

Palm Beach County Democratic Party Democratic Executive Committee

1 April 2021

To: Governor Ron DeSantis, and all Florida House and Senate and US Senate Members

VOTER SUPPRESSION

WHEREAS, possession of mail ballots would be restricted to immediate family members, the current system allows a voter to designate someone to pick up or return a ballot; and

WHEREAS, drop boxes used by 1.5 million Florida voters last year to turn in their ballots, would be eliminated. This system would create serious issues with the delivery by the overburdened Postal Service; and

WHEREAS, this will disproportionately impact working families and people with disabilities who have difficulty getting to the polls; and

WHEREAS, this legislation would also create extremely long lines and voting hours; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE PALM BEACH COUNTY DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE THAT:

1. We request that this legislation be withdrawn because of all of the above problems.
2. Should this voter suppression legislation pass, we urge President Joe Biden to request that the US Senate pass "FOR THE PEOPLE ACT" H.R. 1- 117th Congress by passing it by any means possible and restore confidence and our election process.

Respectfully submitted to the

Palm Beach County Democratic Party Executive Committee

From the PBC DEC Legislative Committee: Mindy Koch - Chair,
Ellen Baker, Phil Levitt - vice Chairs, Charles Bantel, Drew Martin, Ira J. Raab,
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