

A RESOLUTION OF THE CHARTER REVIEW BOARD PROPOSING TO THE ELECTORATE OF HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY BY MEANS OF A REFERENDUM, THE QUESTION OF AMENDING THE HOME RULE CHARTER FOR THE GOVERNANCE OF HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY, FLORIDA BY: PROVIDING THAT CHARTER AMENDMENT PROPOSALS PASSED BY THE CHARTER REVIEW BOARD BE VOTED ON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION FOLLOWING THE ONE YEAR TERM OF THE CHARTER REVIEW BOARD, PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

1. Section 8.04 shall be amended to read as follows:

Section 8.04. Elections and Notice. All elections shall be held and conducted pursuant to the provisions of general law except as otherwise provided in this Charter. Charter amendments by ordinance shall be voted on at special elections or regular elections as the board of county commissioners chooses. ~~Charter review and i~~ Initiative amendments shall be voted on at the next regular general election. **Charter Review Amendments shall be voted on at the next regular general election following the conclusion of the one year term of the Charter Review Board.** Amendments shall become effective upon approval by a majority vote of the electors voting at the next scheduled countrywide election or special referendum election.

2. (a) The proposed amendment to the Charter of Hillsborough County, Florida shall be presented to the Hillsborough County electorate by placing the question of whether to adopt the same on the ballot at the next scheduled general election.

(b) The question on the ballot shall be as follows:

AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER OF HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY

Shall the Hillsborough County charter be amended to specify that proposed charter amendments passed by the Charter Review Board be placed on the general election ballot following the conclusion of the one year term of the Charter Review Board?

_____ Yes for Approval

_____ No for Rejection

3. Effective Date:

This Amendment to the Charter of Hillsborough County shall become effective when and only if approved by a "yes" vote by a majority of those voting on the question posed at the next general election. If a majority of those voting shall not vote "yes" to the question posed, the proposed amendment shall not be adopted.