# DEMOCRATIC ORGANIZATION OF QUEENS COUNTY

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GREGORY W. MEEKS

CHAIR EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

September 30, 2024

Hon. Michael McSweeney City Clerk, Clerk of the Council Municipal Building 1 Centre Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor South New York, NY 10007

Dear Mr. McSweeney:

Pursuant to Section 3-204 of the Election Law of the State of New York, I enclose herewith a certificate of party recommendation setting forth the name of JOSE M. ARAUJO as Elections Commissioner, which was duly voted upon at a meeting of the Democratic County Committee of Queens county held on September 30, 2024.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL H. REICH

Executive Secretary

Queens County Democratic

Organization

MHR: jp Enc.

## STATE OF NEW YORK STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS

County of Queens

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**ELECTION COMMISSIONER CERTIFICATION** ( New York City only )

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To the Clerk of the City Council of New York City: I certify that:

At a meeting of the Democratic County Committee of the County Committee, held on the 30th day of September, 2024, under the provision of the Election Law and rules of the County Committee, a quorum being present, JOSE M. ARAUJO, residing at was recommended by majority of said committee as a suitable and qualified person for appointment to the office of Commissioner of Elections, for the term beginning January 1, 2025 and that said designee is a registered voter of the County of Queens and a duly enrolled member of the Democratic Party.

Dated at Queens, New York September 30, 2024

VIVIAN E. COOK

Chairperson, Democratic County Committee

of the County of Queens

MICHAEL H. REICH

Acting Secretary, Democratic County Committee

Of the County of Queens

#### To the Clerk of the New York City Council

STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF QUEENS) ss.:

VIVIAN E. COOK and MICHAEL H. REICH, being jointly and severally duly sworn, depose and say:

That they were the Chairperson and Acting Secretary, respectively, of the Queens County Democratic Party County Committee; that we have read the foregoing Certificate of Party Recommendation and the statements contained therein are true.

VIVIAN E. COOK, Chairman

MICHAEL H. REICH, Acting Secretary

Severally subscribed and Sworn to before me this 30th day of September, 2024

NOTARY DIRECT

FRANK A. BOLZ III
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 02BO4803493
Qualified in Suffolk County
Commission Expires Nov. 30, 20

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STATE OF NEW YORK )
)ss.
COUNTY OF QUEENS )
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On the 30th Day of September, 2024, before me, the undersigned, personally appeared, VIVIAN E. COOK personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same in her capacity, and that by her signatures on the instrument, the individual, or the person on behalf of which the individuals acted, executed the instrument.

NOTARY PUBLIC

STATE OF NEW YORK )

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SS.

COUNTY OF QUEENS )

STANK A. BOLZ III

Notary Public, State of New York
No. 02B04803493

Qualified in Suffolk County
Commission Expires Nov. 30, 20 2 6

On the 30th Day of September, 2024, before me, the undersigned, personally appeared, MICHAEL H. REICH personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his capacity, and that by his signatures on the instrument, the individual, or the person on behalf of which the individuals acted, executed the instrument.

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#### CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE AND CONSENT

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TO THE CLERK OF THE NEW YORK CITY COUNCIL

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I, JOSE M. ARAUJO residing at Incomplete the City of New York, State of New York; having been recommended to the position at a Meeting of the Members of the County Committee of the Democratic Party of Queens County, held on September 30, 2024, for the term beginning January 1, 2025 and expiring December 31, 2028.

Dated: Queens, New York September 30, 2024

26-46 91<sup>ST</sup> Street

East Elmhurst, New York 11369

(Address)

### STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF QUEENS) ss.:

On the 30th day of September, 2024, before me, the undersigned personally appeared, JOSE M. ARAUJO personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within acceptance and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person on behalf of which the individual acted, executed the foregoing Certificate of Consent and Acceptance of Recommendation.

FRANK A. BOLZ III
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