IMPORTANT NOTICE ABOUT THIS SPECIAL DISTRICT CANDIDATE

This candidate has voluntarily elected to restrict his/her campaign finance activity.

A special district candidate whose <u>only expenditure</u> is the \$25.00 filing fee or the candidate-petition signature verification fee in order to qualify for office and who <u>does not accept</u> campaign contributions—<u>will not be required to</u> file campaign treasurer's reports. Contributions include any made by the candidate, including in-kind contributions.

Any special district candidate who <u>anticipates</u> that he or she will accept campaign contributions or make campaign expenditures must first file Form DSDE 9 Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository, with the Lee County Supervisor of Elections, PRIOR to such activity. Said candidate shall subsequently be required to file campaign treasurer's reports. Failure to comply is a violation of Florida Election Law.

Reference: Florida Statutes §99.061(3), §99.061(7)(a)(1), §99.095(2)(b), §99.097(4), §106.021