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Primary Election, August 18, 2026

2026 Local Ballot Measure | City of Cape Coral

City of Cape Coral Charter Amendments

City Charter Amendment Relating to the Election of the Mayor Pro Tem

This proposal amends the Cape Coral City Charter to clarify that the election of the Mayor Pro Tem shall be by the majority vote of the City Council to be held at the first regular council meeting following each City General Election.

Shall the above-described amendment to the Charter be adopted?

Yes
No

City Charter Amendment Relating to Eligibility Requirements of Candidates for Council Member or Mayor

This proposal amends the Cape Coral City Charter to require any Council member candidate be a continuous permanent resident of the District for the entire calendar year immediately preceding their qualification for office, excluding candidates impacted by Section 4.04 of the City Charter, and establishing procedures for complying with the "residency" requirement for a candidate's permanent legal residency and domicile within the District and City pursuant to the submission of a sworn statement.

Shall the above-described amendment to the Charter be adopted?

Yes
No

City Charter Amendment Relating to the Proof of Residency for Candidates Eligible to Hold Office

This proposal amends the Cape Coral City Charter to require eligible candidates for the office of Mayor or Council member to submit a sworn statement identifying their permanent legal residency and domicile, affirming that the candidate meets the residency requirements of Section 4.02 of the City's Charter, and submission of two (2) documents establishing proof of residency pursuant to those acceptable documents set forth within new Section 4.05(c)(2) of the City's Charter.

Shall the above-described amendment to the Charter be adopted?

Yes
No