

RESOLUTION No. 18-208

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, CERTIFYING AND DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE GENERAL ELECTION HELD ON NOVEMBER 6, 2018 AND THE RUN-OFF ELECTION HELD ON DECEMBER 11, 2018; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, a General Election has been held in the City of Doral, Florida in accordance with the law on November 6, 2018 for the purpose of electing a Councilmember for Seat 2, a Councilmember for Seat 4 and a Bond Referendum; and

WHEREAS, the General Election resulted in a winner for Councilmember Seat 2 and, due to the other race (s) not having candidates who received more than 50% plus one (1) vote in this election, a Run-Off Election was necessary to determine a winner for the Councilmember Seat 4; and

WHEREAS, the Miami-Dade County Canvassing Board has canvassed the votes cast in said election; and

WHEREAS, a Run-Off Election has been held in the City of Doral, Florida in accordance with the law on December 11, 2018 for the purpose of electing a Councilmember for Seat 4; and

WHEREAS, the City of Doral Canvassing Board has canvassed the votes cast in said election.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Recitals. The foregoing recital are confirmed, adopted, and incorporated herein and made a part hereof by this reference.

Section 2. General of Election Results. The City Council of the City of Doral, Florida, finds that after canvass of the votes cast in the General Election held on November 6, 2018 that the results are as follows:

OFFICE OF THE CITY COUNCIL SEAT 2

Pete Cabrera.....	6,715
Liliana “Lili” Campa.....	3,688
Jose Lorenzo	1,087
Carlos Pereira	1,895

OFFICE OF THE CITY COUNCIL SEAT 4

Alexis Acosta.....	3,355
Digna Cabral	6,474
Belinda Leon	3,477

Doral Parks for Tomorrow: General Obligation Bonds Referendum for Parks, Natural Areas, and Recreational Facilities

To improve public health and protect natural areas by building/improving parks and recreational facilities with safety features, including, but not limited to, green spaces, community centers, cultural amenities, aquatic facility, playgrounds, sports fields, and five miles of walking/cycling trails, shall Doral issue General Obligation Bonds, within maximum lawful interest rates, maturing within 30 years from each issuance, not exceeding \$150 million, payable from ad valorem taxes, with independent annual audits and citizen oversight?

For Bonds.....	7,456
Against Bonds.....	6,692

Section 3. Certification of Run-Off Election Results. The City Council of the City of Doral, Florida, finds that after canvass of the votes cast in the Run-Off Election held on December 11, 2018 that the results are as follows:

OFFICE OF THE CITY COUNCIL SEAT 4

Digna Cabral	1,737
Belinda Leon	992

Section 3. Declaration. The City Council of the City of Doral, Florida hereby declares that PETE CABRERA has been elected in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida and the Charter of the City of Doral to Councilmember Seat 2 Commencing November 7, 2018, after having obtained the highest number of votes cast in the General Election on November 6, 2018.

Section 4. Declaration. The City Council of the City of Doral, Florida hereby declares that the Doral Parks for Tomorrow: General Obligation Bonds Referendum for Parks, Natural Areas, and Recreational Facilities has PASSED after having obtained the highest number of “YES” votes cast in the General Election on November 6, 2018.

Section 5. Declaration. The City Council of the City of Doral, Florida hereby declares that DIGNA CABRAL has been elected in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida and the Charter of the City of Doral to Councilmember Seat 4 Commencing December 12, 2018 after having obtained the highest number of votes cast in the Run-Off Election of December 11, 2018.

Section 4. Effective Date. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

The foregoing Resolution was offered by Councilmember Cabrera who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Vice Mayor Mariaca and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Juan Carlos Bermudez	Yes
Vice Mayor Claudia Mariaca	Yes
Councilwoman Digna Cabral	Yes
Councilman Pete Cabrera	Yes
Councilwoman Christi Fraga	Yes

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 19 day of December, 2018.




JUAN CARLOS BERMUDEZ, MAYOR

ATTEST:



CONNIE DIAZ, OMC
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY
FOR THE USE AND RELIANCE OF THE CITY OF DORAL ONLY:



LUIS FIGUEREDO, ESQ.
CITY ATTORNEY