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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: Legislative Training Workshop Planned

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The Sierra Club-Suwannee-St. John's Group has scheduled a Legislative Training Workshop for Saturday, October 21, 2017, from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Dunnellon Public Library, 20351 Robinson Road, Dunnellon, FL 34431.

The important 3-hour program will include a brief "civics" lesson by the League of Women Voters, to help people understand the responsibilities of their decision-makers at city, county, state and federal levels and how to contact them.

Co-sponsors of this important event include the League of Women Voters of Citrus County and Nature Coast Unitarian Universalists Social Justice Committee. Attendance is free, limited to 50 people on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Panelists for Q&A include: Brian Coleman, Citrus County Board of County Commissioners; Dave Cullen, Sierra Club lobbyist; Florida State Senator (ret'd) Charlie Dean; Dunnellon Mayor Walter Green; Whitey Markle, Chairman of the Sierra Club, Suwannee-St. Johns Group; Dr. Robert Palmer, former Staff Director of the Committee on Science, Space and Technology, U.S. House of Representatives; former Dunnellon Mayor, Nathan Whitt.

Participants will also get hands-on training on the best ways to communicate with and advocate for their issues with local, regional, and national decision makers.

For questions related to this important free opportunity contact: Sierra Club-Suwannee-St. John's Group: Kathryn Taubert at kataubert@gmail.com; Maxine Connor at maxineconnor@gmail.com; Jon Brainard at jonbrainard@gmail.com.

(Note: organizers reserve the right to modify the program at any time as circumstances may require.)

About The Sierra Club

The Sierra Club is America's largest and most influential grassroots environmental organization, with more than 2.4 million members and supporters. In addition to helping people from all backgrounds explore nature and our outdoor heritage, the Sierra Club works to promote clean energy, safeguard the health of our communities, protect wildlife, and preserve our remaining wild places through grassroots activism, public education, lobbying, and legal action. For more information, visit www.sierraclub.org.

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