RESOLUTION NO. 20-237

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FLORIDA, LAUDERDALE. ACCEPTING FORT CERTIFICATE OF THE BROWARD COUNTY CANVASSING BOARD AND DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE 2020 REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD ON NOVEMBER 3. 2020. DECLARING THAT DEAN TRANTALIS IS ELECTED TO THE OFFICE OF MAYOR, THAT HEATHER MORAITIS IS ELECTED TO THE OFFICE OF CITY COMMISSIONER FOR DISTRICT 1. THAT STEVEN GLASSMAN IS ELECTED TO THE OFFICE OF CITY COMMISSIONER FOR DISTRICT 2, THAT ROBERT L. MCKINZIE IS ELECTED TO THE OFFICE OF CITY COMMISSIONER FOR DISTRICT 3, AND THAT BEN SORENSEN IS ELECTED TO THE OFFICE OF CITY COMMISSIONER FOR DISTRICT 4, OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Section 7.12 of the Charter of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, ("Charter"), provides, in part, "The city commission shall make all necessary arrangements for holding all city elections, and shall declare the result thereof."; and

WHEREAS, Section 7.07 of the Charter provides, in part, "should only one (1) candidate qualify for the office of mayor or city commissioner, then, and in that event, no regular election for that office shall be held and the city clerk shall certify such fact to the city commission and the city commission shall declare such person(s) to be elected to the office of mayor or city commissioner."; and

WHEREAS, the City Clerk of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, ("City Clerk"), has certified to the City Commission of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, that only one candidate, to wit, Heather Moraitis, qualified for the office of City Commissioner for District 1 of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, and that no regular election for that office was held on November 3, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the City Clerk has certified to the City Commission of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, that only one candidate, to wit, Robert L. McKinzie, qualified for the office of City Commissioner for District 3 of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, and that no regular election for that office was held on November 3, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the City Clerk has certified to the City Commission of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, that only one candidate, to wit, Ben Sorensen, qualified for the office of City Commissioner for District 4 of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, and that no regular election for that office was held on November 3, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Broward County Supervisor of Elections has submitted to the City Clerk a certificate of the Broward County Canvassing Board containing the total number of votes cast for each person elected, the names of persons for whom such votes were cast, and the number of 20-237

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votes cast for each candidate in the 2020 City of Fort Lauderdale regular municipal election held on November 3, 2020, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated herein, ("Election Results"); and

WHEREAS, the City Clerk has presented the Election Results to the City Commission;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA:

<u>SECTION 1</u>. That the City Commission hereby declares that Heather Moraitis is elected to the office of City Commissioner for District 1 of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

<u>SECTION 2</u>. That the City Commission hereby declares that Robert L. McKinzie is elected to the office of City Commissioner for District 3 of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

<u>SECTION 3</u>. That the City Commission hereby declares that Ben Sorensen is elected to the office of City Commissioner for District 4 of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

<u>SECTION 4</u>. That the City Commission hereby accepts the Election Results, and hereby declares the results of the 2020 City of Fort Lauderdale regular municipal election held on November 3, 2020, as follows:

Mayor..... Dean Trantalis

City Commissioner for District 2...... Steven Glassman

<u>SECTION 5</u>. That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon final passage.

ADOPTED this 2nd day of December, 2020.

Mayor

DEAN J. TRANTALIS

ATTEST:

City Clerk JEFFREY A. MODARELLI

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