



CITY OF GULFPORT CITY COUNCIL MEETING NOTICE AGENDA MEMORANDUM

FROM: Lesley DeMuth, City Clerk

DATE: October 20, 2020

AGENDA ITEM: 5.a

RESOLUTION NO: 2020-61

SUBJECT: Resolution No. 2020-61: A Resolution establishing the date of the 2021 Municipal General Election and providing authorization to the City Manager to enter into a contract with the Pinellas County Supervisor of Elections to conduct the March 9, 2021, Municipal General Election. (Una Resolucion de la ciudad de Gulfport, Florida, que establece la fecha de la Eleccion Municipal General de 2021; y que autoriza al administrador de la ciudad a celebrar un contrato con el Supervisor Electoral del Condado de Pinellas para llevar a cabo la Eleccion Municipal General del 9 de Marzo de 2021).

RECOMMENDATION: City Council establish the March 2021 General Municipal Election for Tuesday, March 9, 2021 and authorize the City Manager to enter into a contract with the Pinellas County Supervisor of Elections to conduct the 2021 General Municipal Election.

BACKGROUND:

Section 501 of Article V of the Charter of the City provides the General Election of Council Members shall be held on a Tuesday in March in each year, as determined by the Council.

ANALYSIS:

City Council authorization is requested to establish the March 2021 General Municipal Election for Tuesday, March 9, 2021 and authorize the City Manager to enter into a contract with the Pinellas County Supervisor of Elections to conduct the March 2021 Election.

The March 9, 2021 Election will be for Council Members Ward II and IV. The qualifying period begins Monday, December 7, 2020, at 8:30 a.m. and ends Monday, December 14, 2020, at Noon.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

The anticipated cost to conduct the March 9, 2021 General Municipal Election is \$13,808.93.

MOTION:

Move to approve Resolution No. 2020-61.

ATTACHMENTS:

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