

**CITY OF BONITA SPRINGS, FLORIDA
RESOLUTION 26-019**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF BONITA SPRINGS, LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, CALLING FOR AND ORDERING A GENERAL ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL OFFICERS FOR CITY COUNCIL DISTRICTS 1, 3, AND 5 TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2026 AND ACKNOWLEDGING QUALIFIED CANDIDATES FOR SAID ELECTION, AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Bonita Springs was incorporated on December 31, 1999, with its initial Charter; and

WHEREAS, the regular election of municipal officers occurs in staggered rotation every two years, with Council Member seats 1, 3, and 5 slated for the 2026 ballot; and,

WHEREAS, City Ordinance 19-02, adopted by City Council on March 7, 2019, modified the date for holding regular municipal elections to the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November of even-numbered years, to coincide with state and federal general elections in the fall; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the candidate-qualifying timeline established by Florida Statute 99.061 and implemented by the Lee County Supervisor of Elections, the advertised period for individuals seeking to qualify as candidates for the 2026 General Municipal Election opened at Noon, June 8, 2026, and closed at Noon, June 12, 2026; and

WHEREAS, the City Clerk, acting in his capacity as the qualifying officer pursuant to the City Charter, has determined that the individuals named below reside in the districts they seek to represent, have satisfied all candidate-qualifying requirements under state and local law, and are eligible to hold office, and has therefore submitted their names to the Lee County Supervisor of Elections for placement on the ballot of the 2026 Bonita Springs General Municipal Election.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of Bonita Springs, Lee County, Florida, that:

Section 1: A General Municipal Election for the offices of City Council Member Districts 1, 3, and 5 is hereby called and ordered for Tuesday, November 3, 2026, to be conducted by the Lee County Supervisor of Elections.

Section 2: The following single candidate has qualified to run for the Office of District 1 Council Member in the 2026 General Municipal Election: Jamie Bogacz.

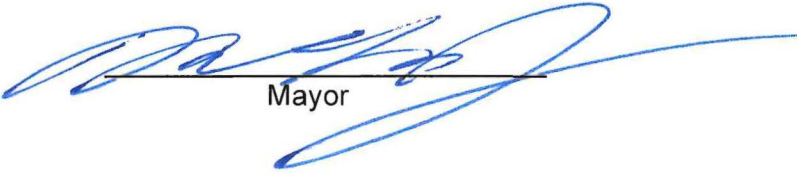
Section 3: The following three (3) alphabetically listed candidates have qualified to run for the Office of District 3 Council Member in the 2026 General Municipal Election: Ruth Condit, Ray Sandelli, and Tim Voit.

Section 4: The following two (2) alphabetically listed candidates have qualified to run for the Office of District 5 Council Member in the 2026 General Municipal Election: James Anderst and Nigel Patrick Fullick.

Section 5: this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

DULY PASSED AND ENACTED by the City Council of the City of Bonita Springs, Lee County, Florida, this 17th day of June, 2026.

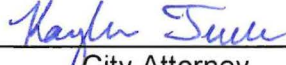
AUTHENTICATION:



Mayor



City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM: 

City Attorney



Vote:

Bogacz *Aye*
Purdon *Aye*
Carr *Aye*
Gibson *Aye*

Corrie *Aye*
Fullick *Aye*
Fitzpatrick *Aye*