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Miami-Dade
County**

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Representatives
2011 - 2012**

**and
GENERAL VOTING
INFORMATION FOR
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY**

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***IMPORTANT ELECTION AND
EARLY VOTING INFORMATION***

FLORIDA PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARIES*

Tuesday, January 31, 2012

**date subject to change by Florida Legislature*

PRIMARY ELECTION:

Tuesday, August 14, 2012

Early Voting: 8/4/12 - 8/11/12

GENERAL ELECTION:

Tuesday, November 6, 2012

Early Voting: 10/27/12 - 11/03/12

FACTS FOR VOTERS

YOU MAY REGISTER TO VOTE IN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY IF:

- You are a citizen and 18 years of age. (You can pre-register to vote at 16 or when you receive a valid Florida Driver's License, but cannot vote until age 18.)
- You reside in Miami-Dade County. (There is no length of time you must live in Miami-Dade County to register to vote.)
- You have not been declared "mentally incompetent."
- You have not been convicted of a felony or you have had your civil rights restored.

HOW TO REGISTER TO VOTE

- You may obtain a voter registration application where you obtain a Florida Driver's License; Miami-Dade Public Libraries; Team Metro; Elections Department; County Government Offices; Government on the Go Buses; State public assistance agencies; any agency for disabled persons; Armed Forces Recruiting Offices.
Call (305) 499-8683 for information or to obtain a form by mail.
- You may obtain a registration application on-line at http://www.miamidade.gov/elections/how_register.asp
Send your signed form to:
Supervisor of Elections, P.O. Box 521550, Miami, FL, 33152.
- When you register to vote, a residence address is required by law.
- You may register with a party or "no party" affiliation. Only registered Democrats or Republicans may vote in their respective party primaries.
- In a general election, registered voters may vote on all partisan and nonpartisan offices, general issues and vote, as eligible, on local matters.
- Once you are registered, you will be mailed a Voter Information Card. A Voter Information Card includes all identifying information, as well as precinct and other elections-related information.
- Your application must be received at least 29 days before any election.

CHANGES OF ADDRESS

- Registered voters within Miami-Dade County can make address changes by e-mail, fax, or telephone.

VOTE EARLY –Early Voting begins ten days before Election Day.

- Early voting offers a choice of voting sites.
- Bring a photo ID with a signature, such as a Florida driver's license.

VOTE ABSENTEE – Any registered voter eligible to vote in an election may request an absentee ballot.

- You may obtain an absentee ballot request online at: http://www.miamidade.gov/elections/vote_absentee.asp
- You may submit your request in writing to the Department of Elections; go in person with a picture identification having a signature; or give written authorization to a designee to pick-up the ballot for you, on the day before Election Day.
- A request for an Absentee Ballot that is to be mailed to a voter must be received by the Supervisor of Elections no later than 5 P.M. on the sixth day before the election. The Supervisor of Elections must mail Absentee Ballots to voters meeting this deadline no later than 4 days before the election.
- Absentee ballots may be returned in person, by mail, or by authorizing a designated person to deliver the ballot to the Supervisor of Elections.

- Absentee ballots must be returned in the certificate envelope. You must sign the envelope on the outside and the signature must match your voter's signature on record with the Elections Department.
- The deadline to submit an Absentee Ballot is 7 P.M. on Election Day.

VOTE ON ELECTION DAY – Go to your assigned polling place


- **You must vote in the precinct where you reside. For proper precinct assignment, it is imperative that your address is correct in the records.**
- **A voter who does not show required identification or whose eligibility cannot be determined at the precinct is entitled to obtain a Provisional Ballot that will be validated as a vote at a later time.**
- Your precinct is listed on your Voter Information Card.
- You may find your precinct by visiting <http://www.miamidade.gov/elections/regist-status.asp>
- Bring a photo ID that contains your signature, such as a Florida driver's license, Debit/Credit Cards, Student ID, Public Assistance ID.
- If you have moved, you must vote at the polling location for your new address.
- If you have moved and have not notified the Elections Department:
 - You may vote by regular ballot at your new precinct if you relocated within the same county.
 - If you have moved to another county, you must use a provisional ballot at your new precinct.

SPECIAL FACTS

- Polls are open 7 A.M. to 7 P.M. on Election Day.
- Early Voting begins ten days before Election Day and ends 3 days before the election.
- Primary election is ten weeks before the General Election in even years.
- Non-partisan elections are held on Primary Day.
- Contact the Elections Department for any questions: (305) 499-VOTE (8683).

SAMPLE VOTER INFORMATION CARD

Check your Voter Identification Card for your Districts.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY		Voter Information Card Miami-Dade County, FL	
Tarjeta de información del elector Condado de Miami-Dade, FL		Kat Enformasyon Votè Konte Miami-Dade, FL	
John Doe 2700 NW 87 AVE ← DORAL FL 33172		ISSUED EMITIDA ENPRIME 03/18/08	
Bring photo identification when voting. Para votar, presente una identificación con fotografía. Tranpri pote yon pyès idantifikasyon ki gen foto w sou li lè w'ap vin vote.		Registration No. Núm. de inscripción Nim. Enskripsyon 123456789	
Voting Location Ubicación de la votación Lokal Bivò Vòt Fire Fighter Memorial Bldge 8000 NW 21 St			
Precinct No. Núm. del recinto Nim. Bivò Vòt 401	Identification Data Datos de identificación Enfo. Idantifikasyon 1/31/1970	Registration Date Fecha de inscripción Dat Enskripsyon 11/6/2007	
Party Affiliation Afiliación partidista Pati Polítik NO PARTY AFFILIATION			
Supervisor of Elections Supervisor de Elecciones Sipèvizòr Eleksyon Lester Sola			
You are eligible to vote for the representatives from the districts listed below. Ud. puede votar por los representantes de los distritos enumerados abajo. W elijib pou w vote pou reprezantan ki nan distri ki ekri anba la yo.			
Congress Congreso Kongrè 21	State Senate Senado Estatal Sena Eta a 40	State House Cámara Estatal Lachannm Eta a 112	
County Commission Comisión del Condado Komisyon Konte 12	School Board Junta Escolar Asanble Edikasyon 5	Community Council Consejo Comunitario Konsèy Kominotè 0	
Municipality Municipalidad Minisipalite DORAL			

Find a list of contests in the Primary and General Election at:
http://www.miamidade.gov/elections/voting_system_sample.asp

IN THE NATION

	Phone/ Fax/ Email	Office on Ballot
<u>PRESIDENT</u>		
Barack H. Obama (D)	(202) 456-1414	2012
The White House	Fax: (202) 456-2461	
Washington, D.C. 20500	www.whitehouse.gov	

<u>VICE PRESIDENT</u>		
Joe Biden (D)	(202) 456-1414	
The White House	Fax: (202) 456-2461	
Washington, D.C. 20500	www.whitehouse.gov	

*Term: President and Vice President, 4 yr. term.
Next Election: November 2012. Term begins Noon January 20.*

U. S. SENATORS (6 Yr. Term)

Marco Rubio (R)	(202) 224-3041	2014
317 Hart Senate Office Bldg.	Fax: (202) 228-0285	
Washington, D.C. 20510	http://rubio.senate.gov	
8669 NW 36 th Street – Suite 110	(305) 418-8553	
Miami, FL 33166	Fax: (305) 418-8553	

Bill Nelson (D)	(202) 224-5274	2012
716 Hart Senate Office Bldg.	Fax: (202) 228-2183	
Washington, D.C. 20510	www.billnelson.senate.gov	
2925 Salzedo Street	(305) 536-5999	
Miami, FL 33134	Fax: (305) 536-5991	

U.S. Senate Website: www.senate.gov

U.S. REPRESENTATIVES (2 Yr. Term)

District 17 – Frederica S. Wilson (D)	(202) 225-4506	2012
208 Cannon House Office Bldg.	Fax: (202) 226-0777	
Washington, D.C. 20515	www.house.gov/fredericawilson/	
18435 NW 2nd Avenue - Suite 355	(305) 690-5905	
Miami, FL 33169	Fax: (305) 690-5951	

District 18 - Ileana Ros-Lehtinen (R)	(202) 225-3931	2012
2206 Rayburn House Office Bldg.	Fax: (202) 225-5620	
Washington, D.C. 20515-0918	www.house.gov/ros-lehtinen/	
4960 SW 72 nd Avenue - Suite 208	(305) 688-2285	
Miami, FL 33155	Fax: (305) 688-5970	

District 20 - Debbie Wasserman Schultz (D)		2012
118 Cannon House Office Bldg.	(202) 225-7931	
Washington, D.C. 20515	Fax: (202) 226-2052	
	www.house.gov/schultz	
19200 W. Country Club Drive -Third Floor	(305) 936-5724	
Aventura, FL 33180	Fax: (305) 932-9664	

District 21 - Mario Diaz-Balart (R)	(202) 225-4211	2012
436 Cannon House Office Bldg.	Fax: (202) 225-8576	
Washington, D.C. 20515	www.house.gov/mariodiaz-balart/	
8669 N.W. 36 Street - Suite 100	(305) 470-8555	
Miami, FL 33166	Fax: (305) 470-8575	

District 25 – David Rivera (R)	(202) 225-2778	2012
417 Cannon House Office Bldg.	Fax: (202) 226-0346	
Washington, D.C. 20515	www.house.gov/davidrivera/	
12851 S.W. 42nd Street - Suite 131	(305) 222-0160	
Miami, FL 33175	Fax: (305) 228-9397	

*U.S. House Website: www.house.gov
Senate and House election: November even years. Terms begin in January.*

IN THE STATE

	Phone/ Fax/ Email	Office on Ballot
<u>GOVERNOR</u> – Rick Scott (R)	(850) 488-7146	2014
The Capitol Tallahassee, FL 32399-0001	Fax: (850) 487-0801 Rick.Scott@myflorida.com	
<u>LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR</u>	(850) 488-4711	2014
Jennifer Carroll (R)	Jennifer.Carroll@myflorida.com	
<u>SECRETARY OF STATE</u>	(850) 245-6500	(Appointed)
Kurt S. Browning	Fax: (850) 245-6125	
R.A. Gray Building 500 South Bronough Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0250	secretaryofstate@dos.state.fl.us	
<u>ATTORNEY GENERAL</u>	(850) 414-3990	2014
Pam Bondi (R)	(866) 966-7226	
The Capitol – Plaza 01 Level Tallahassee, FL 32399-1050	Fax: (850) 410-1630 www.myfloridalegal.com	
<u>CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER</u>	(850) 413-3100	2014
Jeff Atwater (R)	Fax: (850) 488-6581	
200 East Gaines Street Tallahassee, FL 32399-0300	jeff.atwater@yfloridacfo.com	
Insurance, Banking, Financial	(800) 342-2762	
<u>COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE</u>	(850) 488-3022	2014
Adam Putnam (R)	Fax: (850) 922-4936	
The Capitol Tallahassee, FL 32399-0800	adam.putnam@freshfromflorida.com	
<u>COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE</u>	(850) 413-3140	(Appointed)
Kevin McCarty		
200 East Gaines Street Tallahassee, FL 32399-0305	insurancecommissioner@flair.com	
<u>COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION</u>	(850) 245-0505	(Appointed)
Gerard Robinson	Fax: (850) 245-9667	
Turlington Bldg. – Suite 1514 325 West Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399	commissioner@fldoe.org	

Term: All above 4 years. Election: November even years.

Term begins in January.

SENATORS (4 Yr. Term)

Election in November. Term begins the next day.

<u>District 33</u> - Oscar Braynon, II (D)	226 SOB (850) 488-5116	2012
606 NW 183rd Street Miami Gardens, FL 33169	(305) 654-7150 braynon.oscar.web@flsenate.gov	
<u>District 34</u> - Nan H. Rich (D)	228 SOB (850) 487-5103	2014
777 Saw Grass Corporate Pkwy Sunrise, FL 33325-6256	(954) 747-7933 rich.nan.web@flsenate.gov	
<u>District 35</u> – Gwen Margolis (D)	414 SOB (850) 487-5121	2012
3050 Biscayne Blvd – Suite 600 Miami, FL 33137	(305) 571-5777 margolis.gwen.web@flsenate.gov	
<u>District 36</u> - Miguel Diaz de la Portilla (R)	312 SOB	2014
1481 NW 22nd St. Miami, FL 33142-7741	(305) 643-7200 (850) 487-5109 portilla.miguel.web@flsenate.gov	

SENATORS (4 Yr. Term) - Continued

Election in November. Term begins the next day.

- District 38 – Anitere Flores (R)** 316 SOB (850) 487-5130 2014
10691 N. Kendall Dr. – Suite 309 (305) 270-6550
Miami, FL 33176 flores.anitere.web@flsenate.gov
- District 39 - Larcenia Bullard (D)** 218 SOB (850) 487-5127 2012
8603 S. Dixie Highway - Suite 304 (305) 668-7344
Miami, FL 33143 bullard.larcenia.web@flsenate.gov
- District 40 - Rene Garcia (R)** 310 SOB (850) 487-5106 2014
3814 West 12th Ave (305)364-3100
Hialeah, FL 33012 garcia.rudy.web@flsenate.gov

REPRESENTATIVES (2 Yr. Term)

Election in November of even years. Term begins the next day.

- District 102 - Eddy Gonzalez (R)** 214 HOB (850) 488-1683 2012
10001 N.W. 87th Avenue (305) 364-3066
Hialeah Gardens, FL33016-1901 eddy.gonzalez@myfloridahouse.gov
- District 103 – Barbara Watson (D)** 1401 The Capitol 2012
610 NW 183rd Street - Suite 204 (850) 488-0766
Miami Gardens, FL 33169 (305) 654-7100
Barbara.watson@myfloridahouse.gov
- District 104 – John Patrick Julien (D)** 1401 The Capitol 2012
633 N.E. 167th Street - Suite 600 (850) 488-7088
North Miami Beach, FL 33162-2444 (305) 650-0222
john.julien@myfloridahouse.gov
- District 106 – Richard L. Steinberg (D)** 1402 The Capitol 2012
767 Arthur Godfrey Road (850) 488-0690
Miami Beach, FL 33140-3413 (305) 535-5445
richard.steinberg@myfloridahouse.gov
- District 107 - Luis Garcia, Jr. (D)** 1302 The Capitol 2012
1225 SW 8th St. (850) 488-9930
Miami, FL 33135-4003 (305) 325-2501
luis.garcia@myfloridahouse.gov
- District 108 – Daphne Campbell (D)** 1401 The Capitol 2012
9999 NE 2nd Ave – Suite 309 (850) 488-4233
Miami, FL 33138-2346 (305) 795-1210
Daphne.campbell@myfloridahouse.gov
- District 109 – Cynthia Stafford (D)** 1401 The Capitol 2012
3550 Biscayne Boulevard - Suite 405 (850) 488-0625
Miami, FL 33137-3854 (305) 571-2100
Cynthia.stafford@myfloridahouse.gov
- District 110 – Jose Oliva (R)** 204 HOB 2012
3794 W. 12th Avenue (850) 487-2197
Hialeah, FL 33012-4126 (305) 364-3113
Jose.oliva@myfloridahouse.gov
- District 111 – Erik Fresen (R)** 313 HOB (850) 488-4092 2012
6255 Bird Road (305) 663-2011
Miami, FL 33155-4883 erik.fresen@myfloridahouse.gov
- District 112 – Jeanette Nuñez (R)** 319 The Capitol 2012
2450 SW 137th Avenue - Suite 205 (850) 488-7897
Miami, FL 33175-6312 (305) 227-7630
Jeanette.nunez@myfloridahouse.gov

REPRESENTATIVES (2 Yr. Term) - Continued

Election in November of even years. Term begins the next day.

District 113 - Carlos Lopez-Cantera (R) 322 The Capitol 2012
2300 Coral Way - Suite 111 (850) 488-4202
Miami, FL 33145-3511 (305) 442-6877
carlos.lopes-cantera@myfloridahouse.gov

District 114 - Ana Rivas Logan (R) 1301 The Capitol 2012
11010 N. Kendall Drive # 102A (850) 488-2831
Miami, FL 33176-1205 (305) 275-1912
ana.logan@myfloridahouse.gov

District 115 - Jose Felix Diaz (R) 1101 The Capitol 2012
7901 SW 24th Street (850) 488-3616
Miami, FL 33156-6524 (305) 442-6800
jose.diaz@myfloridahouse.gov

District 116 - Carlos Trujillo (R) 1301 The Capitol 2012
13550 SW 88th Street - Suite 150 (850) 488-5047
Miami, FL 33186-1541 (305) 596-3030
carlos.trujillo@myfloridahouse.gov

District 117 - Michael Bileca (R) 1003 The Capitol 2012
1000 SW 57th Avenue - Suite 202 (850) 488-6506
W. Miami, FL 33144-5120 (305) 442-6868
michael.bileca@myfloridahouse.gov

District 118 - Dwight M. Bullard (D) 1302 The Capitol 2012
10720 Caribbean Blvd - Suite 425 (850) 488-5430
Cutler Bay, FL 33189-1245 (305) 234-2208
dwight.bullard@myfloridahouse.gov

District 119 - Frank Artiles (R) 1102 The Capitol 2012
13550 S.W. 128th Street - Suite 115A (850) 488-9550
Miami, FL 33186-5862 (305) 252-4300
frank.artiles@myfloridahouse.gov

District 120 - Ron Saunders (D) 316 The Capitol 2012
90311 Overseas Highway - Suite A (850) 488-9965
Tavernier, FL 33070-0699 (305) 853-1947
ron.saunders@myfloridahouse.gov

Florida Legislature Website: www.leg.state.fl.us

Miami-Dade Legislative Delegation Office -
Call Rep. Carlos Lopez-Cantera, Chair, (305) 442-6877

Senate and House address during session:
The Capitol, Tallahassee, FL 32399.

Session starts Tuesday, January 10, 2012 and lasts 60 consecutive days.

IN THE COUNTY

MAYOR (4 Yr. Term) - Carlos A. Gimenez 2012
Stephen P. Clark Center - 29th Floor (305) 375-5071
111 N.W. 1st Street, Fax: (305) 375-1274
Miami, FL 33128 mayor@miamidade.gov

Office on
Ballot

*Mayor can live in any district.
Elected Nonpartisan county-wide on Primary Day.*

IN THE COUNTY

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS (4 Yr. Term)

Stephen P. Clark Center (305) 375-5124
Districts 1-8 - 2nd floor Fax: (305) 375-5569
Districts 9-13 - 3rd floor Fax: (305) 375-4838

District 1 - Barbara J. Jordan (305) 375-5694 2012
Opa-Locka, Miami Gardens Fax: (305) 372-6028
district1@miamidade.gov

District 2 – Jean Monestime (305) 375-4833 2014
Liberty City, Opa Locka, Fax: (305) 375-4843
N. Miami Beach district2@miamidade.gov

District 3 - Audrey M. Edmonson – Vice Chairman 2012
City of Miami, Liberty City, Overtown (305) 375-5393
Fax: (305) 372-6104
district3@miamidade.gov

District 4 - Sally A. Heyman (305) 375-5128 2014
Miami Beach, Miami Shores, Fax: (305) 372-6179
N. Miami Beach district4@miamidade.gov

District 5 - Bruno A. Barreiro (305) 375-5924 2012
City of Miami, Miami Beach, Fax: (305) 375-5904
Miami-Dade area district5@miamidade.gov

District 6 - Rebeca Sosa (305) 375-5696 2014
City of Miami, Coral Gables, Hialeah Fax: (305) 372-6090
district6@miamidade.gov

District 7 - Xavier L. Suarez (305) 375-5680 2012
Coral Gables, Key Biscayne, Miami Fax: (305) 372-6103
district7@miamidade.gov

District 8 – Lynda Bell (305) 375-5218 2014
Pinecrest, South Miami-Dade Fax: (305) 372-6073
district8@miamidade.gov

District 9 - Dennis C. Moss (305) 375-4832 2012
South Miami-Dade Fax: (305) 372-6011
dennismoss@miamidade.gov

District 10 - Javier D. Souto (305) 375-4835 2014
Kendall, Westchester Fax: (305) 375-3456
district10@miamidade.gov

District 11 - Joe A. Martinez - Chairman (305) 375-5511 2012
West Dade, Kendall Fax: (305) 375-5883
district11@miamidade.gov

District 12 - Jose "Pepe" Diaz (305) 375-4343 2014
West Dade, Hialeah, Doral, Fax: (305) 372-6109
Sweetwater district12@miamidade.gov

District 13 - Esteban L. Bovo, Jr. (305) 375-4831 2012
Hialeah, Miami Lakes, Fax: (305) 375-2011
Palm Springs North district13@miamidade.gov

*Commissioners must live in district; elected by voters in their district.
Election: Nonpartisan on Primary Day.*

IN THE COUNTY

Phone/ Fax/ Email Office
on Ballot

CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS (4 Yr. Term)

STATE ATTORNEY

Katherine Fernandez Rundle (D) (305) 547-0100 2012
E.R. Graham Building, 1350 N.W. 12th Avenue, Miami, FL 33136

PUBLIC DEFENDER

Carlos J. Martinez (D) (305) 545-1600 2012
1320 N.W. 14th Street, Miami, FL 33125

Next Election: November 2012. Term begins in January.

SCHOOL BOARD (4 Yr. Term)

Main Office: Miami-Dade Public Schools
1450 NE Second Avenue, Miami, FL 33132

*School Board meetings are held once a month on Wednesdays,
starting at 12:00 noon in the school board administration auditorium.
Board meetings air live on WLRN – TV Channel 17 and on WLRN- FM (91.3).*

Board members may be reached at: (305) 995-1334.

		Office on Ballot
<u>District 1</u>	Dr. Wilbert "Tee" Holloway wtholloway@dadeschools.net	2012
<u>District 2</u>	Dorothy Bendross-Mindingall dbendross-mindingall@dadeschools.net	2014
<u>District 3</u>	Dr. Martin Karp martinkarp@dadeschools.net	2012
<u>District 4</u>	Ms. Perla Tabares Hantman – Chair phantman@dadeschools.net	2014
<u>District 5</u>	Mr. Renier Diaz de la Portilla rdiazdelaportilla@dadeschools.net	2012
<u>District 6</u>	Racquel Regalado rregalado@dadeschools.net	2014
<u>District 7</u>	Carlos Curbelo ccurbelo@dadeschools.net	2012
<u>District 8</u>	Dr. Marta Pérez martaperez@dadeschools.net	2014
<u>District 9</u>	Dr. Lawrence S. Feldman- Vice-Chair lfeldman@dadeschools.net	2012

Board members must live in their districts and are elected in nonpartisan election by voters in district. Election: Primary Day on even years; runoff at November general election.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Mr. Alberto M. Carvalho (305) 995 -1430 (Appointed)
1450 N.E. Second Avenue, Suite 912, Miami, FL 33132
Superintendent'sOffice@dadeschools.net

ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

Clerk of Circuit and County Court (4 Yr. Term)

Harvey Ruvin (D) (305) 275-1155 2012
Dade County Courthouse, 73 West Flagler, Suite 242, Miami, FL 33130

Next Election: Primary Day 2012; runoff November general election.

Property Appraiser (4 Yr. Term)

Pedro J. Garcia (786) 331-5321 2012
Office of the Property Appraiser, Miami Dade County
111 NW 1st Street – Suite 710
Miami, FL 33128-1984 PAwebmail@miamidade.gov

Election: Nonpartisan, November general election.

