

**Breakdown of Required Percentage of Registered Voters, and from How Many Districts  
for Ordinances by Initiative and Charter Amendments by Initiative under Florida's 20 County Charters**

<b>Charter County</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Ordinance by Initiative % of Reg. Voters Req. on Petition, and from How Many Commission Districts</b>	<b>Charter Amend. by Initiative % of Reg. Voters Req. on Petition, and from How Many Commission Districts</b>
Alachua	247,337	7%, county as a whole	10%, county as a whole
Brevard	545,184	5%, county as a whole, with 5% from 3 of 5 districts	4% from each of 5 districts
Broward	1,753,162	7%, county as a whole, with no more than 25% from any one of 9 districts	7%, county as a whole, with no more than 25% from any one of 9 districts
Charlotte	160,463	10%, county as a whole	10%, county as a whole
Clay	191,143	10%, county as a whole	10%, county as a whole
Columbia	67,528	7%, county as a whole, with 7% from 3 of 5 districts	10%, county as a whole, with 10% from 3 of 5 districts
Duval	864,601	(No Ordinance by Initiative Process)	5%, county as a whole, or 10%, county as a whole, if proposed a second time within a 12 month period
Hillsborough	1,238,951	(No Ordinance by Initiative Process)	8%, county as a whole, with 8% from 2 of 4 districts
Lee	625,310	5%, county as a whole, with no more than 30% from any one of 5 districts	7%, county as a whole
Leon	276,278	10% from each of 5 commission districts	10% from each of 5 commission districts
Miami-Dade	2,516,515	4%, county as a whole, with no more than 25% from any one of 13 districts	10%, county as a whole
Orange	1,157,342	7% from each of 6 commission districts	10% from each of 4 of 6 commission districts [10% x (4/6) = 6.67%]
Osceola	273,867	7%, county as a whole	10%, county as a whole
Palm Beach	1,325,758	7%, county as a whole	7%, county as a whole
Pinellas	918,496	(No Ordinance by Initiative Process)	10%, county as a whole, with no more than 40% from any one of 3 at-large districts, and no more than 30% from any one of 4 single member districts
Polk	604,792	6% from each of 5 commission districts	7% from each of 5 commission districts
Sarasota	381,319	(No Ordinance by Initiative Process)	5%, county as a whole
Seminole	424,587	5%, county as a whole, with 5% from 3 of 5 districts	7.5%, county as a whole, with 7.5% from 3 of 5 districts
Volusia	495,400	(No Ordinance by Initiative Process)	5% from each of 5 commission districts
Wakulla	30,877	30% from each of 5 commission districts	30% from each of 5 commission districts

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<b>Alachua</b>		10 (§4.2(A)(1))	180 days (§4.2(A)(2))	General Election (§4.2(A)(1))	Majority (§4.2(A)(3))
<b>Brevard</b>	Y (§7.3.2.1)	4 (§7.3.2)	9 mos (§7.3.2.4;§5.1.1)	Special Election (§7.3.3)	Majority (§7.3.3)
<b>Broward</b>		10	180 days	Next General Election or Special Election	
<b>Charlotte</b>		10 (4.2(B)(1))	90 days (4.2(B)(1))	General Election (§4.2(B)(1))	Majority (§4.2(B)(3))
<b>Clay</b>		10 (§4.2(A)(1))	180 days (§4.2(A)(3))	General Election (§4.2(A)(2))	Majority (§4.2(A)(4))
<b>Columbia</b>		10 (§8.3.2(2))	6 mos (§8.3.2)	General Election (§8.3.3)	Majority (§8.3.3)
<b>Duval</b>		5 (§18.05(a))	Silent	Next Countywide General Election (§18.05(h))	Majority (§15.05(k))
<b>Hillsborough</b>		8 (§8.03(1))	6 mos (§8.03(1))	General Election (§8.04)	Majority (§8.04)

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<b>Lee</b>		7 (§4.1(A)(1))	90 days (§4.1(A)(2))	General Election (§4.1(A)(4))	Majority (§4.1(A)(4))
<b>Leon</b>		10 (§5.2(1)(A))	1 year (§5.2(1)(A))	General Election (§5.2(1)(B))	Majority (§5.2(1)(B))
<b>Miami-Dade</b>	N	10 (§9.07(A))	Silent	60-120 days or special election (§9.07(C))	Majority (§9.07(D))
<b>Orange</b>	N	10 (§601(A))	180 days (§601(A))	Next General Election (§602(A))	Majority (§602(A))
<b>Osceola</b>	N	10 (§4.2(A)(1))	180 days (§4.2(A)(2))	Special Election (§4.2(A)(1))	Majority (§4.2(A)(3))
<b>Palm Beach</b>	N	7 (§6.3)	Silent	General Election or presidential primary (§6.3)	Majority (§6.3)
<b>Pinellas</b>	N	10 (§6.02(1))	180 days (§6.02(2))	General Election or special call referendum (§6.02(1))	Majority (§6.02(1))

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<b>Polk</b>	Y (§8.3.2))	7 (§8.3.2)	1 year (§8.3.2, §6.1.1)	General Election - cannot be held sooner than 60 days after amendment proposed or validated (§8.3.3)	60% (§8.3.3)
<b>Sarasota</b>	N	5 (§7.1)	Silent	Special Election (§7.1)	Majority (§7.1)
<b>Seminole</b>	N	7.5 residing in 3/5 (§4.2(A)(1))	6 mos (§4.2(A)(2))	General Election (§4.2(A)(1))	Majority (§4.2(A)(3))
<b>Volusia</b>		5 (§1302.2)	Silent	General Election (§1302.3)	Majority (§1302.3)
<b>Wakulla</b>	Y (§7.3.2)	30 (§7.3.2)	6 mos (§7.3.2, §6.1.1)	General Election (§7.3.3)	Majority (§7.3.3)