

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, AMENDING CITY OF MIAMI BEACH RESOLUTION NO. 2019-30896 FOR THE LIMITED PURPOSE OF AUTHORIZING FRIDAY NOVEMBER 15, 2019 AS AN ADDITIONAL DAY OF EARLY VOTING FOR THE NOVEMBER 19, 2019 CITY OF MIAMI BEACH RUN-OFF ELECTION.

WHEREAS, in City of Miami Beach Resolution 2019-30896, the City Commission authorized Early Voting for the City's November 2019 General, Special and (if necessary) Run-Off Elections, to occur at Miami Beach City Hall and the North Shore Branch Library at specified times during the two-week period commencing October 21, 2019 (for the November 5, 2019 General/Special Elections), and on Saturday, November 16, 2019 and Sunday, November 17, 2019 (for the November 19, 2019 Run-Off Election), from 8: 00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, as a result of the Final Election returns from the City's November 5, 2019 General and Special Elections, a Run-Off Election is necessary and will thus be held on November 19, 2019, with a 2-day Early Voting period as authorized per the above City Resolution 2019-30896; and

WHEREAS, for purposes of expanding upon City voters' rights to participate in municipal elections, and pursuant to City Code section 38-6¹, the City Commission hereby alters the subject schedule of days and times of Early Voting for the City's November 19, 2019 Run-Off Election, for the limited purpose of authorizing Friday November 15, 2019 as one additional day of Early Voting (to be held at same locations and times as set forth above, namely Miami Beach City Hall and the North Shore Branch Library from 8: 00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.); and

WHEREAS, upon the City Clerk's receipt from the Miami-Dade County Elections Department of cost estimate for this additional one day of Early Voting for the City's Run-Off Election, same shall be provided to the City Commission via Clerk's LTC²; and

WHEREAS, all remaining matters set forth in City Resolution 2019-30896 not otherwise inconsistent herein shall remain in full force and effect.

¹ "The city commission may, by resolution, adopted in advance of a general, run-off or special election that is not held in conjunction with a county or state election per subsection (a) above, alter the sites and/or schedule of days (and times, when early voting is either not conducted by the county supervisor of elections, or when the supervisor is conducting the early voting but has not exercised the discretion to determine the early voting hours) for early voting from that which is provided above." Section 38-6(e), Miami Beach City Code.

² The Miami-Dade County Elections Department had previously provided the City Clerk with an estimate of \$238,433.68 for the City's November 19, 2019 Run-Off Election, for the two-day period of November 16th and 17th, 2019) at two voting sites.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, that the Mayor and City Commission hereby amend its Resolution 2019-30896 for the limited purpose of authorizing Friday, November 15, 2019 as one additional day of Early Voting for the City's November 19, 2019 Run-Off Election, said Early Voting to thus be held on Friday, November 15, 2019; Saturday, November 16, 2019; and Sunday, November 17, 2019, from 8: 00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., at Miami Beach City Hall and the North Shore Branch Library. It is further resolved that if necessary or expedient to implement early voting in accordance with Code section 38-6, the City Clerk is authorized to take any action not otherwise inconsistent with State or County law, which is necessary or expedient to implement Early Voting in accordance with Section 38-6 of the Miami Beach City Code.

PASSED and **ADOPTED** this 12th day of November, 2019.

ATTEST:

DAN GELBER
MAYOR

RAFAEL E. GRANADO
CITY CLERK