

**OFFICIAL CITY OF SARASOTA REGULAR ELECTION BALLOT
SARASOTA COUNTY, FLORIDA
MARCH 10, 2009**

- **TO VOTE, COMPLETELY FILL IN THE OVAL ● NEXT TO YOUR CHOICE.**
- Use only a #2 pencil, the marker provided, or a blue or black pen.
- If you make a mistake, don't hesitate to ask for a new ballot. If you erase or make other marks, your vote may not count.

CITY OF SARASOTA

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COMMISSIONERS AT- LARGE
(Vote for no more than Two)**

- Suzanne Atwell
- Jay Berman
- Paul Caragiulo
- Rick Farmer
- Robin Harrington
- Ray E. McKinon
- Ken Shelin
- Pete Theisen
- Terry Turner

PROPOSED MUNICIPAL AMENDMENT

**TITLE: CHARTER AMENDMENT: EXPAND CITY COMMISSION FROM 5 TO
7 INCLUDING AN ELECTED MAYOR AND
AT LARGE COMMISSIONER**

SUMMARY:

Amendment to directly elect the Mayor by voters for a 4 year term; to add Mayor and one at large seat to City Commission making a total of 7 Commissioners (including the Mayor); setting Mayor's annual compensation at twice the amount of City Commissioners' compensation; providing Mayor shall assist City Manager in submission of annual budget and budget policy; shall appoint Commissioners to regional advisory boards; shall head search process for replacement of City Manager upon vacancy.

- YES, For the Amendment
- NO, Against the Amendment