

**RESOLUTION NO. R-2017- 0001**

**RESOLUTION OF THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY LICENSING BOARD OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, PROVIDING FOR EXTENSION OF THE PERIOD FOR LICENSE RENEWAL FOR CERTIFIED CONTRACTORS AND WAIVER OF A LATE APPLICATION FEE UNTIL OCTOBER 31, 2017; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, on September 4, 2017, Hurricane Irma was a major hurricane located approximately 560 miles east of Leeward Islands with maximum sustained winds of 120 miles per hour; and

**WHEREAS**, on September 4, 2017, the Governor for the State of Florida, issued Executive Order Number 17-235, which declared a state of emergency in every county within the State of Florida; and

**WHEREAS**, on September 9, 2017, Hurricane Irma made landfall in the State of Florida, which caused damage to numerous homes and businesses within Palm Beach County; and

**WHEREAS**, Executive Order Number 17-235 allows each political subdivision within the State of Florida to waive the procedures and formalities otherwise required of the political subdivision, and to take whatever prudent action is necessary to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of the community; and

**WHEREAS**, the Construction Industry Licensing Board of Palm Beach County hereby finds that extending the period of time for Certified Contractors to renew their licenses and waiving the application late fee until October 31, 2017, will promote the health, safety and welfare of the community by affording Certified Contractors additional time to assist members of the community in quickly repairing the damage caused by Hurricane Irma.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY LICENSING BOARD OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, that:

**Section 1. Recitals.**

The foregoing recitals set forth above are true and correct and incorporated herein by reference.

**Section 2. Extension of Certified Contractor's License Renewal Period and Waiver of Late Fee until October 31, 2017.**

- A. The deadline for a Certified Contractor to file a complete application to renew his/her license is extended to October 31, 2107. At midnight on October 31, 2017, the certificate of any Certified Contractor who has not filed a complete application for license renewal with the Palm Beach County Contractor's Certification Division shall expire. This Resolution does not pertain to state contractors licensed by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation.
- B. The late fee pertaining to the renewal of a Certified Contractor's license is hereby waived until October 31, 2017.

**Section 3. Severability.**

If any section, paragraph, sentence, clause, or word of this Resolution is held to be unconstitutional, inoperative, or void, such holding shall not affect the validity of the remainder of this Resolution.

**Section 4. Effective Date and Term.**

This provisions of this Resolution shall become effective upon execution by the Construction Industry Licensing Board of Palm Beach County.

The foregoing Resolution was offered by Arnold Rich, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Randy Lebolo, and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Edward Lynch, Chairman	- <i>yea</i>
Arnold Rich, Vice Chairman	- <i>yea</i>
Mark A Worrell	- <i>yea</i>
Raymond B. Murdock	- <i>yea</i>
Randall E. Lebolo	- <i>yea</i>
Ben B. Preston	- <i>yea</i>
Gerry Kelly	- <i>yea</i>
Steve M. Svopa	- <i>yea</i>
A. Thomas Hogarth	- <i>yea</i>
Michael T. McNamara	- <i>yea</i>
Terry R. Horan	- <i>yea</i>
Frank M. Juliano	- <i>yea</i>
James M. McKay	- <i>yea</i>
Dave Santana	- <i>yea</i>
Sam Roman	- <i>yea</i>

The Chairman thereupon declared this Resolution duly passed and adopted this 25<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2017.

PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, BY THE  
CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY LICENSING BOARD

By: Edward J. Lynch, Jr.  
Edward Lynch, Chairman

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

By: [Signature]  
Assistant County Attorney

ATTEST, NOTARIZED AND  
ACKNOWLEDGED

By: [Signature]  
Janeth Cervera, Sr. Secretary  
Construction Industry Licensing Board



**JANETH CERVERA**  
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