



**CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
City Commission Agenda Memo
REGULAR MEETING**

#22-0416

TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: June 7, 2022

TITLE: Resolution Calling for an Election to be Held for the Lauderdale Isle Water
Management District Governing Board Due to Vacancy - **(Commission
District 4)**

Recommendation

Staff recommends the City Commission adopt a Resolution (Exhibit 1) calling for an election to be held on August 9, 2022, to elect a replacement of the Governing Board for the Lauderdale Isles Water Management District, due to vacancy.

Background

The Lauderdale Isles Water Management District (LIWMD) encompasses the land indicated on Exhibit 1. When created in 1970, the LIWMD was in the unincorporated area of Broward County. After the Riverland Road area was incorporated into the City of Fort Lauderdale (City) in September 2002, the LIWMD was placed under the jurisdiction of the City.

The Governing Board of LIWMD is made up of the City's District Commissioner, as well as two elected board members. Each member is elected for four-year staggered terms. The board member elected in 2021 has resigned and an election must be held to replace that position, serving until the end of the elected term, 2025.

Nominations for the LIWMD Board are to be delivered to City Clerk on or before 5 p.m., July 19, 2022. The election will be held at the Riverland Park & Pool, 950 SW 27th Ave, Fort Lauderdale, FL on Tuesday, August 9, 2022, under the supervision of the City Clerk. A copy of the Resolution (Exhibit 1) calling the election shall be published once each week for four (4) consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation.

Resource Impact

There is no current fiscal impact to the City. There may be a fiscal impact to the City associated with City Clerk support of the election.

Strategic Connections

This item is a 2022 Commission Priority, advancing the Waterway Quality initiative.

This item supports the *Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2024* Strategic Plan, specifically advancing:

- The Public Places Area
- Goal 3: Build a Healthy and Engaging Community.
- Objective: Improve water quality and our natural environment

This item advances Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan: We Are Ready

This item supports the *Advance Fort Lauderdale 2040 Comprehensive Plan* specifically supporting the Neighborhood Enhancement Focus Area:

- The Conservation Element
- Goal 1: Protect and monitor water resources to improve water quality and quantity.

Attachments

Exhibit 1 – Lauderdale Isle Water Control District Map

Exhibit 2 – Resolution

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