

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 12.504 –5/2026*

IN RE: COUNTY CANVASSING BOARD FOR
**2026 GUBERNATIONAL ELECTION CYCLE FOR
FULL ELECTION CYCLE (PRIMARY AND GENERAL)**

Section 102.141(1), Florida Statutes, specifies that a county court judge shall chair the county canvassing board. The statute also specifies that the chief judge of the judicial circuit in which the county is located shall appoint a county court judge as an alternate member of the county canvassing board and shall also appoint substitute and alternate members of the board in certain circumstances.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority conferred by Florida Rule of General Practice and Judicial Administration 2.215, it is ORDERED that the following county court judges shall serve on the Palm Beach County Canvassing Board for both **the Primary and General Elections in the 2026 Gubernational Election Cycle**:

1. The Honorable Katherine Mullinax, a County Court Judge in and for Palm Beach County, is appointed to serve as a member of the Palm Beach County Canvassing Board and shall chair the Palm Beach County Canvassing Board.
2. The Honorable April Bristow, a County Court Judge in and for Palm Beach County, is appointed to serve as an alternate member of the Palm Beach County Canvassing Board pursuant to section 102.141(1)(e)1.
3. The Honorable Lauren Burke , a County Court Judge in and for Palm Beach County, is appointed to serve as a second alternate member of the Palm Beach County Canvassing Board pursuant to section 102.141(1)(e)1.
4. The Honorable Stephanie Tew, a County Court Judge in and for Palm Beach County, is appointed to serve as the third alternate member of the Palm Beach County Canvassing Board pursuant to section 102.141(1)(e)1.
5. The Honorable Ori Silver, a County Court Judge in and for Palm Beach County, is appointed to serve as the fourth alternate member of the Palm Beach County Canvassing Board pursuant to section 102.141(1)(e)1.

6. The Honorable Michael Barnett, a County Court Judge in and for Palm Beach County, is appointed to serve as the fifth alternate member of the Palm Beach County Canvassing Board pursuant to section 102.141(1)(e)1.

DONE AND SIGNED, in Chambers, in West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida, this 23rd day of May 2026.



Glenn D. Kelley, Chief Judge

cc:

Wendy Link, Supervisor of Elections

supersedes administrative orders 12.504-12/2025; 12.504A-12/25 and 12.504B-12/25*