

# **CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS**

## **LIMITATIONS**

City Ordinance C-02-09

Section 12-4 of the City Code of Ordinances, establishes campaign contribution limits and prohibits contributions from specified entities and organizations in Fort Lauderdale municipal elections for Mayor-Commissioner and City Commissioner.

## **CASH AND BY CASHIER CHECK**

FLORIDA STATUTE 106.09

No person shall make or accept a cash contribution or contribution by means of a cashier's check in excess of \$50

## **DEADLINES**

FLORIDA STATUTE 106.08

Any contribution received by a candidate with opposition in an election or the campaign treasurer or a deputy treasurer of such a candidate on the day of that election or less than five days prior to the day of that election shall be returned by him to the person or committee contributing it and shall not be used or expended by or on behalf of the candidate.

**Deadline for Accepting Contributions:** Primary: Midnight, Thursday, January 26, 2012  
General: Midnight, Thursday, March 8, 2012

## **DEPOSITING**

FLORIDA STATUTE 106.05

All funds received by the campaign treasurer of any candidate or political committee shall, prior to the end of the 5<sup>th</sup> business day following the receipt thereof, Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays excluded, be deposited in a campaign depository designated pursuant to s. 106.021, in a account designated ". . . (name of candidate or committee). . . Campaign Account." Except for contributions to political committees made by payroll deduction, all deposits shall be accompanied by a bank deposit slip containing the name of each contributor and the amount contributed by each. . . .

## **VALUATION OF IN-KIND**

FLORIDA STATUTE 106.055

Any person who makes an in-kind contribution shall, at the time of making such contribution, place a value on such contribution, which valuation shall be the fair market value of such contribution.

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