

MINUTES OF ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING  
DANIA BEACH CITY COMMISSION  
TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 2011 – 7:00 P.M.

1. Call to Order/Call to Order

Mayor McElyea called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Present:

Mayor:	C. K. McElyea
Vice-Mayor:	Anne Castro
Commissioners:	Bob Anton
	Walter Duke
	Bobbie H. Grace
City Manager:	Robert Baldwin
City Clerk:	Louise Stilson

Absent:

City Attorney:	Thomas Ansbro
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2. Acceptance of Certification of General Election

2.1 Motion to accept certification of General Election results from the Broward County Canvassing Board

City Clerk Stilson announced the results of the March 8, 2011 Municipal Election; 2,541 registered voters cast their ballots as follows:

Mayor:	Patricia A. Flury	1,295 votes
Vice-Mayor:	Bobbie H. Grace	1,202 votes
	Chickie Brandimarte	1,120
	Patrick Phipps	1,036
Referendum Question #1		1,334 Yes votes
Referendum Question #2		1,813 Yes votes
Referendum Question #3		1,721 Yes votes
Referendum Question #4		1,653 Yes votes
Referendum Question #5		1,302 Yes votes
Referendum Question #6		1,411 Yes votes
Referendum Question #7		2,139 Yes votes
Referendum Question #8		1,805 Yes votes
Referendum Question #9		1,491 Yes votes
Referendum Question #10		1,815 Yes votes
Referendum Question #11		1,697 Yes votes
Referendum Question #12		1,229 Yes votes

**Vice-Mayor Castro motioned to accept the Certification of the General Election results from the Broward County Canvassing Board for the March 8, 2011 Municipal Election; seconded by Commissioner Grace. The motion carried on the following 5-0 Roll Call vote:**

<b>Commissioner Anton</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Vice-Mayor Castro</b>	<b>Yes</b>
<b>Commissioner Duke</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Mayor McElyea</b>	<b>Yes</b>
<b>Commissioner Grace</b>	<b>Yes</b>		

3. Administration of Oath of Office for Newly Elected Officials

City Clerk Stilson administered the Oath of Office to the newly Elected Officials.

4. Seating of Elected Officials

Commissioner Bob Anton left the dais. Pat Flury took her seat as the newly elected Mayor, and Commissioner Grace took her seat as the newly elected Vice-Mayor. Mayor McElyea and Vice-Mayor Castro took their seats as Commissioners.

Mayor Flury expressed her sincere appreciation to all of her supporters and volunteers. She thanked Mayor McElyea for his many years of service, on behalf of all of the residents of Dania Beach. Mayor Flury added that this Commission has done a good job under his leadership. She said the State of the City Address video was very informative and she would like to see it run on Channel 78. Mayor Flury thanked Bob Anton for his years of dedicated service as a Commissioner and as Chief of Police. She stated that in this day when we have so much corruption in politics throughout Broward County, Bob Anton sets the standard for honesty in government. Mayor Flury wished him a happy retirement.

Vice-Mayor Grace noted the election is over and the work is to begin. She encouraged everyone to put the election behind us and work toward the future. Vice-Mayor Grace thanked hers and Dr. Phipps’ supporters for their time and hard work. She noted she enjoyed working with the past Commissioners for the last eleven months. Vice-Mayor Grace stated she is about being positive and added that she will not tolerate any attacks. She said that she has already chosen her three candidates for the November 2012 election, so don’t ask her for any support. Vice-Mayor Grace urged everyone to work together as a community and as a body of the City of Dania Beach.

5. Meeting Schedule

Thursday, March 17, 2011 – 6:00 p.m.	Abatement Hearing
Tuesday, March 22, 2011 – 7:00 p.m.	City Commission Meeting
Wednesday, April 6, 2011 – 6:00 p.m.	CRA Board Meeting

6. Adjournment

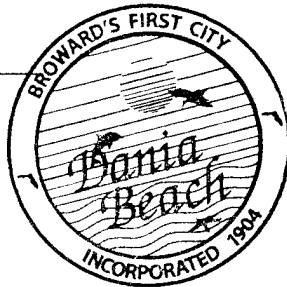
Mayor Flury adjourned the meeting at 7:15 p.m.

ATTEST:

*Louise Stilson*

LOUISE STILSON, CMC  
CITY CLERK

Approved: April 12, 2011



*Pat A. Flury*

PATRICIA A. FLURY  
MAYOR-COMMISSIONER