

Official General Election Ballot
November 8, 2016
Brevard County, Florida

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- **Instructions: To vote, fill in the oval completely next to your choice. Use a black pen only.**
- **If you make a mistake, ask for a new ballot. Do not cross out or your vote may not count.**
- **To vote for a write-in candidate, fill in the oval and print the name clearly on the blank line provided for the write-in candidate.**

President and Vice President (Vote for One)		Justice of the Supreme Court Shall Justice Charles T. Canady of the Supreme Court be retained in office?	School Board Member District 3 (Vote for One)
☐ Donald J. Trump Michael R. Pence	REP	☐ Yes	☐ Darcey Addo
☐ Hillary Rodham Clinton Timothy Michael Kaine	DEM	☐ No	☐ Tina Descovich
☐ Gary Johnson Bill Weld	LPF	Justice of the Supreme Court Shall Justice Jorge Labarga of the Supreme Court be retained in office?	No. 1 Constitutional Amendment, Article X, Section 29
☐ Darrell L. Castle Scott N. Bradley	CPF	☐ Yes	Rights of Electricity Consumers Regarding Solar Energy Choice This amendment establishes a right under Florida's constitution for consumers to own or lease solar equipment installed on their property to generate electricity for their own use. State and local governments shall retain their abilities to protect consumer rights and public health, safety and welfare, and to ensure that consumers who do not choose to install solar are not required to subsidize the costs of backup power and electric grid access to those who do. The amendment is not expected to result in an increase or decrease in any revenues or costs to state and local government.
☐ Jill Stein Ajamu Baraka	GRE	☐ No	
☐ Roque "Rocky" De La Fuente Michael Steinberg	REF	Justice of the Supreme Court Shall Justice Ricky L. Polston of the Supreme Court be retained in office?	
☐ _____ Write-in		District Court of Appeal Shall Judge Jay Cohen of the Fifth District Court of Appeal be retained in office?	
United States Senator (Vote for One)		☐ Yes	☐ No
☐ Marco Rubio	REP	☐ No	No. 2 Constitutional Amendment, Article X, Section 29
☐ Patrick Murphy	DEM		
☐ Paul Stanton	LPF	District Court of Appeal Shall Judge James A. Edwards of the Fifth District Court of Appeal be retained in office?	Use of Marijuana for Debilitating Medical Conditions Allows medical use of marijuana for individuals with debilitating medical conditions as determined by a licensed Florida physician. Allows caregivers to assist patients' medical use of marijuana. The Department of Health shall register and regulate centers that produce and distribute marijuana for medical purposes and shall issue identification cards to patients and caregivers. Applies only to Florida law. Does not immunize violations of federal law or any non-medical use, possession or production of marijuana. Increased costs from this amendment to state and local governments cannot be determined. There will be additional regulatory costs and enforcement activities associated with the production, sale, use and possession of medical marijuana. Fees may offset some of the regulatory costs. Sales tax will likely apply to most purchases, resulting in a substantial increase in state and local government revenues that cannot be determined precisely. The impact on property tax revenues cannot be determined.
☐ Tony Khoury	NPA	☐ Yes	
☐ Bruce Nathan	NPA	☐ No	
☐ Steven Machat	NPA		
☐ Basil E. Dalack	NPA	District Court of Appeal Shall Judge Brian Lambert of the Fifth District Court of Appeal be retained in office?	☐ Yes ☐ No
☐ _____ Write-in		☐ Yes	
Representative in Congress District 8 (Vote for One)		☐ No	
☐ Bill Posey	REP		
☐ Corry Westbrook	DEM	District Court of Appeal Shall Judge Vincent G. Torpy Jr of the Fifth District Court of Appeal be retained in office?	☐ Yes ☐ No
☐ Bill Stinson	NPA	☐ Yes	
State Senator District 17 (Vote for One)		☐ No	
☐ Debbie Mayfield	REP		
☐ Amy C. Tidd	DEM	Circuit Judge, 18th Judicial Circuit Group 9 (Vote for One)	☐ Yes ☐ No
☐ _____ Write-in		☐ Steve Henderson	
Clerk of the Circuit Court (Vote for One)		☐ Christina Sanchez	
☐ Scott Ellis	REP	County Judge Group 2 (Vote for One)	
☐ Dave Netterstrom	NPA	☐ Kelly McCormack Ingram	Vote Both Sides of Page
☐ _____ Write-in		☐ Rod Kernan	

No. 3 Constitutional Amendment,
Article VII, Section 6, Article XII

Tax Exemption for Totally and Permanently Disabled First Responders

Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution to authorize a first responder, who is totally and permanently disabled as a result of injuries sustained in the line of duty, to receive relief from ad valorem taxes assessed on homestead property, if authorized by general law. If approved by voters, the amendment takes effect January 1, 2017.

☐ Yes

☐ No

No. 5 Constitutional Amendment,
Article VII, Section 6, Article XII

Homestead Tax Exemption for Certain Senior, Low-Income, Long-Term Residents; Determination of Just Value

Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution to revise the homestead tax exemption that may be granted by counties or municipalities for property with just value less than \$250,000 owned by certain senior, low-income, long-term residents to specify that just value is determined in the first tax year the owner applies and is eligible for the exemption. The amendment takes effect January 1, 2017, and applies retroactively to exemptions granted before January 1, 2017.

☐ Yes

☐ No

County Referendum

Save Our Indian River Lagoon ½ Cent Sales Tax Referendum

To restore the Indian River Lagoon through financing, planning, constructing, maintaining, and operating capital improvements and capital maintenance projects and programs designed to improve water quality, fish, wildlife and marine habitat, remove muck and reduce pollution, shall an ordinance be approved levying a ½ cent sales tax for ten years and requiring deposit of all revenue to a Save Our Lagoon Trust Fund solely for such projects, with citizen committee oversight and annual independent audits?

☐ Yes - For the ½ cent sales tax

☐ No - Against the ½ cent sales tax

City of Indian Harbour Beach Referendum

Amendment to the Charter Relating to the Civil Service System for Police Officers

Shall the Charter, Article XIII Section 3 be amended to repeal the Civil Service provision due to conflicts with state law? The City's Charter investigation powers of Police Officers appears to be pre-empted by state law, is in direct conflict with Florida Statutes Sections 112.532 and 112.533, is unenforceable, and should not be used for any Police Officer investigation. The provisions of Florida Statutes Chapter 112 must be utilized.

☐ Yes - For the Amendment

☐ No - Against the Amendment

City of Indian Harbour Beach Referendum

Amendment to the Charter Relating to the Date Newly Elected Council Members Take Office

Shall the Charter, Article IV Section 3, be amended to provide that newly elected Council Members take office on the first regular Council meeting following the election certification by the Supervisor of Elections? Current Charter language conflicts with Florida law by requiring newly elected City Council Members to take office 3 days following the election and locally certifying the election results at that time, prior to the receipt of overseas ballots.

☐ Yes - For the Amendment

☐ No - Against the Amendment

City of Indian Harbour Beach Referendum

Amendment to the Charter Regarding the Height of Weeds and Grass

Shall the Charter, Article III Section 3, be amended to remove provisions relating to the height of weeds and grass and to provide for such height by ordinance? The current City Charter provides that the height of weeds and grass cannot exceed four (4) inches in height, while City Ordinances provides that the height cannot exceed eight (8) inches in height. This amendment eliminates the conflicting language and allows the establishment of height by ordinance.

☐ Yes - For the Amendment

☐ No - Against the Amendment

City of Indian Harbour Beach Referendum

Amendment to the Charter Regarding Candidate Qualifying

Shall the Charter, Article V Section 1, be amended to allow candidates for city council to pay the qualifying fee authorized by Florida Statutes to qualify to run for city council in lieu of obtaining signatures of registered voters within the city?

☐ Yes - For the Amendment

☐ No - Against the Amendment