



VILLAGE OF BISCAYNE PARK

**NOTICE OF CANDIDACY FOR THE OFFICE OF  
VILLAGE COMMISSION**

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I, MICHAEL RAWSON (Please print name  
as you wish it to appear on the ballot – name may not be changed after the end of the qualifying period) residing at  
728 NE 112<sup>TH</sup> ST, Biscayne Park, Florida, do hereby give  
notice of my candidacy for the office of Village Commission of the Village of Biscayne Park in the  
forthcoming election to be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2016.

I do further state that I am a bona fide citizen of the United States of America, and a registered elector and  
resident in the Village of Biscayne Park; that I have resided in the Village of Biscayne Park for at least  
one (1) year immediately preceding the date of election to be held; that I am at least eighteen (18) years of  
age; that I possess all qualifications and have fully satisfied all provisions of the Charter of the Village of  
Biscayne Park.

Michael Rawson  
Candidate's Signature

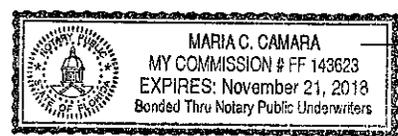
STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE

Before me, the undersigned authority, this day personally appeared Michael Rawson  
who upon first being duly sworn, deposes and says that he/she is the  
candidate referred to in the foregoing notice; that he/she is familiar with the contents of the notice, and  
that the facts and matters therein stated are true; and that he/she did sign notice for the purpose therein  
specified.

Michael Rawson  
Candidate's Signature

Signed and sworn to before me on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2016, by  
Michael Rawson who is personally known to me or who produced  
FDLR 250 540 35 1790 as identification.

(Seal)



Maria C. Camara  
Notary Public State of Florida

**STATEMENT OF  
CANDIDATE**

(Section 106.023, F.S.)  
(Please print or type)

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I, MICHAEL RAWSON,

candidate for the office of VILLAGE COMMISSION;

have been provided access to read and understand the requirements of  
Chapter 106, Florida Statutes.

X Michael Rawson  
Signature of Candidate

AUG 29, 2016  
Date

Each candidate must file a statement with the qualifying officer within 10 days after the Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository is filed. Willful failure to file this form is a first degree misdemeanor and a civil violation of the Campaign Financing Act which may result in a fine of up to \$1,000, (ss. 106.19(1)(c), 106.265(1), Florida Statutes).

**APPOINTMENT OF CAMPAIGN TREASURER  
AND DESIGNATION OF CAMPAIGN  
DEPOSITORY FOR CANDIDATES**

(Section 106.021(1), F.S.)

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE)

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NOTE: This form must be on file with the qualifying officer before opening the campaign account.

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**1. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES):**

Initial Filing of Form      Re-filing to Change:  Treasurer/Deputy     Depository     Office     Party

**2. Name of Candidate** (in this order: First, Middle, Last)

MICHAEL RAWSON

**3. Address** (include post office box or street, city, state, zip code)

728 NE 112TH ST  
BISCAYNE PARK, FL 33161

**4. Telephone**

(201) 914 4544

**5. E-mail address**

biscayne728@gmail.com

**6. Office sought** (include district, circuit, group number)

VILLAGE COMMISSION OF THE VILLAGE OF BISCAYNE PARK

**7. If a candidate for a nonpartisan office, check if applicable:**

My intent is to run as a Write-In candidate.

**8. If a candidate for a partisan office, check block and fill in name of party as applicable:** My intent is to run as a

Write-In     No Party Affiliation     \_\_\_\_\_ Party candidate.

**9. I have appointed the following person to act as my**  Campaign Treasurer     Deputy Treasurer

**10. Name of Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer**

MICHAEL RAWSON

**11. Mailing Address**

728 NE 112TH ST

**12. Telephone**

(201) 914 4544

**13. City**

BISCAYNE PARK

**14. County**

MIAMI DADE

**15. State**

FL

**16. Zip Code**

33161

**17. E-mail address**

biscayne728@gmail.com

**18. I have designated the following bank as my**  Primary Depository     Secondary Depository

**19. Name of Bank**

TD BANK

**20. Address**

9005 BISCAYNE BLVD.

**21. City**

MIAMI

**22. County**

MIAMI-DADE

**23. State**

FL

**24. Zip Code**

33161

UNDER PENALTIES OF PERJURY, I DECLARE THAT I HAVE READ THE FOREGOING FORM FOR APPOINTMENT OF CAMPAIGN TREASURER AND DESIGNATION OF CAMPAIGN DEPOSITORY AND THAT THE FACTS STATED IN IT ARE TRUE.

**25. Date**

AUG 29, 2016

**26. Signature of Candidate**

X MICHAEL RAWSON

**27. Treasurer's Acceptance of Appointment** (fill in the blanks and check the appropriate block)

I, MICHAEL RAWSON, do hereby accept the appointment  
(Please Print or Type Name)

designated above as:  Campaign Treasurer     Deputy Treasurer.

AUG 29, 2016

Date

X

MICHAEL RAWSON  
Signature of Campaign Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer

**CANDIDATE OATH –  
NONPARTISAN OFFICE**

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(Not for use by Judicial or  
School Board Candidates)

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**OATH OF CANDIDATE**  
(Section 99.021, Florida Statutes)

I, MICHAEL RAWSON  
(PLEASE PRINT NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON THE BALLOT \* – NAME MAY NOT BE CHANGED AFTER THE END OF QUALIFYING)

am a candidate for the nonpartisan office of VILLAGE COMMISSION, \_\_\_\_\_,  
(office) (district #)  
\_\_\_\_\_ ; I am a qualified elector of MIAMI-DADE County, Florida;  
(circuit #) (group or seat #)

I am qualified under the Constitution and the Laws of Florida to hold the office to which I desire to be nominated or elected; I have qualified for no other public office in the state, the term of which office or any part thereof runs concurrent with the office I seek; and I have resigned from any office from which I am required to resign pursuant to Section 99.012, Florida Statutes; and I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Florida

X Michael Rawson (201) 914-4544 biscayne728@gmail.com  
Signature of Candidate Telephone Number Email Address

728 NE 112<sup>TH</sup> ST, BISCAYNE PARK, FL 33161  
Address City State ZIP Code

Candidate's Florida Voter Registration Number (located on your voter information card): 121239364

\* Please print name phonetically on the line below as you wish it to be pronounced on the audio ballot for persons with disabilities (see instructions on page 2 of this form):

MEIKVHL RAWSON

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF Miami Dade

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this 30th day of August, 20 16.

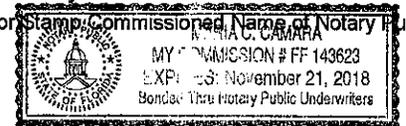
Personally Known: \_\_\_\_\_ or

Maria C Camara  
Signature of Notary Public

Produced Identification: FL

Print, Type, or Stamp Commissioned Name of Notary Public

Type of Identification Produced: FLDL R250540351790



Please print or type your name, mailing address, agency name, and position below:

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE NAME:

KAWSON, MICHAEL

MAILING ADDRESS:

728 NE 112TH ST.

BISCAYNE PARK, 33161 MIAMI-DADE

CITY: ZIP: COUNTY:

VILLAGE OF BISCAYNE PARK

NAME OF AGENCY:

VILLAGE COMMISSION

NAME OF OFFICE OR POSITION HELD OR SOUGHT:

VILLAGE OF BISCAYNE PARK

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You are not limited to the space on the lines on this form. Attach additional sheets, if necessary.

CHECK ONLY IF  CANDIDATE OR  NEW EMPLOYEE OR APPOINTEE

\*\*\*\* BOTH PARTS OF THIS SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED \*\*\*\*

DISCLOSURE PERIOD:

THIS STATEMENT REFLECTS YOUR FINANCIAL INTERESTS FOR THE PRECEDING TAX YEAR, WHETHER BASED ON A CALENDAR YEAR OR ON A FISCAL YEAR. PLEASE STATE BELOW WHETHER THIS STATEMENT IS FOR THE PRECEDING TAX YEAR ENDING EITHER (must check one):

DECEMBER 31, 2015 OR  SPECIFY TAX YEAR IF OTHER THAN THE CALENDAR YEAR: \_\_\_\_\_

MANNER OF CALCULATING REPORTABLE INTERESTS:

FILERS HAVE THE OPTION OF USING REPORTING THRESHOLDS THAT ARE ABSOLUTE DOLLAR VALUES, WHICH REQUIRES FEWER CALCULATIONS, OR USING COMPARATIVE THRESHOLDS, WHICH ARE USUALLY BASED ON PERCENTAGE VALUES (see instructions for further details). CHECK THE ONE YOU ARE USING (must check one):

COMPARATIVE (PERCENTAGE) THRESHOLDS OR  DOLLAR VALUE THRESHOLDS

PART A -- PRIMARY SOURCES OF INCOME [Major sources of income to the reporting person - See instructions]

(If you have nothing to report, write "none" or "n/a")

NAME OF SOURCE OF INCOME	SOURCE'S ADDRESS	DESCRIPTION OF THE SOURCE'S PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITY
BNYMELLON TRUSTEE	PO Box 185 PITTSBURGH PA 15230	BANK
SOCIAL SECURITY		Govt AGENCY
TIAA	8500 A. CARNEGIE BLVD, CHARLOTTE, NC. 28262	RETIREMENT ACCOUNT

PART B -- SECONDARY SOURCES OF INCOME

[Major customers, clients, and other sources of income to businesses owned by the reporting person - See instructions]

(If you have nothing to report, write "none" or "n/a")

NAME OF BUSINESS ENTITY	NAME OF MAJOR SOURCES OF BUSINESS' INCOME	ADDRESS OF SOURCE	PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITY OF SOURCE
None			

PART C -- REAL PROPERTY [Land, buildings owned by the reporting person - See instructions]

(If you have nothing to report, write "none" or "n/a")

None

FILING INSTRUCTIONS for when and where to file this form are located at the bottom of page 2.

INSTRUCTIONS on who must file this form and how to fill it out begin on page 3.

**PART D — INTANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY** [Stocks, bonds, certificates of deposit, etc. - See instructions]

(If you have nothing to report, write "none" or "n/a")

TYPE OF INTANGIBLE	BUSINESS ENTITY TO WHICH THE PROPERTY RELATES
<i>Monaco Trust A/c</i>	<i>BNY Mellon</i>

**PART E — LIABILITIES** [Major debts - See instructions]

(If you have nothing to report, write "none" or "n/a")

NAME OF CREDITOR	ADDRESS OF CREDITOR
<i>None</i>	

**PART F — INTERESTS IN SPECIFIED BUSINESSES** [Ownership or positions in certain types of businesses - See instructions]

(If you have nothing to report, write "none" or "n/a")

	BUSINESS ENTITY # 1	BUSINESS ENTITY # 2
NAME OF BUSINESS ENTITY	<i>None</i>	
ADDRESS OF BUSINESS ENTITY		
PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITY		
POSITION HELD WITH ENTITY		
I OWN MORE THAN A 5% INTEREST IN THE BUSINESS		
NATURE OF MY OWNERSHIP INTEREST		

**PART G — TRAINING**

For elected municipal officers required to complete annual ethics training pursuant to section 112.3142, F.S.

I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE COMPLETED THE REQUIRED TRAINING.

IF ANY OF PARTS A THROUGH G ARE CONTINUED ON A SEPARATE SHEET, PLEASE CHECK HERE

**SIGNATURE OF FILER:**

Signature:

*Richard Lawson*

Date Signed:

*Aug 30, 2014*

**CPA or ATTORNEY SIGNATURE ONLY**

If a certified public accountant licensed under Chapter 473, or attorney in good standing with the Florida Bar prepared this form for you, he or she must complete the following statement:

I, \_\_\_\_\_, prepared the CE Form 1 in accordance with Section 112.3145, Florida Statutes, and the instructions to the form. Upon my reasonable knowledge and belief, the disclosure herein is true and correct.

CPA/Attorney Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

**FILING INSTRUCTIONS:**

**WHAT TO FILE:**

After completing all parts of this form, including signing and dating it, send back only the first sheet (pages 1 and 2) for filing.

If you have nothing to report in a particular section, you must write "none" or "n/a" in that section(s).

**NOTE:**

**MULTIPLE FILING UNNECESSARY:**

A candidate who previously filed Form 1 because of another public position must file a copy of his or her Form 1 when qualifying. A candidate who files a Form 1 with a qualifying officer is not required to file with the Commission or Supervisor of Elections.

Facsimiles will not be accepted.

**WHERE TO FILE:**

If you were mailed the form by the Commission on Ethics or a County Supervisor of Elections for your annual disclosure filing, return the form to that location.

**Local officers/employees** file with the Supervisor of Elections of the county in which they permanently reside. (If you do not permanently reside in Florida, file with the Supervisor of the county where your agency has its headquarters.)

**State officers or specified state employees** file with the Commission on Ethics, P.O. Drawer 15709, Tallahassee, FL 32317-5709; physical address: 325 John Knox Road, Building E, Suite 200, Tallahassee, FL 32303.

**Candidates** file this form together with their qualifying papers.

To determine what category your position falls under, see page 3 of instructions.

**WHEN TO FILE:**

**Initially**, each local officer/employee, state officer, and specified state employee must file **within 30 days** of the date of his or her appointment or of the beginning of employment. Appointees who must be confirmed by the Senate must file prior to confirmation, even if that is less than 30 days from the date of their appointment.

**Candidates** must file at the same time they file their qualifying papers.

**Thereafter**, file by July 1 following each calendar year in which they hold their positions.

**Finally**, file a final disclosure form (Form 1F) within 60 days of leaving office or employment. Filing a CE Form 1F (Final Statement of Financial Interests) does **not** relieve the filer of filing a CE Form 1 if the filer was in his or her position on December 31, 2015.



**Access to the Candidate and Campaign Treasurer Handbook  
and  
The Election Laws of the State of Florida**

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Candidate: MICHAEL RAWSON  
(Print Name)

I acknowledge that it is my responsibility to read, understand and follow the requirements described in the Village of Biscayne Park 2016 Municipal Candidate Election resources available on the Village of Biscayne Park website ([www.biscayneparkfl.gov](http://www.biscayneparkfl.gov)), including but not limited to:

- Candidate and Campaign Treasurer Handbook
- Compilation of the Election Laws of the State of Florida
- Village of Biscayne Park Charter and Code of Ordinances
- Village of Biscayne Park Political Sign Code ✓
- Voter Registration Guide ✓
- Items for Sale from Miami-Dade County Elections Department
- Campaign Financing Forms
- Frequently Asked Questions ✓
- Common Reporting Compliance Errors
- Website links to:
  - Miami Dade County Elections Department
  - State of Florida Division of Elections

Acknowledged by: Michael Rawson  
(Signature of Candidate)

Date: Aug 2

Primary Telephone Number: (201) 914 - 4544

Alternate Telephone Number: (551) 265 - 2328

E-Mail Address: biscayne728@gmail.com

DECLARATION AND FIRST AMENDMENT WAIVER  
FOR CANDIDATES WHO AGREE TO COMPLY WITH  
THE VOLUNTARY STATEMENT OF FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES

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**VOLUNTARY STATEMENT OF FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES**

As a candidate for public office in Miami-Dade County, I believe that political issues can be freely debated without appealing to racial, ethnic, religious, sexual, or other prejudices. I recognize that such negative appeals serve only to divide this community and create long-term moral, social, and economic problems. Therefore,

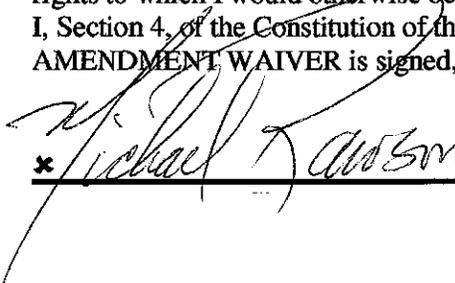
1. I shall not make my race, religion, national origin, gender, physical disability, or sexual orientation an issue in my campaign.
2. I shall not make my opponent's race, religion, national origin, gender, physical disability, or sexual orientation an issue in my campaign.
3. I will condemn any appeal to prejudice based on race, creed, national origin, religion, gender, physical disability, or sexual orientation.
4. I shall not, without just cause, attack or question my opponent's patriotism.
5. I shall not publish, display, or circulate any anonymous campaign literature or political advertisement.
6. I shall not tolerate my supporters engaging in these activities that I condemn, nor shall I accept their continued support if they engage in such activities. I will not permit any member of my campaign organization to engage in these activities and will immediately and publicly repudiate the support of any other individual or group that resorts to the methods and tactics I condemn.
7. I shall run a positive campaign emphasizing my qualifications for office and positions on issues of public concern.
8. I will limit my attacks on an opponent to legitimate challenges to that person's record, qualifications, and positions.
9. I will neither use nor permit the use of malicious untruths or innuendoes about an opponent's personal life, nor will I make or condone unfounded accusations discrediting that person's credibility.
10. I will take personal responsibility for approving or disavowing the substance of attacks on my opponent that may come from third parties supporting my candidacy.
11. I will not use or permit the use of campaign material that falsifies, distorts, or misrepresents facts.

**BY SIGNING THIS DECLARATION AND FIRST AMENDMENT WAIVER, I AGREE TO**

- ABIDE BY THE VOLUNTARY STATEMENT OF FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES,
- SUBMIT TO THE COMPULSORY JURISDICTION OF THE ETHICS COMMISSION, AND
- WAIVE MY FIRST AMENDMENT RIGHTS.

I, MICHAEL RAWSON, a candidate for the office of  
please print your name  
VILLAGE COMMISSION in BISCAYNE PARK,  
elective office sought county, municipality, or other jurisdiction

agree to abide by the *voluntary* Statement of Fair Campaign Practices as provided in Section 2-11.1.1(D)(1) of the Code of Miami-Dade County, Florida, and to recognize as compulsory the jurisdiction of the Ethics Commission. I further agree that the Ethics Commission will have the authority to decide whether I have violated the *voluntary* Statement of Fair Campaign Practices and, if a violation is found, the Ethics Commission has the authority to impose the appropriate penalty, if any, which may include an admonition or public reprimand. I recognize that I have the right before signing this DECLARATION AND FIRST AMENDMENT WAIVER to consult my own legal counsel and to request and receive from the Ethics Commission an advisory opinion as to whether my planned campaign activities are likely to violate the *voluntary* Statement of Fair Campaign Practices. I also recognize that after signing this agreement, I will continue to have the right to request and receive from the Ethics Commission an advisory opinion regarding any future campaign activities that I may be considering. I hereby proclaim (1) that my agreement to abide by the Statement of Fair Campaign Practices is *voluntary*, knowing, and intelligent; (2) that I have not been forced, pressured, or otherwise coerced into making this agreement; and (3) that I am aware of the *voluntary* nature of this agreement. I recognize that there is no penalty for refusing to agree to abide by the *voluntary* Statement of Fair Campaign Practices. I also recognize that in signing this agreement, I will be forfeiting rights to which I would otherwise be entitled under the First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution and Article I, Section 4, of the Constitution of the State of Florida. Once the DECLARATION AND FIRST AMENDMENT WAIVER is signed, it is deemed irrevocable for the duration of the campaign.

  
\* Michael Rawson

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