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## **Back by popular demand!**

As the 2010 campaign season heats up, many candidates seeking future offices have asked for another training session on election and fundraising regulations. They can get it next month at the Campaign Skills Seminar sponsored by the Miami-Dade Commission on Ethics and Public Trust. Many Miami-Dade municipalities – including some of the largest – will hold elections in 2011. Now is the time for candidates, campaign staff members and volunteers to learn the rules for running a clean race.

The seminar, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. on Thursday, September 30, 2010, at the Miami City Commission Chambers, will provide essential information to declared candidates, individuals considering running for election or anyone who wants to understand the legal and ethical obligations of seeking public office. Speakers include representatives of the Miami-Dade Ethics Commission, the State Attorney's Office, the Elections Department and the Miami-Dade League of Cities.

The event is free and open to the public. Attorneys can earn Continuing Legal Education credits from the Florida Bar.

**Campaign Skills Seminar  
Thursday, September 30, 2010 6:30 p.m.  
Miami City Hall Commission Chambers  
3500 Pan American Drive  
Miami, FL 33133**

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