

June 27, 2022

Fair Campaign Practices Committee c/o Ms. Naomie Labaty Intergovernmental Affairs/Boards Section Boards Administrator 100 South Andrews Avenue Main Library, 8th Floor Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301 Email: nlabaty@broward.org

Greetings:

As you know, Ms. Madeleine Mannello has stepped down as the League of Women Voters of Broward County's representative on the Fair Campaign Practices Committee. Since the 2022 election campaign cycle is underway, I feel there is an urgency to fill this position as soon as possible. Therefore, I would like to apply as the League's representative, as I believe that I am qualified to do so.

I have attached a brief resume. While my professional career was in the sciences, I did obtain a J.D. in 2004, graduating summa cum laude from Nova Southeastern University. I passed the Bar exam the same year and became a member of The Florida Bar and continue as a member in good standing. Although I did not actively practice, due to my continued employment with the University of Florida, I did join and eventually became a board member of what is now referred to as Solo and Small Firm Section. From 2006 through 2015, I served as editor of their quarterly newsletter.

After retiring from UF, I immediately joined the League of Women Voters and now serve as President of the Broward League (since 2020) and chair of Voter Services Committee (since 2019). As required by our League's nonpartisan policy, I do not serve in any position in a political party; do not chair or administer fundraising or political campaigns; do not chair a campaign event or work in a significant way in the campaign of a candidate for office at any level; and do not attend political fundraising events or make campaign contributions for candidates.

I have thoroughly read Chapter 11, Article V. – Ethical Campaign Practices – of the Code of Broward County, Volume 1. Furthermore, in 2020, the Broward League co-sponsored a



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Campaign Skills Webinar for Broward County city/town candidates. I served as League liaison for this event. I also attended the event and attach my Certificate of Accreditation for CLE for your review. The Broward League will be co-sponsoring this webinar again (flyer attached) on July 11, 2022, and I will be attending again.

If you have any questions about my qualifications or require more personal information, please let me know. My mailing address, email address and phone number are listed on my resume.

If selected to serve on the committee, I will endeavor to serve professionally and fairly.

Sincerely,

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Monica L. Elliott, Ph.D./J.D. President