

# STATE OF FLORIDA

## OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 17-234 (Special Election – House District 72)

WHEREAS, section 100.101(2), Florida Statutes, provides that a vacancy in the membership of the State House of Representatives shall be filled by special election; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 114.01(1)(d), Florida Statutes, a vacancy now exists in the State House of Representatives due to the resignation of Representative Alexandra C. “Alex” Miller, House District 72; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 100.141(1), Florida Statutes, the Governor, upon consultation with the Secretary of State, shall issue an order declaring the date the special election shall be held.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICK SCOTT, as Governor of Florida, in obedience to my solemn constitutional duty to take care that the laws be faithfully executed, and pursuant to the Constitution and laws of the State of Florida, do hereby promulgate the following Executive Order, to take immediate effect:

### Section 1.

A Special Election shall be held in House District 72 to fill the vacancy in the State House of Representatives.

### Section 2.

A Special Primary Election shall be held on December 5, 2017.

Section 3.

A Special Election shall be held on February 13, 2018, to select the State Representative for House District 72.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed at Tallahassee, this 1st day of September, 2017.



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RICK SCOTT, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

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SECRETARY OF STATE

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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