

RESOLUTION NO. 126-2022

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PALM BEACH, PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS FOR THE MARCH 2023 MUNICIPAL ELECTION(S) VOTE PROCESSING EQUIPMENT USE AND ELECTION SERVICES.

WHEREAS, Staff recommends that the Town Council enter into an agreement with the Supervisor of Elections for the Vote Processing Equipment Use and Election Services Agreement, for the purpose of utilizing the voting equipment owned by Palm Beach County, Florida

WHEREAS the Town of Palm Beach is statutorily obligated to conduct an election that requires the use of the voting equipment to count ballots: and

WHEREAS the voting equipment requires specially trained and knowledgeable individuals to program, operate and maintain said equipment, and

WHEREAS Palm Beach County Board of County Commissioner has authorized the Supervisor of Elections to provide any necessary terms and condition for the use of such voting equipment and,

WHEREAS the Palm Beach County Supervisor of Elections can provide the necessary personnel to program, operate and maintain said equipment for the March 14, 2023 Municipal Election, and a Run-Off Election, if necessary.

WHEREAS the Supervisor of Elections shall provide the Town of Palm Beach such necessary vote processing equipment and election services according to the terms and conditions stated in the Agreement, for the purposes of conducting a Municipal Election to be held on March 14, 2023, and a Run-Off Election, if necessary, along with the necessary vote processing equipment and election services to facilitate any early voting sites, polling locations and polling places as may be necessary and agreed upon by the parties.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PALM BEACH, PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: The Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute the Agreement for 2023 Vote Processing Equipment Use and Election Services Agreement on behalf of the Town of Palm Beach.

PASSED AND ADOPTED in a regular, adjourned session of the Town Council of the Town of Palm Beach assembled this 13th day of October, 2022.

Danielle H. Moore, Mayor

Margaret A. Zeidman, Town Council President

Bobbie Lindsay, Town Council President Pro Tem

Julie Araskog, Town Council Member

ATTEST

Edward A. Cooney, Town Council Member

Pat Gayle-Gordon, Acting Town Clerk

Lewis S.W. Crampton, Town Council Member