

**NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION
TO AMEND THE MIAMI CITY CHARTER TO BE HELD ON
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2016
IN THE CITY OF MIAMI, FLORIDA
PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 16-0348**



A Special Election will be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2016 from 7:00 A.M. until 7:00 P.M. in the City of Miami, Florida, at the polling places in the several Special Election precincts designated by the Board of County Commissioners of Miami-Dade County, Florida, as set forth herein, unless otherwise provided by law, and submitting to the qualified electors of the City of Miami, Florida, the following question:

Shall the Miami Charter be amended to authorize the City Commission, by four-fifths (4/5ths) affirmative vote, to waive competitive bidding and execute a lease with Dade Heritage Trust, Inc. for the City-owned building located at 190 Southeast 12th Terrace, for a term of 30 years, with two 30-year renewals, for minimum annual rent of \$600.00, with Consumer Price Index adjustments, with restrictions, reversions, and retention by the City of all other rights?

Charter Amendment No. 1 will amend Section 29-B of the Miami Charter to authorize the City Commission by a four-fifths (4/5ths) affirmative vote, to waive competitive bidding and execute a lease with Dade Heritage Trust, Inc. for the City-owned building located at 190 Southeast 12th Terrace, Miami, Florida, for a term of thirty (30) years, with two (2) thirty (30) year renewals, for minimum annual rent of \$600.00, with Consumer Price Index adjustments, with restrictions, reversions, and retention by the City of all other rights. By order of the Commission of the City of Miami, Florida.

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PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 16-0350**



A Special Election will be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2016 from 7:00 A.M. until 7:00 P.M. in the City of Miami, Florida, at the polling places in the several Special Election precincts designated by the Board of County Commissioners of Miami-Dade County, Florida, as set forth herein, unless otherwise provided by law, and submitting to the qualified electors of the City of Miami, Florida, the following question:

Shall Section 7 of the Charter of the City of Miami, Florida be amended to require that a runoff election for Mayor and City Commissioner be held on the third Tuesday after the first Monday in November in odd-numbered years, rather than the second Tuesday after the first Monday in November?

Charter Amendment No. 2 will amend Section 7 of the Charter of the City of Miami, Florida entitled, "Election of City Commissioners and Mayor," by changing the date for holding a runoff election for City Commissioners and Mayor from the second Tuesday after the first Monday in November in odd-numbered years, to the third Tuesday after the first Monday in November. By order of the Commission of the City of Miami, Florida

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PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 16-0351**



A Special Election will be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2016 from 7:00 A.M. until 7:00 P.M. in the City of Miami, Florida, at the polling places in the several Special Election precincts designated by the Board of County Commissioners of Miami-Dade County, Florida, as set forth herein, unless otherwise provided by law, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the City of Miami, Florida, the following question:

Shall Miami Charter Section 51 be amended to provide further independence of the Civilian Investigative Panel by clarifying its membership composition; affirming its right to hire and fire an executive director and independent counsel, subject to City Commission approval; establishing an annual budget by ordinance; confirming its authority to investigate conduct and review policies and practices of the Police Department; and clarifying its authority to issue subpoenas in consultation with the State Attorney's Office?

Charter Amendment No. 3 provides further independence of the Civilian Investigative Panel by clarifying its membership composition; affirming its right to hire and fire an executive director and independent counsel, subject to City Commission approval; establishing an annual budget by ordinance; confirming its authority to investigate conduct and review policies and practices of the Police Department; and clarifying its authority to issue subpoenas in consultation with the Miami-Dade State Attorney's Office. By order of the Commission of the City of Miami, Florida.

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2016
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PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 16-0352**



A Special Election will be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2016 from 7:00 A.M. until 7:00 P.M. in the City of Miami, Florida, at the polling places in the several Special Election precincts designated by the Board of County Commissioners of Miami-Dade County, Florida, as set forth herein, unless otherwise provided by law, and submitting to the qualified electors of the City of Miami, Florida, the following question:

Shall Section 52 of the Charter of the City of Miami, Florida, known as the "Citizens' Bill of Rights," be placed at the beginning of the Charter, be amended to expressly require the City to abide by the Charter's provisions, provide the residents the right to sue and be heard in court to enforce compliance with Charter provisions, and if successful, to recover court costs but not attorney's fees?

Charter Amendment No. 4 places the Citizens' Bill of Rights at the beginning of the Charter of the City of Miami, Florida, as amended ("Charter"), expressly requires the City to abide by the Charter's provisions, provides the residents the right to sue and be heard in court to enforce compliance with Charter provisions, and if successful, to recover court costs but not attorney's fees. By order of the Commission of the City of Miami, Florida.

The Special Election will be conducted in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Florida Statutes and the Charter and Code of the City of Miami, Florida. Copies of Resolutions 16-0348, 16-0350, 16-0351, and 16-0352 are available at the Office of the City Clerk and online at: http://www.miamigov.com/City_Clerk/Pages/Elections/Elections.asp

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