

**CANDIDATE OATH
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WITH PARTY AFFILIATION**

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Candidate Oath

Name to appear on ballot: Michael Gauger

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 Palm Beach County Sheriff (Office) (District #)

I am a qualified elector of Palm Beach 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 X

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

X Michael Gauger \$119.071(4)(d)2.a gaug132@aol.com
Signature of Candidate Telephone Number Email Address
\$119.071(4)(d)2.a \$119.071(4)(d)2.a
Address of Legal Residence City State ZIP Code

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF Palm Beach

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me by means of

online notarization ☐ OR physical presence ☒

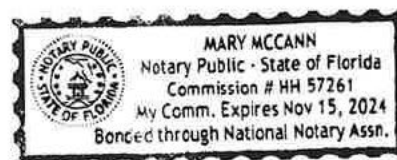
this 6th day of JUNE, 2024

Personally Known ☒ OR Produced Identification ☐

Type of Identification Produced:

Mary McCann
Signature of Notary Public

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



Phonetic Spelling of Name

Phonetic spelling for the audio ballot (not required for qualifying purposes): Print the name phonetically on the line below as you wish it to be pronounced on the audio ballot as may be used by persons with disabilities (see instructions on page 3 of this form):

mei-kul gaw-guhr

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Statement of Outstanding Fines, Fees or Penalties

Pursuant to Section 99.021(1)(d), F.S., each candidate, whether a party candidate, a candidate with no party affiliation, or a write-in candidate, shall, at the time of subscribing to the oath or affirmation, state in writing whether he or she owes any outstanding fines, fees, or penalties that cumulatively exceed \$250 for any violations of s. 8, Art. II of the State Constitution, the Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees under part III of chapter 112, any local ethics ordinance governing standards of conduct and disclosure requirements, or chapter 106.

Amount	Entity

Affidavit of Nickname (Only required if using nickname for the ballot.)

My legal name is _____. I am over the age of eighteen (18) and the contents of this affidavit are true and correct.

My nickname is _____. I am generally known by this nickname or have used it as part of my legal name. I have not created the nickname to mislead voters. My nickname does not imply I am some other person, constitute a political slogan or otherwise associate me with a cause or issue, or that is obscene or profane.

Signature of Candidate : _____

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF _____

Signature of Notary Public

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

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me by means
of online notarization ☐ OR physical presence ☐

this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Personally Known ☐ OR Produced Identification ☐

Type of Identification Produced: _____

2023 Form 6 - Full and Public Disclosure of Financial Interests

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General Information

Name: Mr Michael Elmer Gauger
Address: §119.071(4)(d)2.a
County: Palm Beach

Organization	Suborganization	Title
N/A		

CANDIDATE FOR

Position	Agency Name	Position sought or held
Sheriff	Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office	Sheriff

Net Worth

My Net Worth as of December 31, 2023 was \$ 3,873,001.44.

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Assets

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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 \$ 310,000.00.

ASSETS INDIVIDUALLY VALUED AT OVER \$1,000:

Description of Asset	Value of Asset
§119.071(4)(d)2.a	\$ 699,000.00
1319 Stratford Wellington, FL 33414	\$ 529,000.00
148 Monterey Bay Boynton Beach, FL 33426	\$ 394,000.00
13616 46th Court N West Palm Beach, FL 33411	\$ 437,800.00
18 Lake Vista Trail Apt 104 Port St Lucie, FL 34952	\$ 125,000.00
J.P. Morgan IRA	\$ 757,229.76
FRS Investment Account	\$ 361,671.68
Wells Fargo Checking Account	\$ 17,000.00
T.D. Bank Checking Accounts	\$ 73,000.00
T.D. Bank Savings Account	\$ 13,300.00
Truist Checking Account	\$ 67,000.00
Guardians Credit Union	\$ 12,000.00

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Liabilities

LIABILITIES IN EXCESS OF \$1,000:

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

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
Florida Retirement System	P.O. Box 9000 Tallahassee, FL 32315-9000	\$ 162,564.54
FRS Investment Plan Admin	P.O. Box 785027 Orlando, FL 328785-5027	\$ 10,467.68
Social Security Administration	P.O. 67620 Wilkes-Barre, PA 18767-7620	\$ 54,210.00
Social Security Administration	P.O. Box 67620 Wilkes-Barre, PA 18767-7620	\$ 15,522.00
Delta Master Retirement Trust Dept 216	1030 Delta Blvd. Atlanta, GA 30354	\$ 1,656.72
Searcy Denney Scarola Barnhart & Shipley	2139 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd. West Palm Beach, FL 33409	\$ 37,000.16
Rental Income	18 Lake Vista Apt 104 Port St. Lucie, FL 34952	\$ 7,500.00
Michael Gauger Consulting, LLC	§119.071(4)(d)2.a	\$ 7,500.00

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		2024 JUN 10 PM 12: 03
Business Entity # 1		
N/A		

Signature of Reporting Official or Candidate	
Under the penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing Form6 and that the facts stated in it are true.	
Michael Elmer Gauger	
Digitally signed: 06/05/2024	