

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-__

A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE OF PINECREST, FLORIDA, RATIFYING THE RE-APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL MAGISTRATES/HEARING OFFICERS PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-141 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Section 2-141(d) of the Village Code of Ordinances requires that the mayor appoint special magistrates/hearing officers; and

WHEREAS, the mayoral appointment is subject to Village Council ratification;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF PINECREST, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That the Village Council hereby ratifies the mayor's appointment of the following to serve a one-year term as a Special Magistrate pursuant to the provisions of Section 2-141 of the Village's Code of Ordinances:

- Mark Buchbinder (Code Compliance)
- Gary Held (Code Compliance)
- Myrnabelle Roche (Code Compliance)
- Christopher F. Kurtz (Red Light Camera Hearing)

Section 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 14th day of February, 2023.

Joseph M. Corradino, Mayor

Attest:

Priscilla Torres, CMC
Village Clerk

Approved as to Form and Legal Sufficiency:

Mitchell Bierman
Village Attorney

Myrnabelle Roche, Esq.

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Over twenty-three years working in the construction industry with architects, engineers, general contractors, sub-contractors, property owners, insurance companies, surety companies, real estate professionals and governmental agencies. Twenty years of civil litigation, trial work and appellate law experience, primarily in the areas of construction litigation, surety and insurance claims, construction defects, professional liability, Florida lien law, creditor law, priority of secured creditors on real property, title claims, and complex commercial litigation. Twenty years of transactional experience primarily in the areas of construction, real estate development (including property acquisitions, due diligence and financing), land use and zoning, community association law and leasing. Over twenty years of supervisory, training and management experience as founding Partner for a medium sized Fort Lauderdale based boutique law firm. Two years of in-house/staff counsel and corporate representative experience working for one of the nation's largest commercial insurance carrier.

SPECIAL MAGISTRATE APPOINTMENTS:

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| City of Lake Worth Beach Special Magistrate | March 2021- Present |
| Town of South Palm Beach Special Magistrate | February 2021- present |
| Town of Fort Myers Beach Special Magistrate | October 2020 – present |
| City of Greenacres Special Magistrate | October 2016- present |
| City of Marco Island Special Magistrate | December 2014- current |
| City of Fort Lauderdale Member Code Enforcement Board Vice-Chair Code Enforcement board Chair- Code Enforcement Board | 2004- 2009 |

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

MRN Law PA
Fort Lauderdale, FL
Founding/Managing Attorney
June 2014- present

CNA Insurance Companies Inc.
Staff Counsel
Senior Litigation Attorney
2012 - 2014

Shapiro, Fishman and Gache, LLP
Boca Raton, FL
Lead Litigation Attorney –
Complex and High Risk Cases
2011 - 2012

Reilly Roche LLP
Fort Lauderdale, FL
Founding Partner/Managing Attorney
2002 - 2011

EDUCATION

JURIS DOCTOR
University of Florida College of Law
Gainesville, FL
December 2001

MASTER OF BUILDING CONSTRUCTION
UF's ME Rinker School of Building
Construction, Gainesville, FL
December 1997

BACHELOR OF DESIGN IN
ARCHITECTURE
University of Florida College of Architecture
Gainesville, FL
May 1996

MEMEBERSHIPS AND CERTIFICATIONS

Florida Bar
Admitted to Practice in all State and Federal
Courts in Florida
2002- present

Certified Circuit Civil Mediator
Florida Supreme Court Arbitrator
WMBE Certified (MRN Law PA)
2011- present
2020- present
2020- present

Completely fluent in English and Spanish