

Ward J. Friszolowski
3566 Belle Vista Drive E.
St. Pete Beach, FL 33706

December 30, 2023

Amber LaRowe
City Clerk
City of St. Pete Beach
155 Corey Avenue
St. Pete Beach, FL 33706

Re: Letter of resignation

Dear Amber,

I have enjoyed serving the City of St. Pete Beach continuously for the last 32 years as an appointed and elected official. I served in appointed office on the City's Aesthetic and Historic Preservation Board, the Library Board and the Planning Board for 10 years. I also served in elected office as a City Commissioner, Vice Mayor and Mayor for 22 years.

It has been an honor and a privilege to serve the citizens of our community. I'm proud of the accomplishments made possible by the teamwork of my elected colleagues and all of the City staff that made it possible.

Due to a recent, new State Law that requires financial disclosure that conflicts with my personal privacy and company policies, I don't have a choice but to resign from my position as City Commissioner, District 3 effective on December 30, 2023. I will continue to file the appropriate State Financial Disclosure Form 1 as I have for years. It is unfortunate that I have to resign early before my planned departure from elected office in March, 2024.

I have enjoyed working with you and your staff in the City Clerk's office. I have also enjoyed working with City Manager Wayne Saunders and City Attorney's Andrew Dickman and Matthew McConnell over the years.

Thank you for all of the hard work that you have done to make the City of St. Pete Beach a great place to live, work and visit.

Sincerely,



Ward J. Friszolowski