 2025; and
19	WHEREAS, the BCC is authorized by Section 336.025(1)(a), Florida Statutes (Statute),
20	to reimpose the six (6) cent local option fuel tax at the current authorized rate provided that the tax
21	is levied before July 1 and is effective September 1 of the year of expiration; and provided that a
22	redetermination of the method of distribution is made as provided in the Statute; and
23	WHEREAS, the BCC has determined that it is in the public interest to reimpose at the
24	current authorized rate the levy of the six (6) cent local option fuel tax, effective September 1,
25	2025 through August 31, 2055.
26	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY
27	COMMISSIONERS OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, that:
28	Chapter 17, Article I of the County Code, Ordinance No. 95-23, is amended as follows:
29	Section 1. Section 17-3 Local Option Fuel Tax.
30 31 32	a) Levied. A six-cent local option fuel tax of six cents (\$0.06) is hereby reimposed and levied upon every gallon of motor fuel and diesel fuel sold in the County and taxed under the provisions of Chapter 206, Florida Statutes.
33 34	b) Effective Dates. The six-cent tax levied in subsection (a) shall be effective from September 1, 2025 to August 31, 2055, both inclusive.
35 36 37 38	c) Distributions of Proceeds. The distribution formula for dividing the entire proceeds of the tax levied by subsection (a) shall be as provided in that certain interlocal agreement by and between the County and the municipalities representing a majority of the population of the incorporated area within the County.
39	Section 2. Severability.
40 41	The invalidity of any provision, portion, article, paragraph, clause, or any portion thereof of this Ordinance shall not affect the validity of any other provision, portion, article, paragraph, clause,

43 Section 3. Repeal of Ordinances in Conflict.

or any portion thereof.

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- Ordinance No. 95-23, as codified at Section 17-3, Code of Laws and Ordinances of Palm Beach
- County, Florida, is hereby amended, as are other applicable rules and regulations to the extent that
- 46 they conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance.

1	Section 4. Inclusion in the Code of Laws and Ordinances.
2 3 4 5	The provisions of this Ordinance shall become and be made part of the Code of Laws and Ordinances of Palm Beach County, Florida, and the sections of this Ordinance may be renumbered or re-lettered to accomplish such intention, and the word ordinance may be changed to section or another appropriate word.
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9	Section 6. Effective Date.
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4 5 6 7 8	JOSEPH ABRUZZO Clerk of the Circuit Court & Comptroller	PALM BEACH COUNTY, a Political Subdivision of the State of Florida, by and through its Board of County Commissioners
9	By:	By:
10	Deputy Clerk	Maria G. Marino, Mayor
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12 13 14	APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY	APPROVED AS TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS
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Section 2. Severability.

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the proceeds of the tax as provided in exhibit Λ of the interlocal agreement.

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Since 2013, proceeds from the six cent fuel tax of \$19.8 million are distributed to Palm Tran and excess funds are distributed to the County Transportation Trust (EPW roads). Actual collections for FY 2024 are \$24,632,973 (\$19.8 million to Palm Tran and \$4,832,973 to EPW) and the budget for FY 2025 is \$25,378,000 (\$19.8 million to Palm Tran and \$5,578,000 to EPW).

The County also receives fuel taxes from the Constitutional Fuel Tax, the County Fuel Tax, and separate Local Option Fuel Taxes (LOFT). The various fuel taxes are distributed to EPW and Palm Tran. Details of these other taxes are below and those remain unchanged by this agenda item.

State Constitutional Fuel Tax (F.S. 206.41)

The Constitutional Fuel Tax (CFT) is two cents per net gallon on motor fuel sold statewide, collected by the Department of Revenue (DOR) and transferred to the State Board of Administration (SBA) for distribution to the counties. CFT is distributed based on a formula that includes area, population, and collections. The CFT uses the first 80% of the tax for State debt that has been pledged to be repaid from this tax (currently no debt exists). The remaining 20% is distributed to the counties.

After meeting the debt service requirements at the State, counties must use the CFT for the acquisition, construction, and maintenance of roads. The term "maintenance" includes periodic maintenance and routine maintenance as defined in F.S. 334.03 and includes the construction and installation of traffic signals, sidewalks, bicycle paths, and landscaping. The funds may be used as matching funds for any federal, state, or private grant specifically related to these purposes.

The County allocates these funds to EPW. Actual collections for FY 2024 are \$13,345,663 and the budget for FY 2025 is \$13,382,000. No changes are proposed herein to this tax.

County Fuel Tax (F.S. 206.60)

The County Fuel Tax (CFT) is one cent per net gallon on motor fuel sold statewide, collected and distributed by DOR. CFT is distributed based on a formula that includes area, population, and collections.

The proceeds shall be used solely for the acquisition of rights-of-way; the construction, reconstruction, operation, maintenance, and repair of transportation facilities, roads, bridges, bicycle paths, and pedestrian pathways therein; or the reduction of bonded indebtedness of the County incurred for road and bridge or other transportation purposes.

The County allocates these funds to EPW. Actual collections for FY 2024 are \$5,806,984 and the budget for FY 2025 is \$5,998,000. No changes are proposed herein to this tax.

Five Cent Local Option Fuel Tax (F.S. 336.025(1)(b)

Palm Beach County levies a LOFT of five cents per gallon on motor fuel. This tax was enacted by an ordinance adopted by the BCC. Florida Statutes allows this tax to be 1-5 cents. The County receives 79% and the remaining 21% is distributed to the municipalities based on interlocal agreements. The proceeds are restricted to transportation expenditures needed to meet the requirements of the capital improvements element of an adopted comprehensive plan, or for expenditures needed to meet immediate local transportation problems and for other transportation-related expenditures that are critical for building comprehensive roadway networks by local governments. Expenditures for these purposes include construction of new roads, the reconstruction or resurfacing of existing paved road, or the paving of existing graded roads shall be deemed to increase capacity and such projects shall be included in the capital improvements element of an adopted comprehensive plan. Expenditures for purposes of this tax shall not include routine maintenance of roads.

The proceeds are allocated equally between Palm Tran and EPW. Actual collections for FY 2024 are \$21,000,200 (\$10,500,100 to Palm Tran and \$10,500,100 to EPW) and the budget for FY 2025 is \$21,906,000 (\$10,953,000 to Palm Tran and \$10,953,000 to EPW). No changes are proposed herein to this tax.

Ninth Cent Local Option Fuel Tax (F.S. 336.021(1)(A)

Palm Beach County levies a LOFT (known as the "ninth cent") of one cent per gallon on motor fuel and diesel fuel. This tax was enacted by an ordinance adopted by the BCC. The County receives 100% of the tax. The proceeds are restricted to transportation expenditures that include: a) public transportation operations and maintenance; b) roadway and right-of-way maintenance and equipment and structures used primarily for the storage and maintenance of such equipment; c) roadway and right-of-way drainage; d) street lighting installation, operation, maintenance, and repair; e) traffic signs, traffic engineering, signalization, and pavement markings, installation, operation maintenance, and repair; f) bridge maintenance and operation; g) debt service and current expenditures for transportation capital projects in the foregoing program areas, including construction or reconstruction of roads and sidewalks.

The proceeds are allocated equally between Palm Tran and EPW. Actual collections for FY 2024 are \$6,600,790 (\$3,300,395 to Palm Tran and \$3,300,395 to EPW) and the budget for FY 2025 is \$6,878,000 (\$3,439,000 to Palm Tran and \$3,439,000 to EPW). No changes are proposed herein to this tax.

INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT TO REDETERMINE, RE-ADOPT AND RATIFY EXISTING DISTRIBUTION FORMULA FOR SIX (6) CENT LOCAL OPTION FUEL TAX

THIS INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT is dated, made, and entered into on this <u>3ro</u> day of 2025, by and between Palm Beach County, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, hereinafter referred to as the COUNTY, and Town of Highland Beach, a municipal corporation located in Palm Beach County, Florida, and organized and existing in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida, hereinafter referred to as the MUNICIPALITY.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Section 336.025(1)(a), Florida Statutes (STATUTE) authorizes a one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), and/or six (6) cent local option fuel tax to be levied upon the sale of every gallon of motor fuel and special fuel within the COUNTY; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the STATUTE, in 1995, the COUNTY re-levied the six (6) cent local option fuel tax (TAX) for a 30 year term, as provided in County Code Chapter 17, Article I, Section 17-3 (1995 ORDINANCE). Pursuant to the STATUTE and prior to enacting the 1995 ORDINANCE, the COUNTY established by interlocal agreement with various municipalities representing a majority of the population of the incorporated area within the COUNTY, the distribution formula for dividing the entire proceeds of the TAX among the COUNTY and all eligible municipalities within the COUNTY (collectively, 1995 INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT); and

WHEREAS, the 1995 ORDINANCE and the 1995 INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT will, by their own terms and in accordance with the STATUTE, terminate on August 31, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the COUNTY desires to once again re-levy and re-impose the TAX for a new 30 year term pursuant to the STATUTE, and enter into this Interlocal Agreement to redetermine the distribution formula for dividing the entire proceeds of the TAX among the COUNTY and all eligible municipalities within the COUNTY; and

WHEREAS, representatives of the COUNTY and the various municipalities, utilizing the Palm Beach County League of Cities, Inc., (LEAGUE) have met and negotiated mutually acceptable terms and conditions for this Interlocal Agreement, which terms are set forth herein; and

WHEREAS, once effective, this Interlocal Agreement re-adopts and ratifies the distribution

formula currently in effect for dividing the entire proceeds of the TAX among the COUNTY and all eligible municipalities within the COUNTY.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and the mutual covenants herein contained and for such other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which the parties hereby expressly acknowledge, the COUNTY and the MUNICIPALITY hereto covenant and agree to enter into this Interlocal Agreement as follows:

Section 1: This Interlocal Agreement is entered into with the specific contemplation that the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County (BCC) will enact an appropriate ordinance to releve the TAX to be effective September 1, 2025 (2025 ORDINANCE). In the event the BCC fails or refuses to enact the 2025 ORDINANCE to releve the TAX, this Interlocal Agreement shall be null and void.

Section 2: The term of this Interlocal Agreement shall be for the same duration as the 2025 ORDINANCE relevying the TAX. Upon the expiration of the levy of the TAX, as provided in the 2025 ORDINANCE, this Interlocal Agreement shall terminate; except that if the BCC reimposes the TAX again as provided in the STATUTE, then this Interlocal Agreement may be renewed as provided for in the STATUTE.

Section 3:

- A. All proceeds of the TAX collected pursuant to Section 336.025(1)(a), *Florida Statutes* shall be divided between the COUNTY and the municipalities, as follows (DISTRIBUTION FORMULA):
 - 1. The COUNTY shall receive 66.5648 percent of the TAX collected.
 - 2. The municipalities collectively shall receive 33.4352 percent of the TAX collected (TOTAL MUNICIPAL SHARE).
- B. All money shall be collected and distributed to the respective parties as provided in Section 336.025(2), *Florida Statutes*.
- C. The MUNICIPALITY (and all other municipalities eligible to participate in the distribution of the proceeds of the TAX) shall receive a pro rata share of the TOTAL MUNICIPAL SHARE pursuant to a formula (MUNICIPAL SHARE FORMULA) that is based seventy percent (70%) on lane miles located within the MUNICIPALITY (and for all other municipalities eligible to

participate in the distribution of the proceeds of the TAX) for which the MUNICIPALITY (or the other eligible municipalities) is responsible for maintenance, and thirty percent (30%) on the population of the MUNICIPALITY (or the other eligible municipalities) based upon the most recent University of Florida Population Estimate. The MUNICIPAL SHARE FORMULA is:

(30% x (Municipality's population/sum of all of Municipalities' population)) + <math>(70% x) (Municipality's lane miles/sum of all of Municipalities' lane miles)) = Municipality's Pro Rata Share.

Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference identifies each eligible municipality's pro rata share of the TOTAL MUNICIPAL SHARE. The calculation(s) of the MUNICIPAL SHARE FORMULA may be amended not more than once annually by the Palm Beach County League of Cities, Inc., by the preparation of a new Exhibit A on behalf of the municipalities and based upon changes in the MUNICIPAL SHARE FORMULA and submitting the new Exhibit A to the COUNTY Administrator no later than June 1 of any year. The COUNTY Administrator shall then transmit the new Exhibit A to the Florida Department of Revenue.

- D. In the event that a new municipality is incorporated in the COUNTY, the new municipality's share of the TAX shall be provided from the share formerly allocated to the COUNTY and the TOTAL MUNICIPAL SHARE, as set forth below.
 - 1. In the first full fiscal year following incorporation, the new municipality will receive a share based solely on its population, as opposed to the MUNICIPAL SHARE FORMULA that considers lane miles and population, as set forth in Section 3C above. The new municipality's share shall be determined pursuant to **Exhibit B** attached hereto which shows an example of the calculations for a hypothetical new municipality with a population of 40,000.
 - a. The combined COUNTY and collective municipalities contributions shall equal one hundred percent (100%) of the new municipality's share.
 - b. Section 3C above shall continue to apply as the MUNICIPAL SHARE FORMULA for the remaining municipalities after their contribution to the new municipality's share as set forth in Section 3 D1 above.
 - 2. In the subsequent fiscal years after the first full fiscal year following incorporation of the new municipality:

- a. The percentage allocated to the COUNTY in the DISTRIBUTION FORMULA in Section 3A above, as may be amended, shall be reduced by an amount that reflects the COUNTY's contribution to the new municipality's share, as set forth in Section 3D1, above.
- b. Likewise, the TOTAL MUNICIPAL SHARE, including the new municipality, in Section 3A above, as may be amended, shall be increased by an amount that reflects the COUNTY's contribution to the new municipality's share, as set forth in Section 3D1 above.
- c. Section 3C below shall apply to the new municipality in all annual distributions in the years after the first full fiscal year following incorporation of the new municipality.
- E. In the event an existing municipality in the COUNTY is dissolved, the former municipality's share of the TAX shall be distributed to the COUNTY and to the remaining collective municipalities by applying in reverse the process set forth in Section 3D, above.
- F. In the event of proposed legislation which would either create or dissolve a municipality in the COUNTY, the COUNTY and the subject municipality agree that the COUNTY Legislative Delegation and the Florida Legislature (and Governor, if deemed necessary) be made aware of this Interlocal Agreement and appropriately incorporate its provisions into such proposed legislation. The subject municipality may accomplish this by supporting the LEAGUE, as the organization that is in place to convey municipal consensus on legislative matters.

Section 4: This Interlocal Agreement between the COUNTY and the MUNICIPALITY is one of several identical interlocal agreements between the COUNTY and other municipalities providing the same terms for the distribution of the proceeds of the TAX. As such, this Interlocal Agreement along with all other identical interlocal agreements may be executed in multiple counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which combined shall constitute one in the same Interlocal Agreement for purposes of Section 336.025 Florida Statutes. The Interlocal Agreement between the COUNTY and the MUNICIPALITY, along with the identical interlocal agreements executed by other municipalities in the COUNTY represent a majority of the incorporated population of the COUNTY.

Section 5: The COUNTY and the MUNICIPALITY agree to meet every two (2) years to Page 4 of 8

evaluate the method of distribution of the TAX revenues as required by Section 336.025(1)(d), Florida Statutes. The MUNICIPALITY and all other municipalities that have executed an identical interlocal agreement shall be collectively represented at said meeting by the Palm Beach County League of Cities, Inc. The COUNTY shall be represented at said meeting by representatives selected by the COUNTY Administrator's Office. The MUNICIPALITY or the COUNTY may call for said meeting by providing thirty (30) days' notice to the other as set forth in Section 12 below.

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REVIEWED FOR LEGAL SUFFICIENCY	(SEAL) OF HIGHLAND OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PR
By:	SEAL
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By:County Clerk	Ву:
	[∢] Maria G. Marino, Mayor (SEAL)
APPROVED AS TO LEGAL SUFFICIENCY	APPROVED AS TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS
By: Attorney	By:
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Resolution No. 2025-004

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Jupiter	308,473	2.155	310.628	8.100%	61,333	7.119%	7.80560%	2.60982%
lupiter Inlet Colony	5.455	0.000	5,455	0.142%	400	0.046%	0.11350%	0.03795%
Lake Clarke Shores	25.658	0.000	25.658	0.669%	3,556	0.413%	0.59216%	0.19799%
Lake Park	60.089	1.231	61.320	1,599%	9,025	1.048%	1,43354%	0.47931%
Lake Worth Beach	205.897	0.500	206.397	5.382%	43,432	5.041%	5.27973%	1.76529%
Lantana	63.141	4.052	67.193	1.752%	12,244	1,421%	1.65283%	0.55263%
Loxahatchee Groves	109.934	0.000	109,934	2.867%	3,373	0.391%	2.12410%	0.71020%
Manalapan	4.896	0.000	4.896	0.128%	420	0.049%	0.10399%	0.03477%
Mangonia Park	16.637	0.000	16.637	0.434%	2,369	0.275%	0.38617%	0.12912%
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Palm Beach Gardens	151,491	4.628	156.119	4.071%	61,517	7.140%	4.99173%	1.66899%
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Royal Palm Beach	152.059	0.000	152.059	3.965%	40,299	4.677%	4.17880%	1.39719%
South Bay	25,240	0.000	25,24D	0.658%	4,958	0.575%	0.63335%	0.21176%
South Palm Beach	0.000	0.000	0.000	0,000%	1,469	0.171%	0.05115%	0.01710%
Tequesta	44.689	0.189	44.878	1.170%	6,179	0.717%	1.03432%	0.34583%
Wellington	382.394	0.000	382,394	9.971%	61,788	7,172%	9,13141%	3.05310%
West Palm Beach	503.170	30.870	534,040	13.926%	122,157	14.179%	14.00151%	4.68143%
TOTAL	3768.158	66.785	3834,943	100%	861,561	100%	100%	33,4352%

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Value "B" = Individual municipality's percentage of total municipal population

Value "C" = 70% of Value "A" + 30% of Value "B"

Value "D" = Value "C" x 33.4352 Municipal Split

Resolution No. 2025-004 Exhibit B

Example for a hypothetical new municipality with a population of 40,000

2024 Distribution Formula:

CountyShare

66.5648%

Municipalities' <u>TOTAL MUNICIPAL SHARE</u> 33.4352%

2024 Total Municipal Population = 861,561

New Municipality's 1st full fiscal year share is based solely on the percentage of its population:

40,000/861,561 = 4.643%

New Municipality's Pro Rata Share of the TOTAL MUNICIPAL SHARE:

4.643% X 33.4352% = 1.552%

Calculation for the Change in the County Share:

1.552% X 66.5648% = 1.0333%

Resulting in the Updated County Share:

66.5648% - 1.0333% = 65.5315%

And the Updated TOTAL MUNICIPAL SHARE:

33.4352% + 1.0333% = 34.4685%

INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT TO REDETERMINE, RE-ADOPT AND RATIFY EXISTING DISTRIBUTION FORMULA FOR SIX (6) CENT LOCAL OPTION FUEL TAX

THIS INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT is dated, made, and entered into on this 3rd day of 2025, by and between Palm Beach County, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, hereinafter referred to as the COUNTY, and the City of Palm Beach Gardens, a municipal corporation located in Palm Beach County, Florida, and organized and existing in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida, hereinafter referred to as the MUNICIPALITY.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Section 336.025(1)(a), *Florida Statutes* (STATUTE) authorizes a one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), and/or six (6) cent local option fuel tax to be levied upon the sale of every gallon of motor fuel and special fuel within the COUNTY; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the STATUTE, in 1995, the COUNTY re-levied the six (6) cent local option fuel tax (TAX) for a 30 year term, as provided in County Code Chapter 17, Article I, Section 17-3 (1995 ORDINANCE). Pursuant to the STATUTE and prior to enacting the 1995 ORDINANCE, the COUNTY established by interlocal agreement with various municipalities representing a majority of the population of the incorporated area within the COUNTY, the distribution formula for dividing the entire proceeds of the TAX among the COUNTY and all eligible municipalities within the COUNTY (collectively, 1995 INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT); and

WHEREAS, the 1995 ORDINANCE and the 1995INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT will, by their own terms and in accordance with the STATUTE, terminate on August 31, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the COUNTY desires to once again re-levy and re-impose the TAX for a new 30 year term pursuant to the STATUTE, and enter into this Interlocal Agreement to redetermine the distribution formula for dividing the entire proceeds of the TAX among the COUNTY and all eligible municipalities within the COUNTY; and

WHEREAS, representatives of the COUNTY and the various municipalities, utilizing the Palm Beach County League of Cities, Inc., (LEAGUE) have met and negotiated mutually acceptable terms and conditions for this Interlocal Agreement, which terms are set forth herein; and

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NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and the mutual covenants herein contained and for such other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which the parties hereby expressly acknowledge, the COUNTY and the MUNICIPALITY hereto covenant and agree to enter into this Interlocal Agreement as follows:

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	(SEAL)
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By:	By:
County Clerk	Maria G. Marino, Mayor
	(SEAL)
APPROVED AS TO LEGAL SUFFICIENCY	APPROVED AS TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS
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Haverhill	14,447	0000	14,447	0.377%	2,193	0.255%	Q.34007%	0.11370%
Highland Beach	2.516	0000	2.516	0.056%	4,303	0.499%	0.19576%	0.06545%
Hypoluxo	0.000	0000	0000	%000°0	2,687	0.312%	0.09356%	0.03128%
Juno Beach	10,166	0.157	10,323	0.269%	3,883	0.451%	0.32364%	0,10821%
Jupiter	308,473	1,155	910.628	8.100%	61,333	7.119%	7.80580%	2,60982%
Jupiter Inlet Colony	5.455	0,000	5,455	0.142%	9		0.11350%	0.03795%
Lake Clerke Shores	25.658	0,000	25.656	%699"0	3,556	_	0.59216%	0.19799%
Lake Park	60,089	1,231	61.320	1.599%	9,025	1.048%	1,43354%	0.47931%
Lake Worth Beach	205,897	0500	206.397	S.382%	43,432	5,041%	5.2797.3%	1,76529%
Lantana	63.141	4,052	67,193	1.752%	12,244	1,421%	1.65283%	%E9Z55:0
Loxahatchee Groves	109,934	000'0	109.934	2.867%	E/2'E	92160	2.12410%	0.71020%
nedeleness	4.896	0000	4.896	0.128%	420	0.049%	0,10399%	0,03477%
Mangonia Park	16.637	0000	16,637	0,434%	2,369		0,3861776	0.12512%
North Palm Beach	58,853	4,532	63,385	1.653%	13,145	1.526%	1.61470%	0.53968%
Ocean Ridge	13,260	0.000	13.260	0.346%	1,830	0.212%	0.30576%	0.10223%
Pahokee	43.880	0.249	44,129	1.151%	5,607	0.651%	1.00073%	0.33460%
Palm Beach	84.546	1.324	85,870	2,239%	9,207	7,089%	1.88800%	0.63125%
Palm Beach Gardens	151.491	4,628	156.119	4.071%	715,13	7,140%	4.99173%	1.66899%
Palm Beach Shores	5,833	0000	9.833	0.256%	1,309	0.152%	0.22506%	0,0752.5%
Paim Springs	77,160	0,000	77,160	2,012%	27,167	3,153%	2,35439%	0.78719%
Alviera Beach	162,863	0.505	163,368	4,260%	38,795	4.503%	4.33285%	1.44870%
Royal Palm Beach	152.059	0,000	152,059	3.965%	40,299	4,577%	4.17880%	1.3971.9%
South Bay	25,240	0000	25.240	C.658%	4,958	0.575%	0.63335%	0.21176%
South Palm Beach	0,000	0000	0.000	0.000%	1,469	0.171%	0.05115%	0.01710%
Tequesta	44.689	0.189	44,578	1,170%	6,179	%CTC'0	1.03432%	0.34583%
Wellington	382,354	0.000	382,394	9.971%	61,788	7.172%	9.13141%	3.05310%
West Pain Beach	503 170	30.870	534.040	13.926%	122,157	14179%	14,00151%	4.65143%

** Westlake is not eligible to receive local option gas tax revenue distributions; Colocidato Legenet:
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Exhibit B

Example for a hypothetical new municipality with a population of 40,000

2024 Distribution Formula:

CountyShare

66.5648%

Municipalities' TOTAL MUNICIPAL SHARE 33.4352%

2024 Total Municipal Population = 861,561

New Municipality's 1st full fiscal year share is based solely on the percentage of its population:

40,000/861,561 = 4.643%

New Municipality's Pro Rata Share of the TOTAL MUNICIPAL SHARE:

4.643% X 33.4352% = 1.552%

Calculation for the Change in the County Share:

1.552% X 66.5648% = 1.0333%

Resulting in the Updated County Share:

66.5648% - 1.0333% = 65.5315%

And the Updated TOTAL MUNICIPAL SHARE:

33.4352% + 1.0333% = 34.4685%