

RESOLUTION NO. 24 - 3285

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF SURFSIDE, FLORIDA CERTIFYING AND DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE TOWN OF SURFSIDE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD ON MARCH 19, 2024, FOR THE ELECTION OF MAYOR AND FOUR (4) TOWN COMMISSIONERS; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town of Surfside (“Town”) held a general municipal election on Tuesday, March 19, 2024, for the election of Mayor and four Commissioners of the Town of Surfside, Florida (“Election”); and

WHEREAS, the qualifying period for the Election closed on November 22, 2023 at noon; and

WHEREAS, Charles W. Burkett and Shlomo Danzinger qualified to run for the Office of Mayor, and Jerold Blumstein, Ruben Bravo, Jared Brunnabend, Ruben A. Coto, David Forbes, Fred Landsman, Victor May, Tina Paul, Jeffrey Rose, Nelly Velasquez, and Gerardo Vildostegui, qualified to run for the Office of Town Commissioner(s); and

WHEREAS, Ruben Bravo withdrew from the race for the Office of Town Commissioner on February 21, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Miami-Dade County Canvassing Board has canvassed the returns, has tabulated the ballots of the early voting, mail in votes, and election day voting, and has determined the total number of votes at said Election; and

WHEREAS, the results of the March 19, 2024 Election were certified on Friday, March 29, 2024, by the Miami-Dade County Supervisor of Elections, Christina White (Exhibit A” to the Resolution); and

WHEREAS, the Town Commission hereby certifies the results of the March 19, 2024 Election.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF SURFSIDE, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Recitals Adopted. The above and foregoing recitals are true and correct and are hereby adopted and incorporated herein.

Section 2. Certification of General and Special Elections. The Town Commission finds, declares and certifies the results of the March 19, 2024 Election for the Office of the Mayor and the Office of the Town Commissioner(s) pursuant to the Certificate of County Canvassing Board Miami-Dade County (See Exhibit "A" attached).

It is hereby certified and declared that, pursuant to the votes cast in the Election held on Tuesday, March 19, 2024, Charles W. Burkett was duly elected Mayor, Tina Paul was duly elected Vice Mayor and Ruben A. Coto, Nelly Velasquez and Gerardo Vildostegui were duly elected to the Town Commission for the term which shall commence at 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 20, 2024 and end on the third Wednesday in March 2026.

Section 3. Implementation. The Town Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to take all action necessary and perform all incidental duties in connection herewith as required by law.

PASSED and ADOPTED on this 14th day of May 2024.


Motion by Commissioner Vildostegui,
Second by Commissioner Coto.

FINAL VOTE ON ADOPTION

Commissioner Ruben A. Coto	<u>Yes</u>
Commissioner Nelly Velasquez	<u>Yes</u>
Commissioner Gerardo Vildostegui	<u>Yes</u>
Vice Mayor Tina Paul	<u>Yes</u>
Mayor Charles W. Burkett	<u>Yes</u>

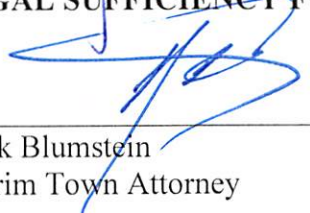
Charles W. Burkett, Mayor

ATTEST:

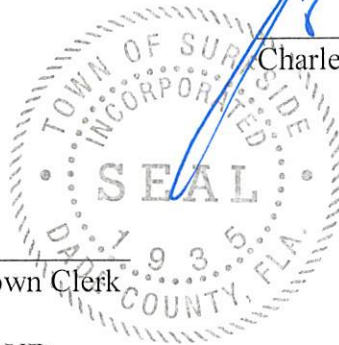


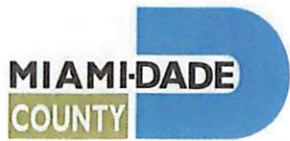
Sandra N. McCready, MMC, Town Clerk

**APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY FOR THE TOWN OF SURFSIDE ONLY:**



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CERTIFICATION

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE

I, Christina White, Supervisor of Elections for Miami-Dade County, Florida, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of the Official Results for the Miami-Dade County Presidential Preference Primary Election conducted on March 19, 2024, which included the **Surfside General Municipal Election**:

Mayor

Office of Town Commissioner

WITNESS MY HAND AND
OFFICIAL SEAL, AT MIAMI,
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA,
ON THIS 29TH DAY OF MARCH, 2024

The official seal of Miami-Dade County is visible in the background, partially obscured by a blue ink signature. The signature is a stylized, cursive script that appears to read "Christina White".

Christina White
Supervisor of Elections
Miami-Dade County

Enclosure

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	TOTAL VOTES	%	ED	VBM	EV
Surfside Mayor					
(VOTE FOR) 1					
Charles W. Burkett	1,061	52.42	490	354	217
Shlomo Danzinger	963	47.58	347	335	281
Total	2,024		837	689	498
Over Votes	0		0	0	0
Under Votes	24		8	11	5

Surfside Town Commissioner					
(VOTE FOR) 4					
JeroId Blumstein	458	6.05	221	148	89
Ruben A. Bravo	112	1.48	39	62	11
Jared Brunnabend	670	8.85	231	215	224
Ruben Antonio Coto	941	12.44	435	313	193
David Forbes	676	8.93	243	204	229
Fred Landsman	877	11.59	303	304	270
Victor May	50	.66	22	20	8
Tina Paul	1,037	13.70	464	350	223
Jeffrey "Jeff" Rose	823	10.88	282	287	254
Nelly Velasquez	918	12.13	420	317	181
Gerardo Vildostegui	1,005	13.28	469	324	212
Total	7,567		3,129	2,544	1,894
Over Votes	24		4	20	0
Under Votes	601		247	236	118

So Miami Lease exceed 50yrs City property/Hall redevelop					
(VOTE FOR) 1					
Yes	662	57.32	159	453	50
No.	493	42.68	131	329	33
Total	1,155		290	782	83
Over Votes	0		0	0	0
Under Votes	39		5	20	14