



FLORIDA STATE ASSOCIATION OF SUPERVISORS OF ELECTIONS

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February 2, 2007

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Governor Charlie Crist
State of Florida
The Capitol
400 South Monroe Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Dear Governor Crist:

There has been recent discussion concerning the possibility of proposals to amend the Florida Constitution, which will be placed to a vote of the electorate in Florida in the fall of 2007. The Supervisors of Elections throughout the State look forward to assisting with respect to any decision that is made in that regard.

In the event that this is a course of action that you and the Legislature decide to proceed on, we felt it was necessary to advise you that in order to properly prepare for a polling place election, the counties will need at least a 120-day notice prior to the date that is chosen for that election. In the event that the choice is to undertake this election by way of a mail ballot procedure, the counties would require a 90-day advance notice of the date.

In the event that a decision is made to proceed with an election in the fall of 2007, we look forward to carrying out that responsibility, and look forward to working with you and the Legislature if this amendment is proposed to the Florida voters.

Sincerely,

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