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**SEACOAST BANKING CORPORATION OF FLORIDA**

(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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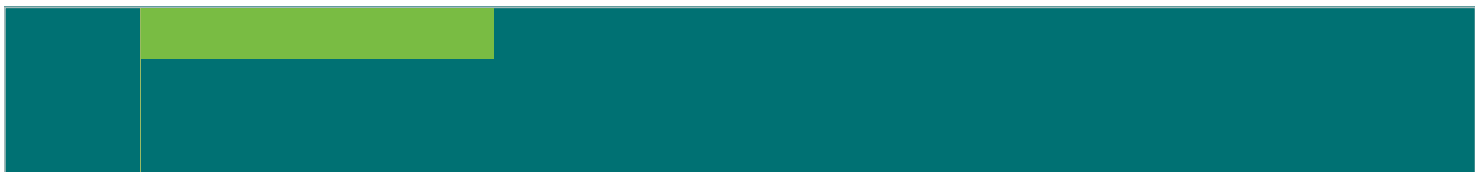
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## NOTICE OF 2026 ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

**Wednesday, May 20, 2026**  
**10:00 a.m. Eastern Time**

Seacoast Banking Corporation of Florida ("Seacoast" or the "Company") intends to hold its 2026 Annual Meeting of Shareholders (the "Annual Meeting") at the Hutchinson Shores Resort, 3793 NE Ocean Blvd, Jensen Beach, FL 34957, on Wednesday, May 20, 2026 at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Time.

### ITEMS OF BUSINESS

The purpose of the Annual Meeting is to vote on the following proposals:

1. *Election of Directors.* To elect five Class III directors ("Proposal 1");
2. *Amend the Company's Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation to Declassify the Company's Board of Directors.* To approve the proposed amendment to the Company's Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation to declassify the Company's Board of Directors ("Proposal 2");
3. *Advisory (Non-binding) Vote to Approve Compensation of Named Executive Officers.* To hold an advisory vote to approve the compensation of the Company's named executive officers as disclosed in this proxy statement ("Proposal 3");
4. *Ratification of Appointment of Independent Auditor.* To ratify the appointment of Crowe LLP as independent auditors for Seacoast for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2026 ("Proposal 4"); and
5. *Other Business.* To transact such other business as may properly come before the Annual Meeting and any adjournment or postponement thereof.

### RECORD DATE

You are eligible to vote if you were a shareholder of record on the close of business on March 25, 2026, which is the record date for the Annual Meeting. This Notice of the 2026 Annual Meeting of Shareholders and the accompanying proxy statement are sent by order of the Company's Board of Directors.

### YOUR VOTE IS IMPORTANT

Please review the voting instructions described in this proxy statement, as well as in the notice you received in the mail or by e-mail. By voting prior to the Annual Meeting, you will help ensure that we have a quorum and that your preferences will be expressed on the proposals that are being considered.

April 9, 2026



Charles M. Shaffer  
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer



