

**SPECIAL REPORT: SPRING 2007**



**FLORIDA4MARRIAGE.ORG**  
FLORIDA COALITION TO PROTECT MARRIAGE

**HELP US GET THIS INFORMATION INTO THE HANDS OF OTHER PEOPLE  
BY E-MAILING THIS MESSAGE TO ALL YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS**



**GO! GO! GO! KEEP COLLECTING! WE ARE ALMOST THERE... ONLY 21,000 MORE TO GO!**

The petition collecting is still ongoing and we are only 21,000 away from getting the total 611,009 signed petitions needed to be on the November 2008 ballot. Hundreds of thousands of Florida citizens have supported the Florida Marriage Protection Amendment and have indicated so by signing the petition to define marriage between one man and one woman in Florida. Keep helping us collect petitions. Petitions in PDF format can be downloaded [HERE](#): Couple of reminders:

- \* If you have any signed petitions sitting around, please get them mailed into our offices as soon as possible.
- \* We do not need to recollect a second signed petitions if someone already signed one.
- \* The legal deadline to get all petitions in is February 1, 2008 but we want to get this done before this summer
- \* Many churches have reported that even after several collections they still find members who have not signed



**ARE YOU A SENIOR CITIZEN IN FAVOR OF TRADITIONAL MARRIAGE? IF SO, THEN JOIN SENIORS FOR MARRIAGE**



If you are a senior citizen who supports the campaign to define marriage as the union of one man and one woman, then we need your help. Our opposition has chosen the highly deceptive name [Fairness for All Families](#). They will try to scare senior citizens into thinking that voting for the Florida Marriage Protection Amendment to ban homosexual marriages in Florida will somehow cause senior citizens to

lose their social security benefits. This is precisely the same lie gay activists used in Arizona, the first state to ever lose a marriage amendment on the ballot. Please help us spread the word about this deception so the homosexual activists can not do the same thing in Florida. If you are a senior and want to help us by being apart of **Seniors for Marriage** let us know. Send us 1) your full name, 2) contact information, 3) your age 4) what church you attend and 5) permission for us to use your name to further the cause of traditional marriage. If you have a digital picture of you and or your spouse that would also be very helpful. E-mail this information to [media@Florida4Marriage.org](mailto:media@Florida4Marriage.org) or send it to us by US Mail at the below address. If you know a senior citizen friend that would help us but they do not have a computer, please print this out this message and deliver it to them.



## **SUIT FILED AGAINST KISSING COPS WHO SHUT DOWN MARRIAGE PETITION COLLECTION DRIVE IN FT. LAUDERDALE**

The Florida Family Policy Council, a member of the Florida4Marriage.org coalition, has filed a [lawsuit](#) in Federal District Court to seek a judgment against Broward County and the Sunrise Police Officer who violated the civil rights of volunteers for the Florida4Marriage.org amendment last summer. Other photos taken of this unbelievable incident can be

found [HERE](#):

In June of 2006, Florida Family Policy Council staff members and volunteers were collecting petitions for the Florida Marriage Protection Amendment as a paid exhibitor under a tent with several other ministries at a Promise Keepers Conference in Sunrise, Florida. What began as a productive day of distributing information and collecting petitions turned into a constitutional showdown when several officers from the Sunrise Police Department showed up and shut down the gathering of petitions. Full press release [HERE](#):

## **ATTEND A PREMIER ONE DAY CAMPAIGN SCHOOL IN ORLANDO ON SATURDAY MAY 12, 2007 AND EQUIP YOURSELF TO WIN THE MARRIAGE AMENDMENT CAMPAIGN IN 2008**

On Saturday May 12, 2007, a one day campaign tactics school will be held by the Washington D.C. based Susan B. Anthony List at the downtown satellite campus of the University of Central Florida in Orlando from 9am-4pm. Cost is \$30.00 per person and \$15 for students. This is top notch professional campaign instruction by one of the premier pro life organizations in the country. All of this training will also be very

helpful to equip our key activists and volunteers for the marriage amendment campaign in 2008. Topics include Phone Banks; Lists & list Preparation; Working the polls; Blanket turnout; Election Day hoopla/ activities; Voter contact mail & phone calls and Fund raising. For more details and to register online go to <https://secure.donationreport.com/donate.html?key=DG3X4DP5R3CV>

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Florida Family Action is a new cultural action organization that is completely separate from the [Florida](#)

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[Family Policy Council](#), legally. It has been created by separating out of Florida Family Policy Council those activities which constitute lobbying under the IRS code so that they can be expanded in scope. It will provide a platform for informing, inspiring and rallying those who care deeply about the family to greater involvement in the moral, cultural and political issues that threaten our state. Florida Family Action will give our team much greater freedom to take our views to the public square, where the great debate over culture, rights, freedom and values is taking place, and allow us to ask people to take specific actions such as calling senators and congressmen to pass important, family-friendly legislation. The bottom line is we can be more effective in fighting for the Florida Marriage Protection Amendment and against judicial tyranny among other issues with this new lobbying organization.