

**CANDIDATE OATH
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Candidate Oath

Name to appear on ballot: Matthew Thornton

Check box if two last names without hyphen. ☐ (Name cannot be changed after qualifying.)

Check box if name includes nickname. ☐ (For use of a nickname, you must complete the Nickname Affidavit on reverse side.)

I swear or affirm that I am a candidate for the office of Lee County Commissioner ☐ 3
(Office) (District #)

 , ; I am a qualified elector of LEE County, Florida;
(Circuit #) (Group or Seat #)

I am a qualified elector under the Constitution and the Laws of Florida to hold the office to which I desire to be nominated or elected; I have qualified for no other public office in the state, the term of which office or any part thereof runs concurrent with the office I seek; and I have resigned from any office from which I am required to resign pursuant to Section 99.012, Florida Statutes; and I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Statement of Party

I swear or affirm that I am a member of the Republican Party; I have been a registered member of this political party, for which I am seeking nomination as a candidate, for 365 days before the beginning of qualifying preceding the general election for which I seek to qualify; and I have paid the assessment levied against me, if any, by the executive committee of the above-stated political party.

Statement of Outstanding Fines, Fees, or Penalties

I owe outstanding fines, fees, or penalties, that cumulatively exceed \$250, for ethics or campaign finance violations (s. 99.021(1)(d), F.S.).

YES, I Do ☐ NO, I Do Not ☒

If you do, you must also specify the amount owed and each entity that levied the same on the reverse side.

X [Signature] (239) 826-3799 matt@thornton4lee.com
Signature of Candidate Telephone Number Email Address

17745 San Carlos Blvd Fort Myers Beach FL 33931
Address of Legal Residence City State ZIP Code

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF LEE

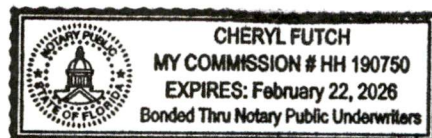
Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me by means of
online notarization ☐ OR physical presence ☒
this 6 day of June, 2024

Personally Known ☒ OR Produced Identification ☐

Type of Identification Produced:

[Signature]
Signature of Notary Public

Print, Type, or Stamp Commissioned Name of Notary Public below:



2023 Form 6 - Full and Public Disclosure of Financial Interests

General Information

Name: Mr Matthew Roy Thornton
 Address: 17745 SAN CARLOS BLVD, FT MYERS BCH, FL 33931
 County:

Organization	Suborganization	Title
N/A		

CANDIDATE FOR

Position	Agency Name	Position sought or held
County Commission	Lee County Commissioner	Lee County Commissioner District - 3

Net Worth

My Net Worth as of April 18, 2024 was \$ 5,982,000.00.

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Assets

Household goods and personal effects may be reported in a lump sum if their aggregate value exceeds \$1,000. This category includes any of the following, if not held for investment purposes: jewelry; collections of stamps, guns, and numismatic items; art objects; household equipment and furnishings; clothing; other household items; and vehicles for personal use, whether owned or leased.

The aggregate value of my household goods and personal effect is \$ 412,000.00.

ASSETS INDIVIDUALLY VALUED AT OVER \$1,000:

Description of Asset	Value of Asset
17741/17745 San Carlos Blvd Fort Myers Beach, FL 33931	\$ 850,000.00
100 Union Street Pacheco, CA 94553	\$ 650,000.00
11735 Chanticleer Drive Pensacola, FL 32507	\$ 1,160,000.00
17860 Durrance Road North Fort Myers, FL 33917	\$ 1,380,000.00
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Stock and Bonds Fidelity Accounts	\$ 5,500.00
FineMark National Bank and trust Checking	\$ 3,500.00
FineMark National Bank and Trust Money Market Savings	\$ 12,300.00
Sun Coast Bank Checking	\$ 1,100.00
FineMark National Bank and Trust Business checking	\$ 4,750.00
FineMark National Bank and Trust Business Money Market Savings	\$ 1,000.10
Solera Bank SDIRA	\$ 495,000.00

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Liabilities

LIABILITIES IN EXCESS OF \$1,000:

Name of Creditor	Address of Creditor	Amount of Liability
FineMark National Bank and Trust	8695 College Parkway, Suite 100 Fort Myers, FL 33919	\$ 242,000.00
Quicken Loans	4859 W Slauson Ave #405 Los Angeles, CA 90056	\$ 269,493.39
SYNCHRONY Bank	SYNCHRONY BANK PO BOX 71715 PHILADELPHIA, PA 19176-1715	\$ 6,707.00
Capital One Credit Cards	Capital One P.O. Box 60519 City of Industry CA 91716-0519	\$ 18,000.00
Discover Card	PO BOX 71242 CHARLOTTE NC 28272-1242	\$ 9,300.00

JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITIES NOT REPORTED ABOVE:

Name of Creditor	Address of Creditor	Amount of Liability
N/A		

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Income

Identify each separate source and amount of income which exceeded \$1,000 during the year, including secondary sources of income. Or attach a complete copy of your 2023 federal income tax return, including all W2s, schedules, and attachments. Please redact any social security or account numbers before attaching your returns, as the law requires these documents be posted to the Commission's website.

☐ I elect to file a copy of my 2023 federal income tax return and all W2s, schedules, and attachments.

PRIMARY SOURCES OF INCOME:

Name of Source of Income Exceeding \$1,000	Address of Source of Income	Amount
Island Seekers LLC	11735 Chanticleer Dr. Pensacola FL 32507	\$ 12,200.00
M&M RANCH	17860 Durrance Road North Fort Myers, FL 33917	\$ 1,360.00
Lee Memorial	9981 Healthpark Dr Fort Myers, FL 33908	\$ 101,000.00

SECONDARY SOURCES OF INCOME (Major customers, clients, etc. of businesses owned by reporting person):

Name of Business Entity	Name of Major Sources of Business' Income	Address of Source	Principal Business Activity of Source
N/A			

Interests in Specified Businesses

Business Entity # 1

N/A

Signature of Reporting Official or Candidate

Under the penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing Form 6 and that the facts stated in it are true.

Matthew Roy Thornton

Digitally signed: 04/29/2024

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DESCRIPTION OF ASSET	VALUE OF ASSET
2003 Harley Davidson	\$ 20,000.00
2016 Triumph Bobber	\$ 12,000.00
2014 Porche Cayman S	\$ 40,000.00
2014 Ford Raptor	\$ 40,000.00
2019 Ford Raptor	\$ 50,000.00
17741/17745 San Carlos Blvd	\$ 850,000.00
2006 257-Advance Grady-White	\$ 60,000.00
Can-Am side by side	\$ 35,000.00
2011 Ford F-350	\$ 10,000.00
2015 Ford F-350	\$ 12,000.00
2020 Ford F-350	\$ 60,000.00
24' Enclosed Trailer	\$ 15,000.00
Low boy tilt trailer	\$ 5,000.00
725D Grasshopper mower	\$ 10,000.00
11735 Chanticleer Dr	\$ 1,160,000.00
100 Union St	\$ 650,000.00
2012 Ford F-350	\$ 15,000.00
Livestock Trailer	\$ 8,000.00
21' Tilt bed trailer	\$ 12,000.00
15,000 pound dump trailer	\$ 10,000.00
John Deere 300 Series Tractor	\$ 15,000.00
Cat 259 Skid Steer Tractor	\$ 50,000.00
Mulcher Head	\$ 15,000.00
Debris Bucket with claps	\$ 5,000.00
Misc Attachments for the tractors and mower (Bale spike, gannin, ra	\$ 5,000.00
John Deere Gator	\$ 10,000.00
17860 Durrance Road	\$ 1,380,000.00
Heifer Brangus (RED) Adult	\$ 4,500.00
Heifer Brangus (RED/WHITE) Adult	\$ 3,200.00
Heifer Brangus (BLACK/RED) Adult	\$ 4,500.00
Heifer Brangus (BLACK/RED) Calf	\$ 1,200.00
Bull Brangus (BLACK) Adult	\$ 5,000.00
Bull Brangus (BLACK) Calf	\$ 1,500.00
Fence Poles (3" to 4" round treated) and livestock fencing	\$ 1,100.00
Tools Construction (Saws, drills, grinders, welders, etc.....)	\$ 20,000.00
Hand Tools (Wrenches, hammers, screw drivers, etc.....)	\$ 15,000.00
17800 Durrance Road	\$ 410,000.00
Retirement accounts	\$ 550,000.00

House Hold	
M&M RANCH	
Island Seekers LLC	
Retirements Accounts	
HH	\$ 1,107,000.00
ISLLC	\$ 1,922,000.00
M&M	\$ 1,581,000.00
RA	\$ 960,000.00
Total	\$ 5,570,000.00

TOTAL ASSETS \$ 5,570,000.00



LEE COUNTY ELECTIONS

Tommy Doyle
Supervisor of Elections
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08-15-2023

Canvassing Board Meeting Dates – August 20, 2024, Primary Election

Logic and Accuracy Testing of the Tabulating Equipment or Voting Machines used at Early Voting and Election Day Precincts, and the Tabulating Equipment used for Vote-by-Mail Ballots:

Lee County Elections Main Office, Melvin Morgan Constitutional Complex, 2480 Thompson St., 3rd Floor, Fort Myers, 33901

- Wednesday, 07-24-24 at 9 AM

Review of Vote-by-Mail Ballots:

Lee County Elections Main Office, Melvin Morgan Constitutional Complex, 2480 Thompson St., 3rd Floor, Fort Myers, 33901

- 9 AM Each Meeting (see below)
- Friday, 07-26-24 • Monday, 07-29-24 • Wednesday, 07-31-24
- Friday, 08-02-24 • Monday, 08-05-24 • Wednesday, 08-07-24
- Friday, 08-09-24 • Monday, 08-12-24 • Wednesday, 08-14-24
- Friday, 08-16-24 • Monday, 08-19-24

Election Day

Review of Vote-by-Mail Ballots and Receive Preliminary Election Night Results:

Lee County Elections Main Office, Melvin Morgan Constitutional Complex, 2480 Thompson St., 3rd Floor, Fort Myers, 33901

- Tuesday, 08-20-24
 - 9 AM, NOON, 3 PM, and 5 PM until finished

Canvass of Provisional Ballots, Review of Vote-by-Mail Ballots, Submit 1st Unofficial Results, Submit Official Results, Certify the Election:

Lee County Elections Main Office, Melvin Morgan Constitutional Complex, 2480 Thompson St., 3rd Floor, Fort Myers, 33901

- Friday, 08-23-24 at 8 AM

Post-Election Automated Independent Audit:

Lee County Elections Main Office, Melvin Morgan Constitutional Complex, 2480 Thompson St., 3rd Floor, Fort Myers, 33901

- Monday, 08-26-24 at 9 AM

In the event of a machine or manual recount, the additional dates of 08-24-24 through 08-28-24 will apply.

Canvassing Board Meeting Dates – November 5, 2024, General Election

Logic and Accuracy Testing of the Tabulating Equipment or Voting Machines used at Early Voting and Election Day Precincts, the Tabulating Equipment used for Vote-by-Mail Ballots, and the Initial Canvass of Vote-by-Mail Ballots:

Lee County Elections Main Office, Melvin Morgan Constitutional Complex, 2480 Thompson St., 3rd Floor, Fort Myers, 33901

- Wednesday, 10-09-24 at 9 AM

Review of Vote-by-Mail Ballots:

Lee County Elections Main Office, Melvin Morgan Constitutional Complex, 2480 Thompson St., 3rd Floor, Fort Myers, 33901

- 9 AM Each Meeting (see below)
- Friday, 10-11-24 • Monday, 10-14-24 • Wednesday, 10-16-24
- Friday, 10-18-24 • Monday, 10-21-24 • Wednesday, 10-23-24
- Friday, 10-25-24 • Monday, 10-28-24 • Wednesday, 10-30-24
- Friday, 11-01-24 • Monday, 11-04-24

Election Day

Review of Vote-by-Mail Ballots and Receive Preliminary Election Night Results:

Lee County Elections Main Office, Melvin Morgan Constitutional Complex, 2480 Thompson St., 3rd Floor, Fort Myers, 33901

- Tuesday, 11-05-24
 - 9 AM, NOON, 3 PM, and 5 PM until finished

Canvass of Provisional Ballots, Review of Vote-by-Mail Ballots, Submit 1st Unofficial Results:

Lee County Elections Main Office, Melvin Morgan Constitutional Complex, 2480 Thompson St., 3rd Floor, Fort Myers, 33901

- Friday, 11-08-24 at 2 PM

Canvass of Overseas Vote-by-Mail Ballots, Submit Official Results, Certify the Election:

Lee County Elections Main Office, Melvin Morgan Constitutional Complex, 2480 Thompson St., 3rd Floor, Fort Myers, 33901

- Friday, 11-15-24 at NOON

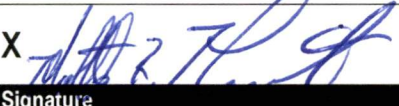
Post-Election Automated Independent Audit:

Lee County Elections Main Office, Melvin Morgan Constitutional Complex, 2480 Thompson St., 3rd Floor, Fort Myers, 33901

- Monday, 11-18-24 at 9 AM

In the event of a machine or manual recount, the additional dates of 11-10-24 through 11-18-24 will apply.

I am a candidate for local office and have received a copy of the above schedules.

X 	Matthew R. Thornton	04/18/2024
Signature	Print Name	Date

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