

Official General Election Ballot
November 6, 2018
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.

Ballot form containing sections for: United States Senator (Vote for One), District Court of Appeal, No. 4 Constitutional Amendment, Article VI, Section 4, Voting Restoration Amendment, Representative in Congress District 8 (Vote for One), Soil and Water Conservation District Group 2 (Vote for One), Soil and Water Conservation District Group 4 (Vote for One), Governor and Lieutenant Governor (Vote for One), No. 1 Constitutional Amendment, Article VII, Section 6, Article XII, Section 37, Increased Homestead Property Tax Exemption, No. 5 Constitutional Amendment, Article VII, Section 19, Supermajority Vote Required to Impose, Authorize, or Raise State Taxes or Fees, Attorney General (Vote for One), Limitations on Property Tax Assessments, Chief Financial Officer (Vote for One), No. 2 Constitutional Amendment, Article XII, Section 27, Commissioner of Agriculture (Vote for One), Voter Control of Gambling in Florida, State Representative District 52 (Vote for One), Board of County Commissioners District 4 (Vote for One), Justice of the Supreme Court, and No. 3 Constitutional Amendment, Article X, Section 29.

No. 7 Constitutional Revision, Article IX, Sections 7 and 8, Article X, New Section

First Responder and Military Member Survivor Benefits; Public Colleges and Universities

Grants mandatory payment of death benefits and waiver of certain educational expenses to qualifying survivors of certain first responders and military members who die performing official duties. Requires supermajority votes by university trustees and state university system board of governors to raise or impose all legislatively authorized fees if law requires approval by those bodies. Establishes existing state college system as constitutional entity; provides governance structure.

- Yes
No

No. 12 Constitutional Revision, Article II, Section 8, Article V, Section 13, Article XII, New Section

Lobbying and Abuse of Office by Public Officers

Expands current restrictions on lobbying for compensation by former public officers; creates restrictions on lobbying for compensation by serving public officers and former justices and judges; provides exceptions; prohibits abuse of a public position by public officers and employees to obtain a personal benefit.

- Yes
No

No. 13 Constitutional Revision, Article X, New Section, Article XII, New Section

Ends Dog Racing

Phases out commercial dog racing in connection with wagering by 2020. Other gaming activities are not affected.

- Yes
No

No. 9 Constitutional Revision, Article II, Section 7, Article X, Section 20

Prohibits Offshore Oil and Gas Drilling; Prohibits Vaping in Enclosed Indoor Workplaces

Prohibits drilling for the exploration or extraction of oil and natural gas beneath all state-owned waters between the mean high water line and the state's outermost territorial boundaries. Adds use of vapor-generating electronic devices to current prohibition of tobacco smoking in enclosed indoor workplaces with exceptions; permits more restrictive local vapor ordinances.

- Yes
No

No. 10 Constitutional Revision, Article III, Section 3, Article IV, Sections 4 and 11, Article VIII, Sections 1 and 6

State and Local Government Structure and Operation

Requires legislature to retain department of veterans' affairs. Ensures election of sheriffs, property appraisers, supervisors of elections, tax collectors, and clerks of court in all counties; removes county charters' ability to abolish, change term, transfer duties, or eliminate election of these offices. Changes annual legislative session commencement date in even-numbered years from March to January; removes legislature's authorization to fix another date. Creates office of domestic security and counterterrorism within department of law enforcement.

- Yes
No

No. 11 Constitutional Revision, Article I, Section 2, Article X, Sections 9 and 19

Property Rights; Removal of Obsolete Provision; Criminal Statutes

Removes discriminatory language related to real property rights. Removes obsolete language repealed by voters. Deletes provision that amendment of a criminal statute will not affect prosecution or penalties for a crime committed before the amendment; retains current provision allowing prosecution of a crime committed before the repeal of a criminal statute.

- Yes
No