

# THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION (AND RUN-OFF ELECTION, IF REQUIRED)

Notice is hereby given that a General Election has been called by the Mayor and City Commission of the City of Miami Beach, Florida, pursuant to City Resolution No. 2021-31763, and will be held in the City of Miami Beach, Florida from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on November 2, 2021, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and three (3) City Commissioners in Groups I, II, and III, respectively, each of whom shall hold office for the terms as provided by law. A Run-Off Election, if required, shall be held from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on November 16, 2021.

At the November 2, 2021 General Election, the following shall be submitted to the duly registered and qualified voters of the City of Miami Beach:

#### **FOR MAYOR**

(Vote for one (1) only)

Jean Marie Echemendia	260
Ronnie Eith	261
Dan Gelber	262
Carlos "Sp4" Enrique Gutierrez	263
Gus Manessis	264

## FOR CITY COMMISSIONER GROUP I

(Vote for one (1) only)

Greg Branch	265
Adrian Gonzalez	266
Kristen Rosen Gonzalez	267
Raquel Pacheco	268
Blake Young	269

#### FOR CITY COMMISSIONER GROUP II

(Vote for one (1) only)

Fabián Basabe	270
Mark Samuelian	271

## **FOR CITY COMMISSIONER GROUP III**

(Vote for one (1) only)

Michael "Mike B" Barrineau	272
Melissa Beattie	273
Stephen Cohen	274
Alex Fernandez	275

## NOTICE TO THE VOTERS REGARDING CANDIDATES

Greg Branch, a candidate in the race for the office of Group I – Commissioner has withdrawn, such that: A vote cast for Greg Branch will not count. A vote cast for Adrian Gonzalez will count. A vote cast for Kristen Rosen Gonzalez will count. A vote cast for Raquel Pacheco will count. A vote cast for Blake Young will count. See Miami-Dade County Department of Election's Notice at: www.votemiamibeach.com.

Fabián Basabe, a candidate in the race for the office of Group II - Commissioner has been disqualified, resulting in an unopposed candidate race. A vote cast in this race will not change the outcome as the remaining candidate, Mark Samuelian, is deemed by law to be elected for that race. See Miami-Dade County Department of Election's Notice at: <a href="https://www.votemiamibeach.com">www.votemiamibeach.com</a>.

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Miami-Dade County election officials shall conduct the General Election and Run-Off Election, if required, with acceptance of the certification of the results of the Elections to be performed by the Miami Beach City Commission. The official returns for each precinct shall be furnished to the City Clerk of the City of Miami Beach as soon as the ballots from all precincts have been tabulated.

The voting precincts in the City for the General Election and Run-Off Election, if required, shall be as established by Miami-Dade County election officials. On Election Day, all electors shall vote at the polling places and the voting precincts in which the official registration books show that the electors reside. All questions concerning polling places and voting precincts should be directed to the Miami-Dade County Elections Department, 2700 NW 87 Avenue, Miami, Florida 33172; Telephone: 305.499.VOTE (8683) or TTY: 305.499.8480.

Registration of persons desiring to vote in the General and Run-Off Elections shall be in accordance with the general law of the State of Florida governing voter registration. Qualified persons may obtain registration forms to vote at the Office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 1700 Convention Center Drive, First Floor, Miami Beach, Florida, 33139, during normal business hours, and at such other voter registration centers and during such times as may be provided by the Supervisor of Elections of Miami-Dade County. The Miami-Dade County Supervisor of Elections will register voters for the General Election until 5:00 p.m. on October 4, 2021; and will register voters for the Run-Off Election, if required, until 5:00 p.m. on October 18, 2021. All persons eligible to vote in the Elections must be registered before the times and dates set forth herein or have registered previously, as provided by law. Each person desiring to become a registered voter shall be responsible for properly filling out the registration form and returning it to the Miami-Dade County Elections Department. All questions concerning voter registration should be directed to the Miami-Dade County Elections Department, 2700 NW 87 Avenue, Miami, Florida 33172; Telephone: 305.499.VOTE (8683) or TTY: 305.499.8480.

Voters participating via a Vote-by-Mail ballot in the General Election and/or Run-Off Election, if required, shall be entitled to cast their ballots in accordance with the provisions of the Laws of the State of Florida with respect to such voting. The deadline to request a Vote-by-Mail ballot from the Miami-Dade County Elections Department for the General Election is **5:00 p.m.** on **October 23, 2021**; and the deadline to request a Vote-by-Mail ballot from the Miami-Dade County Elections Department for the Run-Off Election, if required, is **5:00 p.m.** on **November 6, 2021**. All questions concerning Vote-by-Mail should be directed to the Miami-Dade County Elections Department, 2700 NW 87 Avenue, Miami, Florida 33172; Telephone: 305.499.VOTE (8683) or TTY: 305.499.8480.

Voters participating via Early Voting in the General and/or Ruff-Off Election, if required, may vote at any of the two Early Voting sites located in Miami Beach: Miami Beach City Hall (First Floor Conference Room), 1700 Convention Center Drive and North Shore Branch Library, 7501 Collins Avenue. Early Voting for the General Election is from Monday, October 18, 2021 through Sunday, October 31, 2021. For Early Voting hours during the General Election, please visit <a href="https://www.votemiamibeach.com">www.votemiamibeach.com</a> or contact the Miami Beach Office of the City Clerk at 305.673.7411 or 711 (TTY). Early Voting for the Run-Off Election, if required, will be from Friday, November 12, 2021 through Sunday, November 14, 2021 from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The General Election and Run-Off Election, if required, will be conducted in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Florida Statutes and the Charter and Code of the City of Miami Beach, Florida. A Copy of Resolution No. 2021-31763 is available at the Office of the City Clerk and online at: <a href="https://www.votemiamibeach.com">www.votemiamibeach.com</a>.

For more information, please contact the City of Miami Beach Office of the City Clerk at 305.673.7411 or via email at <a href="mailto:CityClerk@miamibeachfl.gov">CityClerk@miamibeachfl.gov</a>.

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