## J. Navigating the FEC Website



The Federal Election Commission has it's own website available to all who have Internet access. The site has a wealth of information on Campaign Finance information, Reports, Forms to name a few.

- ✓ Using any Internet browser, type <u>http://www.fec.gov</u> in the address bar and launch the FEC website.
- ✓ The Federal Election Commission homepage will appear, and permit the user to navigate to various areas on the site.
- ✓ On the main page, move the mouse to the Electronic Filing option tab at the base of the main page, and click once to move to the page.

✓ The FEC Electronic Filing page is loaded.

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Campaign Finance Reports and Data	Since 2001, electronic filing has become the preferred method for committees to file reports and statements to the FEC. In general, a committee reports and statements electronically if their total contributions or total expenditures exceed, or expect to exceed, 550,050 in a calendar year. Th to file electronically does not apply to Senate candidate committees. Roler to your Campaign Cuite for more information.	
Commission Meetings	This section of the website provides information about electronic filing.	
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✓ Select an option from the list of options and click once to move to that option.

## **Options here include:**

- Electronic Filing Overview
- o Download FECFile Software
- Help for Electronic Filers
- File 48 and 24 Hour Notices On-line
- o Software Choices
- o Information for Software Developers
- ✓ Upon selecting any of these options, the page will load, and additional information becomes available.

- Moving the mouse to move over terms and text, the pointer becomes a hand, indicating that additional information is available on the subject matter. Pointing and clicking on the subject matter will launch the additional information, or JUMP to the particular section.
- ✓ On selecting a page, the user may scroll up and down the section, or use the browser navigation buttons to move back to the previous section.
- ✓ In addition, the options in the banner, and associated "fly-outs" provide direct access to key areas of the FEC Web Site.