RHA Elections Committee
Campaigning Guidelines in the Residence Halls

Advertising
● All publicity posted on Residential & Community Living (R&CL) property requires prior approval by RHA Elections Committee.
   Email all publicity materials to rhaelectionscommittee@gmail.com
   The committee will respond within 5 business days.
● Building Lead Staff (ARD’s & RD’s) are not allowed to approve flyers.
● AS campaigning materials may not be worn by candidates to RHA sponsored or R&CL events. This includes shirts and anything which promotes a candidate or party.
● Campaigning materials may only be posted in the week leading up to the election.
● Materials may remain posted during elections week,
● Campaigning materials must be removed within 48 hours of the end of the election.
● Candidates are responsible for any damages caused to R&CL property by their campaigning materials.
● The largest allowable poster is 11”x17”.

Door-to-Door Advertising
● Speaking door-to-door is permitted pending the approval of RHA Elections Committee.
● The largest poster size is 4.25”x5.5” on residents’ doors.
● Rooms may only be visited once.
● No Solicitation signs must be respected. Do not post flyers or knock on those doors.
● In the eight days prior to an election: Monday through Friday from 6:00pm to 8:30pm, and Saturday and Sunday from 12 noon to 8:30pm.
● On election days: from 3:00pm to 8:00pm.

Placement of Advertising
● No materials may be posted in elevators or within 10’ of one.
● No flyers may be posted above another poster.
● No flyers may be posted in a bathroom.
● Flyers may only be hung with blue painters tape.
● Flyering at front desk is permitted pending approval of RHA Elections Committee.
● Flyer in lounges is permitted pending approval of RHA Elections Committee.
● Areas under the jurisdiction of the RHA Elections Committee include all property managed by Residential and Community Living and Dining Services.
   ○ No publicity may be posted in any of the Dining Commons.
● All election publicity shall be in accordance with fire regulations.

Penalties and Sanctions
● 1st strike → warning
● 2nd strike → remove all campaign materials from R&CL property within 24 hours
● 3rd strike → publicity promotion is revoked from all R&CL property
● *Please note all violations will also be forwarded over to the AS elections committee and all candidates must also adhere to theirs, and OSL’s policies