



Dear 2012 Primary Candidates:

If you are in a CONTESTED PRIMARY JUDICIAL OR LAW ENFORCEMENT ELECTION, please complete the attached questionnaire and **RETURN NO LATER THAN NOON OF TUESDAY, JANUARY 24TH**, BY EITHER EMAIL TO MABAHOUSTON@YAHOO.COM, OR BY FAX TO 713-574-2724 (cover sheet not required). IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS, WE WILL SEND YOU A SCHEDULED APPOINTMENT TO INTERVIEW BETWEEN 6 PM AND 8:45 PM FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 30TH.

Interviews will be held at the:

Law Offices of Al Flores and Jose R. Lopez II
The Washington Centre
4601 Washington Ave Suite 200
Houston, Texas 77007

We are aware of the January 20th, U.S. Supreme Court opinion affecting the Texas primaries, and understand that the primary election date of April 3, 2012 is likely to be affected. Nevertheless, we intend to move forward in conducting our screening interviews during the week of January 30, 2012. We will monitor the situation over the next two weeks and hopefully learn during that period of time how far back the current candidate filing deadline of February 1, 2012, will be moved. If you learn that you are in a contested primary race for a judicial or law enforcement position, please contact us immediately if you would like to be interviewed and considered for endorsement. Please be advised that the timing of MABA's Judicial Screening Committee's endorsement recommendations and MABA's general membership endorsements may be affected by the foregoing court proceedings. We will keep you informed as appropriate. We appreciate your participation.

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