



RESOLUTION NO. 2025-009

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF HIGHLAND BEACH, FLORIDA, DECLARING AN UNOPPOSED CANDIDATE ELECTED TO OFFICE AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the Town of Highland Beach's (the Town's) General Election was scheduled for March 14, 2023 in accordance with the law and Town Charter; and

WHEREAS, the candidate qualifying period for the Town's General Election commenced November 12, 2024 at noon and ended on November 26, 2024 at noon, with one candidate qualifying for the office of Commissioner; and

WHEREAS, according to Section 101.151 (7), Florida Statutes, except for justices or judges seeking retention, the names of unopposed candidates shall not appear on the general election ballot. Each unopposed candidate shall be deemed to have voted for himself or herself; and

WHEREAS, in these circumstances the Election Code authorizes the governing body to declare the unopposed candidate elected to office; and

WHEREAS, no candidate for the office of Commissioner appeared on the ballot in the March 08, 2022 election; and

WHEREAS, the Town Commission deems approval of this Resolution to be in the best interest of the health, safety and welfare of the residents and citizens of the Town of Highland Beach and the public at large.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF HIGHLAND BEACH, FLORIDA, that:

Section 1. **Recitals.** The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by this reference.

Section 2. **Election Results.** The Town Commission hereby declares that each unopposed candidate is elected to the office of Mayor-Commissioner, and, as such, hereby finds and declares that **Jason Chudnofsky** has been elected to the office of **Commissioner** for a three-year term beginning March 25, 2025 and ending March of 2028.

Section 3. **Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

DONE AND ADOPTED by the Town Commission of the Town of Highland Beach, Florida, this 25th day of March 2025.

ATTEST:

Natasha Moore, Mayor

**REVIEWED FOR LEGAL
SUFFICIENCY**

Lanelda Gaskins, MMC
Town Clerk

Leonard G. Rubin, Town Attorney
Town of Highland Beach

VOTES:

YES NO

Mayor Natasha Moore
Vice Mayor David Stern
Commissioner Evalyn David
Commissioner Donald Peters
Commissioner Judith M. Goldberg