

HADASSAH VOTER CHALLENGE 2000

1 Hadassah, the Women's Zionist Organization of America, reaffirms its historic
2 commitment to encourage informed, individual involvement in civic affairs, including
3 voter registration and participation.

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5 Hadassah expresses its deep concern with the continuing national decline in voter
6 registration and turnout—particularly the drop in women’s participation and the on-going
7 low voter participation among young male and female Americans—in national, state and
8 local elections.

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10 To help reverse these trends, Hadassah is proudly sponsoring the “Hadassah Voter
11 Challenge 2000.” Through this non-partisan voter registration and turnout effort,
12 Hadassah members across the country are helping American citizens to register and
13 encouraging them to vote. While this program attempts to register any eligible
14 American, it focuses on women and the Jewish community, particularly young Jewish
15 women.