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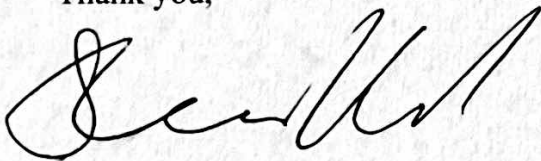
Mr. Rafael Granado  
Clerk, City of Miami Beach  
1700 Convention Center Drive  
Miami Beach, FL 33139

Dear Mr. Granado:

Since I filed to run for City Commission in Group 1, I've had the opportunity to meet with so many friends, neighbors and residents of Miami Beach to share my vision for the future of our city. Though I found growing support for my candidacy, the time is not right for me to pursue elected office.

Therefore, it is with great respect for our City and residents that I must withdraw my candidacy for City Commissioner. As a resident and entrepreneur in our city, I look forward to staying engaged with our local

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Shawn Vardi', with a stylized, flowing script.

Shawn Vardi