



Town of Eatonville, Florida

PROCLAMATION

Office of the Mayor

WHEREAS, the Town of Eatonville will hold its general Town Election on Tuesday, March 7, 2026, during the established Town of Eatonville General Election; and

WHEREAS, Section 5.03 of the Town Charter provides Town elections shall be conducted in accordance with the general election laws of the State of Florida, Chapters 97 106 Florida Statutes, as amended. Regular town elections shall be held on the first Saturday in March of each election year; and

WHEREAS, all qualifications and elections for the offices of Town Council and Mayor shall be conducted on a nonpartisan basis without regard for designation of political party affiliation of any candidate, nominee, or any nomination petition or ballot; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that by the power vested in me as Mayor the Town of Eatonville, Florida, I **Angie Gardner** do hereby proclaim Tuesday, March 7, 2026, as **“Election Day”** for the purpose of electing officials for the following Seats of the Town of Eatonville’s Town Council.

MAYOR SEAT #1 AND COUNCIL SEATS: #2 AND # 3

Voting shall take place between the hours of 7:00 a.m., and 7:00 p.m., on **March 7, 2026**, at the Town Hall, 307 East Kennedy Boulevard, Eatonville, Florida.

The Town of Eatonville Clerk’s Office with the support of the Orange County Supervisor of Elections and staff shall be in charge of conducting the Election in accordance with the Election laws of the State of Florida and also serve as the Appointed Election Board. A town canvassing board shall be established for the purposes of canvassing ballots and election results. The canvassing board shall be composed of the Town Clerk and two (2) citizens who shall be selected by majority vote of the Town Council at the time the election is called.

The qualifying period for the Town’s March 2026 general election will open at 12noon Friday, January 16 through – Friday, January 23 no later 12noon.

This Proclamation will be posted in three (3) public places and shall remain so posted for the purpose of informing the public of said election.

Issued this 16th day of December 2025.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto have set my hand and caused the Seal of the Town of Eatonville to be affixed.

ATTEST:

Honorable Angie Gardner, Mayor

Veronica L. King, Town Clerk