



The Blue Gala

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Friends,

As Chair of the Miami-Dade Democratic Party, it is an honor to welcome you to the 2024 Blue Gala. I extend my heartfelt gratitude for you joining us. Your presence this evening is a testament to our shared dedication to a more just, inclusive future and an economy that truly works for every Floridian.

We also welcome and appreciate our esteemed guest speakers for being here and sharing their perspectives as we all recommit to the work ahead.

To our generous sponsors and dedicated volunteers, your support and hard work have made this event possible, and we are so grateful.

As we all look ahead to November, I know you understand how critical these coming weeks will be. The work we do right now will help us get voters to the polls and secure wins up and down the ballot for Democrats. Thank you for all that you do — we can't do it without you!

In solidarity,

*State Senator Shevrin Jones (SD-34)
Chair, Miami-Dade Democratic Party*



Prayer
John Taylor, Mayor of Opa-locka

Inspirational Spoken Word
Rebecca "Butterfly" Jones

Pledge of Allegiance
Max Tuchman

National Anthem
Gia Wyre

Hosts County Commissioner Danielle Cohen Higgins and Janelle Perez

First Vice Chair Millie Herrera

Alex Fernandez, Vice Mayor of City of Miami Beach

DINNER IS SERVED

Alix Desulme, Mayor of City of North Miami

Justin Routt
President of the Young Democrats

Sean Pittman, Amendment 3 - Legalizing Marijuana

Anna Hochkammer, Amendment 4 - Reproductive Rights

Rep. Ashley Gant & Jackie Kellogg
Presentation of Awards

Oliver Gilbert III, Chairman of the Miami-Dade Commission

Daniella Levine Cava, Mayor of Miami-Dade County

Frederica Wilson, U.S. Congresswoman

Nikki Fried, Chair, Florida Democratic Party

Shevrin Jones, Florida Senator

Jaime Harrison, Chair, Democratic Party

KEYNOTE & GUEST SPEAKERS



Jaime Harrison
*Chair of the
Democratic Party*



Daniella Levine Cava
*Miami-Dade County
Mayor*



Alix Delsume
*City of North Miami
Mayor*



Oliver Gilbert III
*Miami-Dade County
Commission Chairman*

FEATURED SPEAKERS



Shevrin Jones
Florida State Senator



Nikki Fried
*Florida Democratic
Party Chair*



Maxwell Frost
U.S. Congressman



Frederica Wilson
U.S. Congresswoman



Kionne McGhee
*Miami-Dade County
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Sean Pittman
Amendment 3



Anna Hochkammer
Amendment 4



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U.S. Congressman

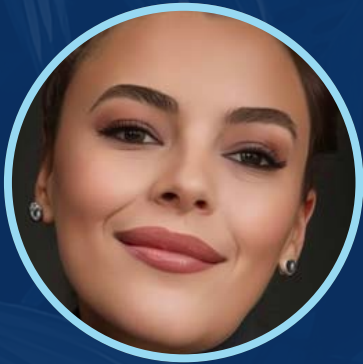
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Local Champion for Change
Macarena "Maca" Iglesias



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Cecelia Tavera-Webman



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Verlance Echoles



Young Democrat of the Year
Gabriela Reyes

Daniella
Levine Cava
Our MIAMI-DADE COUNTY MAYOR

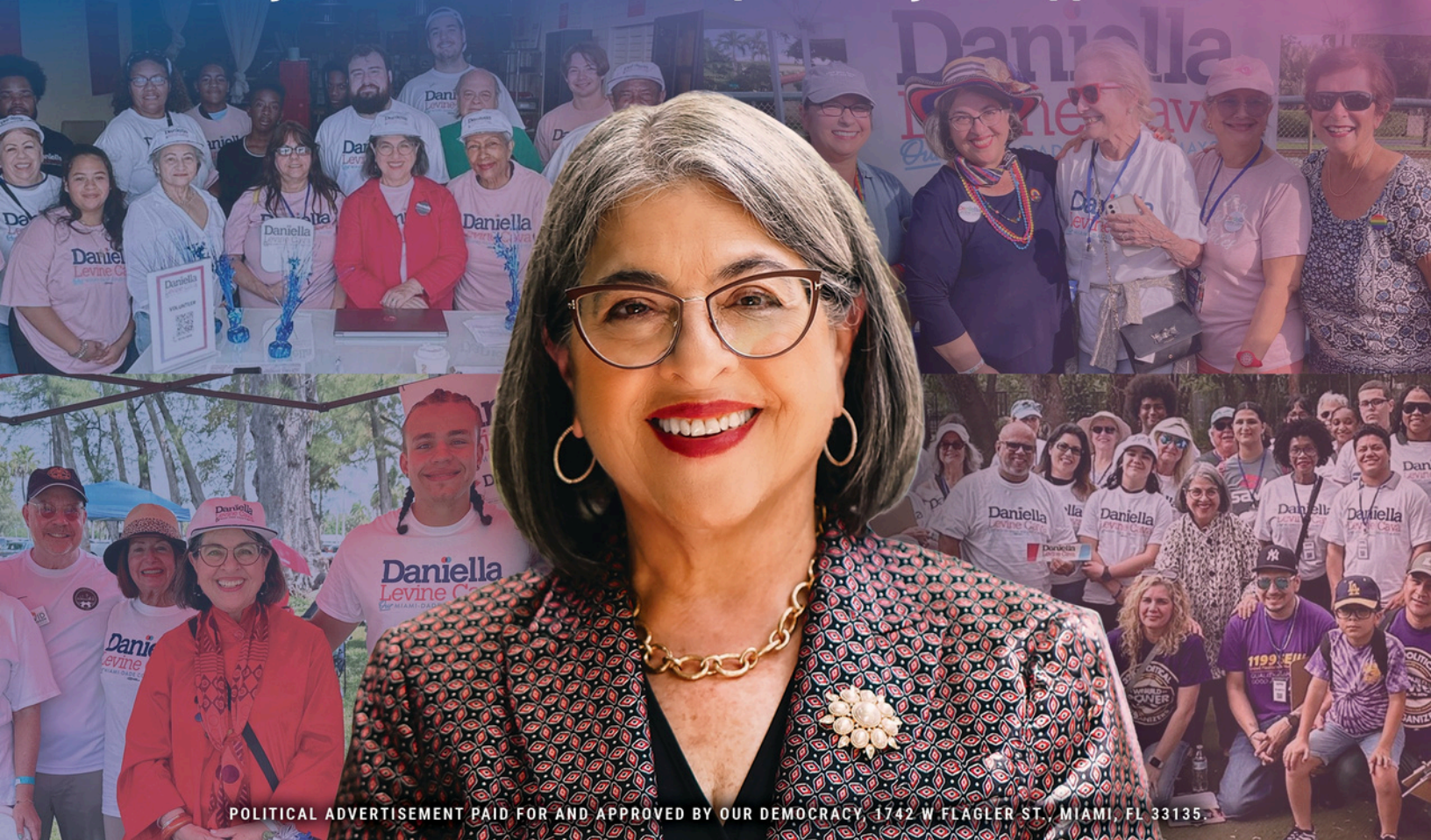
The Miami Herald

**“Daniella Levine Cava easily
beats GOP challengers, wins 2nd
term as Miami-Dade mayor.”**

Congratulations

to the Miami-Dade Democratic Party on a successful Blue Gala!

**Thank you to Party Chairman Shevrin Jones for
your incredible leadership and for your support!**





CHAIRMAN OLIVER G. GILBERT, III
Miami-Dade County Commissioner For District 1

CONGRATULATIONS TO
THE BLUE GALA



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DEMOCRATIC
PARTY

WHEN WE
ORGANIZE
AND MOBILIZE, WE WIN!
LET'S GET TO WORK!

GO BLUE!



YES ON 3

Legalizing Recreational Marijuana
For Smart & Safe Adult Use

THE FLORIDA DEMOCRATIC PARTY joins the growing list of organizations and elected Democrats urging voters to support Amendment 3:



"It's time we take Florida Forward, not remain stuck in the past. Passing Amendment 3 is about making it so fewer people are sitting behind bars for petty marijuana possession, keeping more families intact and relieving our criminal justice system. Over half the country already has the freedom to access safe, regulated marijuana. It's time Florida enjoys the same liberty."

- Florida Senator Shervin "Shev" Jones



"Arguments to keep marijuana illegal don't hold up against reality in Florida"

Miami Herald | - 5/14/24



ON NOVEMBER 5TH, VOTE

YES ON AMENDMENT 3

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CONGRATULATIONS

to our fearless leader
and Party Chairman

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We invite you to stay connected with our work and remain active with your support.

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*Thank you for attending
the 2024 Blue Gala!*



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