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Re: Miami-Dade FAWL Membership Policy

To Whom it May Concern:

Thank you for your continued support of Miami-Dade FAWL. Please note that as of 2014, our chapter implemented an annual membership period running each year from July 1 through June 30. This was done in an effort to comply and be consistent with State FAWL and all other chapters' annual membership periods. This means that, regardless of the time when you submit your membership application, if your membership is submitted prior to March 1, it will expire the following June 30. We encourage all past, present, and future members to take into consideration these dates when paying membership dues.

Consistent with State FAWL, Miami-Dade FAWL has a rollover period, which allows members to pay dues for the following year beginning in March each year. If you submit a new member application after March 1, your membership will run through June 30 of the following year, allowing you to enjoy all the benefits of membership in Miami-Dade FAWL for the remaining months of the current membership period.

March 1 is a firm deadline for rollover periods, and Miami-Dade FAWL cannot extend memberships into the following year if dues are paid prior to March 1. We make every effort to clarify this with our members on both our application form and on our website. For these reasons, we encourage members to renew each year beginning in March up through the end of June.

Sincerely,

Ileana Cruz Miami-Dade FAWL

President