

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-23

A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE CITY OF VENICE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 7, 2017, TO ELECT TWO COUNCILMEMBERS, FOR THREE-YEAR TERMS; AND DESIGNATING POLLING PLACES FOR THE ELECTION; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City of Venice's election does not coincide with a county-wide election and will be conducted as a stand-alone election; and

WHEREAS, early voting provides citizens greater access to elections and facilitates increased voter participation; and

WHEREAS, advertising the elections are required by law and provides citizens with greater knowledge of the elections.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VENICE, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. The above Whereas clauses are ratified and confirmed as true and correct.

SECTION 2. Early voting will take place at the Sarasota County Supervisor of Elections office, 4000 Tamiami Trail, beginning on Monday, October 30, 2017 and end on Friday, November 3, 2017 between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. daily.

SECTION 3. Tuesday, November 7, 2017, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. is designated as the day on which the annual general municipal election will be held in the City of Venice for the purpose of electing two council members for a three-year term.

SECTION 4. The polling places for the general election are listed as follows:

POLLING PLACES

Precinct 301	Waterford Sports Club, 1460 Gleneagles Drive
Precinct 305	Church of the Nazarene, 1535 Venice Avenue East
Precinct 435	Venetian Golf and River Club, 502 Veneto Blvd.
Precinct 511	Venice Community Center, 326 Nokomis Avenue South
Precinct 513	Bird Bay Village, 606 Bird Bay Drive South
Precinct 515	Hotel Venezia, 425 US 41 By-Pass
Precinct 517	Church of the Nazarene, 1535 Venice Avenue East
Precinct 519	Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 800 Tamiami Trail South
Precinct 521	Country Club Estates, 700 Waterway Drive

SECTION 5. Advertising of the election shall comply with state election laws and the city code.

SECTION 6. A copy of this resolution shall be provided to the Sarasota County Supervisor of Elections.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE VENICE CITY COUNCIL HELD ON THE 26TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2017.

John W. Holic, Mayor

ATTEST:

Lori Stelzer, MMC, City Clerk

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