

# P R E S S R E L E A S E

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## Seminole City Councilor Leslie Waters Returns from North Africa Waters Conducts Campaign Workshop for Egyptian Women

Leslie Waters, former State Representative and currently serving on the Seminole City Council, recently conducted a 4-day Campaign Workshop for 37 Egyptian women running for Parliament. Workshop attendees were many of Egypt's most professional and instrumental community leaders.

The training was held in Casablanca, Morocco, and included training relative to the campaign process, campaign communications, action plans, messaging, fundraising, budgets, the press, and mobilizing of volunteers and voters.

IRI, an organization based in Washington DC, and focusing on enhancing democracy worldwide, has sent Waters on other assignments to work with elected officials, political parties, and political activists in Indonesia, Thailand, India and Sri Lanka.

Councilor Waters said she was honored and proud to have had the opportunity to work with such wonderful ladies, all working for a better Egypt.

"I will be monitoring their campaign progress, and meanwhile" Waters adds, "I hope to have 37 new friends on Facebook."

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