

RESOLUTION NUMBER 16-12

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF FORT MYERS BEACH, FLORIDA, CERTIFYING THE RESULTS OF THE 2016 TOWN ELECTION FOR SEATS ONE AND TWO; DETERMINATION OF SEAT ASSIGNMENTS; DECLARATION; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Article VIII, Section 2 of the State Constitution and Chapter 166 of the Florida Statutes provide that municipalities have the governmental, corporate, and proprietary powers to conduct municipal government, perform municipal functions, render municipal services, and exercise any power for municipal purposes, except when expressly prohibited by law; and

WHEREAS, Article X of the Fort Myers Beach Town Charter empowers the Town Council to adopt, amend, or repeal such ordinances and resolutions as may be required for the proper governing of the Town; and

WHEREAS, the Town Charter requires periodic elections for membership on the council; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the above authority, the Town Council called an election in the Town of Fort Myers Beach, which was duly held on March 15, 2016, for the purpose of having all of the qualified electors within the Town determine the members of the Town Council for seats #1 and #2.

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE TOWN OF FORT MYERS BEACH, FLORIDA:

Section 1. Certification of Results of Election. It is hereby certified that the appropriate election officials have canvassed the ballots and certified same to the Lee County Supervisor of Elections; and, the Supervisor has in turn, certified the election results to the Town Council of the Town of Fort Myers Beach, Florida.

Section 2. Candidates for Town Council. The votes received by the candidates for Council member Seats 1 and 2 are as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>NUMBER OF VOTES</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>
Dan Andre	659	13.43%
Dennis C. Boback	867	17.67%
Bruce Butcher	599	12.21%
Tracey Gore	1,336	27.23%
Jack Green	798	16.27%
Suzanne Katt	611	12.45%
Write-In	36	.73%

Section 3. Determination of Council Seat Assignments. In accordance with Town Charter Section 4.01 (b) "assignment of open seat numbers shall be alphabetically by incoming Council Members' last names."

Section 4. Declaration. The Town Council hereby declares Dennis C. Boback elected as Council member for **Seat #1**, and Tracey Gore elected as Councilmember for **Seat #2**.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Resolution takes effect immediately upon its adoption by the Town Council of the Town of Fort Myers Beach, Florida.

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Fort Myers Beach Town Council upon motion by Vice Mayor Stockton and second by Council Member Gore and being put to a vote, the result was as follows:

Dennis C. Boback, Mayor	aye	Summer Stockton, Vice Mayor	aye
Anita Cereceda, Council Member	absent	Rexann Hosafros, Council Member	aye
Tracey Gore, Council Member	aye		

APPROVED THIS 4th DAY OF APRIL, 2016

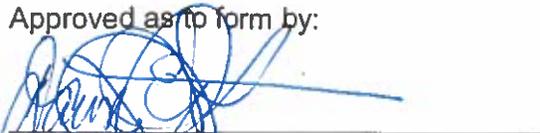
ATTEST:

TOWN OF FORT MYERS BEACH

By: 
Michelle D. Mayher, Town Clerk

By: 
Dennis C. Boback, Mayor

Approved as to form by:


Dawn Perry-Lehnert, Town Attorney