

ORDINANCE NO. 5

AN ORDINANCE FINDING AND DETERMINING THE NEED FOR ADDITIONAL REVENUE FOR THE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF MUNICIPAL FUNCTIONS FOR THE TOWN OF GREENWOOD FOR THE CURRENT YEAR; LEVYING UPON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE MUNICIPALITY AN AD VALOREM TAX TOTALING THREE MILLS FOR SUCH PURPOSES; PROVIDING FOR THE ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION THEREOF; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town of Greenwood is, by its Charter and by the General Laws of the State of Florida, authorized to levy not more than ten mills in ad valorem taxes against all non-exempt real and personal property within the corporate limits of the Town, and

WHEREAS, the Town Council has found and determined that it is both necessary and appropriate that an ad valorem tax be levied for the express purpose of providing funds for the operation of the municipal government, and in order to qualify for receipt of revenue sharing funds from the State of Florida under the provisions of House Bill 1176, as adopted by the Florida Legislature in its 1973 regular session, the same having become a law effective July 1, 1973, now therefore

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GREENWOOD, FLORIDA:

Section 1. There is hereby fixed and levied upon all taxable property, real and personal, within the Town of Greenwood, subject to taxation, and excluding homestead and other property exempt from taxation a total of three mills for the purpose of providing revenue for the continuing operations of municipal functions within the Town.

Section 2. The tax imposed by Section 1 hereof shall be assessed by the Tax Assessor of Jackson County, Florida, as of January 1, 1973, in the manner and form prescribed by law, and the same shall be certified to and collected by the Tax Collector of Jackson County, Florida, to be remitted by him to the Town, also in the manner and form prescribed by law.

Section 3. Copies of this Ordinance shall be certified by the Town Clerk and forwarded to the Tax Assessor and Tax Collector of Jackson County, Florida, and to the Department of Revenue of the State of Florida.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage by the Town Council of the Town of Greenwood, Florida, and its approval by the Mayor, or upon its becoming a law without such approval, and shall be published by posting in three public places in the Town of Greenwood, one of which shall be at the Town Hall.

PRESENTED to the Town Council of the Town of Greenwood, Florida, and read in full on this the 21st day of August, 1973.

PASSED by the Town Council of the Town of Greenwood, Florida, on this the 28th day of August, 1973.

TOWN OF GREENWOOD

Ed Dickson
President, Town Council

Attest: *Felix P. Davis*
Town Clerk

Approved by me on this the 27th
day of August, 1973.

Robert B. Bunker
Mayor

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF JACKSON

I, Ruby F. Davis, the duly appointed and acting Town Clerk of the Town of Greenwood, do hereby certify that the foregoing constitutes a true and accurate copy of that certain Ordinance adopted by the Town Council in Special meeting assembled on the 27th day of August, 1973.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Town on the 28th day of August, 1973.

Ruby F. Davis
Town Clerk

