AMENDED NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION
FOR THE OFFICE OF
STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 51

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Florida, under and by virtue of Sections 100.101 and 100.141, Florida Statutes, has called a Special Election for filling the vacancy of the office of State Representative, District 51, and has also called a Special Primary Election for selecting nominees of the recognized political parties for such election, and

WHEREAS, the dates for such Special Primary Election and Special Election have been fixed by the Governor as follows:

Special Primary Election: January 13, 2026 Special Election: March 24, 2026

WHEREAS, Section 100.141, Florida Statutes, provides that the Secretary of State shall fix the dates for candidates to qualify for such Special Primary Election and Special Election and the dates for candidates to file campaign reports, and

WHEREAS, candidates seeking to qualify by the petition method must obtain valid signatures as follows:

319 valid signatures

WHEREAS, petitions for candidates qualifying by the petition method must be submitted to the supervisor of elections in the county in which signatures are collected no later than 5 p.m., November 20, 2025, in order that the supervisor of elections can verify the signatures and certify the results to the Division of Elections no later than 5 p.m., November 21, 2025. Qualifying fees for those candidates not qualifying by the petition method are as follows:

Partisan: $1,781.82 No Party Affiliation: $1,187.88

THEREFORE, I, Cord Byrd, Secretary of State of the State of Florida, do hereby fix and declare that the date on which candidates may qualify for said Special Election shall be from 8:00 a.m., November 24, 2025, through Noon, November 25, 2025, and the dates for candidates to file campaign reports are as follows:

Report	**Cover Periods**	**Due Dates**
SP1	Date appointment filed – 12/04/25	12/12/25
SP2	12/05/25 – 01/08/26	01/09/26
SG1	01/09/26 – 02/12/26	02/20/26
SG2	02/13/26 – 03/19/26	03/20/26

A final report is due 90 days after the candidate becomes unopposed, is eliminated, or elected.

GIVEN under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, the Capitol, this 13th day of November, A.D., 2025.

SECRETARY OF STATE