

Stuart City Commission

Elections take place in the Primary Election on August 18, 2026. (Aug 8 – 15 Early Voting)

A few facts about Stuart City Commission:

- City Commission elections are non-partisan.
- Commissioners serve a four-year term.
- Commissioner candidates must be residents of the City for more than 12 months immediately preceding the election and must maintain residency throughout their term.
- City Commissioners face term limits: They may serve no more than 12 consecutive years.
- Candidates elected to office assume their duties upon taking the oath of office administered at the first meeting of the city commission following their election
- Commissioners are elected at large – they represent the entire city. Each of the five Commissioners is designated with a Group number: 1, 2, 3, 4, or 5. Using Group numbers provides a staggered structure for electing new Commissioners. Voters in the City of Stuart can vote for any of the city commission candidates, regardless of where the voter lives within city limits.
- First day of qualifying: June 8, 2026
Last day of qualifying: June 12
- Three commissioners – **Campbell Rich, Christopher Collins, and Eula Clark** – are up for re-election in the 2026 midterms. TBD if they will seek re-election or not.
- Elected or appointed commissioners may not qualify as a candidate for another public office nor open a bank account to receive campaign contributions for another public office - whether it be state, district, county, or municipal - without resigning first from the city commissioner position.
- In 2024, Laura Giobbi defeated Becky Bruner: 1,713 votes vs 1,449 votes
In 2024, Sean Reed defeated Troy McDonald: 1,931 votes vs 1,310 votes

Commissioner	Group	When Term Expires
Campbell Rich	1	September 2026
Laura Giobbi	2	September 2028
Christopher Collins (Mayor)	3	September 2026
Sean Reed (Vice Mayor)	4	September 2028
Eula Clark	5	September 2026

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Besides Stuart, these are the other municipalities in Martin County:

Village of Indiantown

<https://www.indiantownfl.gov/village-council>

Jupiter Island

<https://townofjupiterisland.com/27/Government>

Seabreeze

<https://townofoceanbreeze.com/>

Sewall's Point

<https://www.sewallspoint.org/open-government/politics>

Note: Each municipality regulates its own election. They provide the list of qualified candidates to the SOE to include on the ballot.