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Hallandale Beach, FL 33009

## City of Hallandale Beach City Commission Agenda Cover Memo

<b>Meeting Date:</b>	April 1, 2018		<b>Item Type:</b> <small>(Enter X in box)</small>	<b>Resolution</b>	<b>Ordinance</b>	<b>Other</b>	
<b>Fiscal Impact:</b> <small>(Enter X in box)</small>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Ordinance Reading:</b> <small>(Enter X in box)</small>		<b>X</b>		
	<b>X</b>				<b>X</b>		
				<b>Public Hearing:</b> <small>(Enter X in box)</small>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>
<b>Funding Source:</b>	534070		<b>Advertising Requirement:</b> <small>(Enter X in box)</small>	<b>Yes</b>		<b>No</b>	
						<b>X</b>	
<b>Account Balance:</b>	\$80,000		<b>Quasi Judicial:</b> <small>(Enter X in box)</small>	<b>Yes</b>		<b>No</b>	
						<b>X</b>	
<b>Project Number :</b>	N/A		<b>RFP/RFQ/Bid Number:</b>	N/A			
<b>Contract/P.O. Required:</b> <small>(Enter X in box)</small>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Strategic Plan Priority Area:</b> <small>(Enter X in box)</small>  <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>Safety</div> <input type="checkbox"/> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>Quality</div> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>Vibrant Appeal</div> <input type="checkbox"/> </div>				
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<b>Sponsor Name:</b>	Jenorgen Guillen, Interim City Clerk		<b>Department:</b>	Office of the City Clerk			

**Short Title:**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HALLANDALE BEACH, FLORIDA, DECLARING A VACANCY ON THE CITY COMMISSION; SCHEDULING A SPECIAL ELECTION TO OCCUR AT THE TIME OF THE GENERAL ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 6, 2018 TO ELECT THE MAYOR; SETTING THE QUALIFYING PERIOD FOR COMMENCEMENT ON JUNE 18, 2018 AT 8:00 AM AND ENDING ON JUNE 22, 2018 AT 12:00 PM; DIRECTING PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF THE SPECIAL ELECTION; AUTHORIZING THE CITY CLERK TO TAKE ALL REQUIRED MEASURES TO CONDUCT THE SPECIAL ELECTION; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

## **Staff Summary:**

### **Background:**

Pursuant to the City's Charter, a General City Election for the purpose of electing members to the City Commission shall be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday of each even-numbered year. Since the 2005 General City Election, each City Commission Seat (including Mayoral Seat) were elected for four-year terms that were staggered so that, alternately, two or three Commissioners are elected every two years.

### **Current Situation**

Currently, the term of the Mayoral Seat will expire upon the November General Election where the electorates of the City will elect a Mayor for a two (2) year term.

Additionally, pursuant to Section 3.09 (3) of the City's Charter a vacancy has occurred amongst the members of the City Commission upon the issuance of State of Florida Office of the Governor Executive Order Number 18-19 dated January 26, 2018 suspending Mayor Joy Cooper from public office indefinitely. Mayor Cooper's term in office was set to expire upon the November 2020 General Election

Section 3.09 (3) (b) of the City's Charter provides; whenever there is a vacancy in the Commission and there are less than twelve (12) months remaining before the next regular city or general election, the Commission, by a majority vote of the remaining members, shall choose a successor to serve until that election. Accordingly, the City Commission has appointed Keith S. London to serve as Mayor until the next scheduled General Election taking place on November 6, 2018 where the voters will elect a Mayor to fill the unexpired term of the Mayoral Seat due to expire upon the November 2020 General Election.

Pursuant to Florida Statue 100.151, staff requested consent from the Broward Supervisor of Election to hold a Special Election for the Mayoral Seat as part of the November General Election. On March 5, 2018, the Supervisor of Election gave consent to hold a Special Election for the Mayoral Seat as part of the General Election for Seat #1 and Seat #2 to be held on November 6, 2018 (exhibit 2).

The attached proposed Ordinance would call the General Election for the four-year term election of Commission at-large Seat #1 and Seat # 2 along with calling the Special Election to fill the unexpired term of the Mayoral Seat for November 6, 2018 and setting the qualifying period for June 18, 2018 at 8:00 AM and ends on June 22, 2018 at 12:00 PM.

The list of Precincts for the November 6, 2018 Election are as follows:

Y001	<a href="#">The Hemispheres Ocean South</a>	1980 S Ocean Dr	Hallandale Beach FL 33009
Y002	<a href="#">The Hemispheres Bay South</a>	1985 S Ocean Dr	Hallandale Beach FL 33009
Y003	<a href="#">Towers of Ocean View - Recreation Building</a>	500 Leslie Dr	Hallandale Beach FL 33009
Y004	<a href="#">Olympus Condominiums Auditorium</a>	500 Three Islands Blvd	Hallandale Beach FL 33009
Y005	<a href="#">Gulfstream Middle School</a>	120 SW 4th Ave	Hallandale Beach FL 33009
Y006	<a href="#">Cultural Community Center</a>	410 SE 3rd St	Hallandale Beach FL 33009
Y007	<a href="#">Gulfstream Middle School</a>	120 SW 4 <sup>th</sup> Ave	Hallandale Beach FL 33009
Y008	<a href="#">Foster Park</a>	609 NW 6th Ave	Hallandale Beach FL 33009

**Why Action is Necessary:**

Pursuant to Article III, Section 3.09(3) (c) When, at a regular city election in addition to regular commission offices, it becomes necessary to fill a commission vacancy or vacancies which have occurred under the provisions of section 3.09(1), candidates shall be elected according to the provisions of article IV of this Charter

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 4.01 of the City of Hallandale Beach Charter, the City Commission, by ordinance and subject to the provision of this Charter, shall have the power to call Regular and Special Elections as may be required by the City.

Pursuant to Florida Statue 100.151, County Commissioners or the governing authority of a municipality shall not call any special election until notice is given to the Supervisor of Elections and his or her consent.

**Fiscal Impact:**

There will be a fiscal impact deriving from the City's proportionate share of the election cost and staff will budget this impact accordingly upon receipt of the initial estimated cost provided by the Supervisor of Election as part of the FY 2018-19 Budget.

**Proposed Action:**

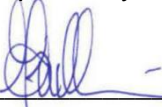
Staff recommends approval of the attached proposed Ordinance to call for a General and Special Elections for November 6, 2018.

**Attachment(s):**

Exhibit 1 – Proposed Ordinance

Exhibit 2 – Letter from Broward Supervisor of Election

Prepared By:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "J. Guillen", is written over a horizontal line.

Jenorgen M. Guillen  
Interim City Clerk