

**Notice of Referendum**  
**To be held Tuesday, March 14, 2017**  
**Regarding Town of Palm Beach Shores, Florida**  
**Proposed Charter Amendments**

The Town of Palm Beach Shores, Florida, hereby gives notice, pursuant to Section 100.342, *Florida Statutes*, that a referendum election shall be held on March 14, 2017, in conjunction with the municipal election:

The form of the ballot questions regarding the proposed Charter Amendments in this referendum election shall be as follows:

**QUESTION 1 PROPOSED BY ORDINANCE O-1-17:**

“CHARTER AMENDMENT PROVIDING FOR STATE LAW CONFORMANCE, AND  
GENERAL CLEAN-UP”

“SHALL THE CHARTER OF PALM BEACH SHORES BE AMENDED TO CONFORM WITH STATE LAW FOR RECALL OF ELECTED OFFICIALS, AND FOR USE OF REFERENDUM WITH ZONING CHANGES; AND TO UPDATE LANGUAGE THROUGHOUT THE DOCUMENT WITHOUT ALTERING SUBSTANCE?”

YES \_\_\_\_\_

NO \_\_\_\_\_

**QUESTION 2 PROPOSED BY ORDINANCE O-1-17:**

“CHARTER AMENDMENT PROVIDING FOR MAYOR AUTHORITY, OFFICER  
REVISIONS AND PLANNING AND ZONING BOARD SERVICE PREREQUISITES”

“SHALL THE CHARTER OF PALM BEACH SHORES BE AMENDED TO ELIMINATE THE OFFICE OF TOWN TAX COLLECTOR, MAKE THE TOWN MANAGER A NON-OFFICER EMPLOYEE, CLARIFY AND DETAIL THE MAYOR’S OVERALL AUTHORITY, PROVIDE SPECIFIC MAYOR AUTHORITY TO FILL A VACANCY IN AN APPOINTED POSITION AND PRESCRIBE RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS FOR PLANNING AND ZONING BOARD SERVICE?”

YES \_\_\_\_\_

NO \_\_\_\_\_

**QUESTION 3 PROPOSED BY ORDINANCE O-1-17:**

“CHARTER AMENDMENT RESTATING TOWN COMMISSION AUTHORITY,  
CREATING ELECTION SEATS, REVISING REORGANIZATION DATES AND  
VACANCY PROVISIONS”

“SHALL THE CHARTER OF PALM BEACH SHORES BE AMENDED BY CLARIFYING  
THE POWERS, AUTHORITY AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE TOWN COMMISSION;  
BY CREATING AT-LARGE COMMISSION SEATS FOR ELECTION PURPOSES; BY  
PRESCRIBING RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS FOR ELIGIBILITY TO HOLD ELECTED  
OFFICE; BY ADDING FLEXIBILITY TO THE DATE UPON WHICH THE TOWN  
COMMISSION MAY RE-ORGANIZE EVERY YEAR; AND BY DEFINING THE TERM  
“EXTENDED ABSENCE OR DISABILITY” FOR PURPOSES OF A COMMISSION SEAT  
VACANCY?”

YES \_\_\_\_\_

NO \_\_\_\_\_

**QUESTION 4 PROPOSED BY ORDINANCE O-1-17:**

“CHARTER AMENDMENT TO ALLOW OPTION FOR REMUNERATION FOR THE  
MAYOR AND/OR COMMISSIONERS BY ORDINANCE”

“SHALL THE CHARTER OF PALM BEACH SHORES BE AMENDED TO ALLOW THE  
TOWN COMMISSION THE OPTION OF PROVIDING REMUNERATION TO THE  
MAYOR AND/OR COMMISSIONERS BY ORDINANCE, WHICH REMUNERATION  
WOULD NOT BE EFFECTIVE FOR THE MAYOR OR ANY COMMISSIONER UNTIL  
THEIR NEXT TERM FOLLOWING THE TERM DURING WHICH SUCH ORDINANCE IS  
ADOPTED?”

YES \_\_\_\_\_

NO \_\_\_\_\_

All qualified electors of the Town of Palm Beach Shores, Florida, shall be qualified to vote in  
such election.

Evyonne Browning, Town Clerk  
Town of Palm Beach Shores, Florida

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