

July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021

YEAR AHEAD



June 18, 2020

Virtual LWVSMC Annual Meeting

Development

TOWNSHIP OF OCEAN LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS			
PROPOSED BUDGET 2020 - 2021			
	Treasurer Report 4/21/2020	Prior Year Budget	Proposed Budget 2020 - 2021
INCOME			
Dues	\$2,000.00	\$2,100.00	\$3,100.00
Contributions/Member	\$300.50	\$400.00	\$600.00
Non Member	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Members Fund	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Payments In Kind	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$225.00
Interest	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Publications	\$0.00	\$200.00	\$200.00
Fight for the Vote Grant	\$61.80	\$300.00	\$300.00
LWNJ Educational Fund	\$363.00	\$300.00	\$300.00
Fund Raising Sale	\$0.00	\$375.00	\$0.00
Callahan	\$0.00	\$1,443.00	\$0.00
Voter Service	\$0.00	\$6923.00	\$0.00
Socials	\$4868.38	\$0.00	\$100.00
Play			
Savings Acct Transfers			\$100.00
Total Income			\$118.00
EXPENSES			
Operational Costs	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Insurance	\$0.00	\$106.00	\$200.00
Postage	\$118.00	\$200.00	\$0.00
Audit	\$127.94	\$0.00	\$50.00
P.O. Box	\$0.00	\$75.00	\$0.00
Equipment	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Bank Charges	\$0.00	\$400.00	\$25.00
Board Expenses	\$0.00	\$25.00	\$50.00
Cable TV Facts & Issues	\$0.00	\$20.00	\$50.00
State Convent Council	\$0.00	\$50.00	\$50.00
National Conventions	\$0.00	\$50.00	\$105.00
LWNJ Educational Fund	\$0.00	\$75.00	\$1782.50
ILJ Convention	\$0.00	\$1,253.50	\$2,480.00
Annual Meetings	\$1207.50	\$1,744.00	\$210.00
Conferences/Workshops	\$1680.00	\$208.00	\$150.00
County ILO E	\$210.00	\$150.00	\$100.00
State Plan	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$0.00
National Plan	\$0.00	\$0.00	700
Handbooks	\$0.00	\$125.00	\$750.00
Web Site Maintenance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$100.00
Voters Service	\$175.00	\$0.00	\$600.00
Sales Tax	\$250.00	\$100.00	\$0.00
Cost of Fund Raising	\$94.50	\$100.00	\$0.00
Socials	\$181.84	\$500.00	\$0.00
Donations/Intra-league	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$7395.50
Propotional Materials	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Fight for the Vote Grant	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Change of Name Expenses	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Transfer to Surplus	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total Expense	\$4144.78	\$5423.50	\$7395.50

- Our dues are the lowest in the nation
- This year, we plan to raise \$2,000 from nonmembers

What you can do

- Take a look at our plans for the year
- Think about people (and businesses) who might like to support our work
- Join our new *Development Team*
- Help people Invest in Democracy!

“How to Register Voters” Workshops



State of New Jersey
Political Party Affiliation Declaration

I, being a registered voter at the address _____, do hereby declare my political party affiliation to be _____.

Democratic
 Green*
 Reform Party
 Unaffiliated**

Last Name _____
 First Name _____
 Date of Birth (month) _____
 New Jersey Residence:
 Street _____
 Municipality _____
 County _____

Signature or mark of registered voter _____

*If you are a registered member of the Green Party, U.S. Constitution Party, Socialist Party or the Democratic or Republican Party, you must file this form no later than 55 days before the primary in order to participate in the convention of that party, according to the rules of that party.

**If you are a previously affiliated voter who becomes unaffiliated, you must file this form no later than 55 days before the primary in order to participate in the convention of that party, according to the rules of that party.

State of New Jersey
 Department of State
 Division of Elections

New Jersey
Voter Registration Application

Please print clearly in ink. All information is required unless marked optional.

1 Check all boxes that apply: New Registration Address Change

2 Are you a U.S. Citizen? Yes No (If No, DO NOT complete this form)

3 Are you at least 17 years of age? Yes No (If No, DO NOT complete this form)

4 Last Name _____

5 Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY) _____

6 Gender (Optional) Female Male

7 NJ Driver's License Number or MVC Non-driver ID Number _____

8 Home Address (DO NOT use PO Box) _____

9 Mailing Address (if different from Home Address) _____

10 Last Address Registered to Vote (DO NOT use PO Box) _____

11 Former Name if Making Name Change _____

12 Day Phone Number (Optional) _____

13 Do you wish to declare a political party affiliation? Yes, the party name is _____ No, I do not wish to be affiliated with any political party.

14 Request for Mail-In Ballot for all future elections (Optional) I wish to receive a Mail-In Ballot for all future elections until I request otherwise in writing to the County Clerk's office. I wish to receive a Mail-In Ballot for all future elections until I request otherwise in writing to the County Clerk's office. I do not wish to receive a Mail-In Ballot for all future elections.

Declaration - I swear or affirm that:
 • I am a U.S. Citizen
 • I live at the above home address
 • I am at least 17 years old, and understand that I may not vote until reaching the age of 18

Signature of Registrant: Sign or mark and date on lines below _____ Date (MM/DD/YYYY) _____

FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY
 Clerk _____
 Registration # _____
 Office Time Stamp _____

Important Instructions for sections 7, 8, 13 and 14
 Registrants who are submitting this form by mail and are registering to vote for the first time: If you do not supply any of the information required by section 7, 8, 13, or 14, or the information you provide cannot be verified, you will be asked to provide a COPY of a current and valid photo ID or a document with your name and current address on it to avoid having to provide identification at the polling place. Note: ID Numbers are confidential and will not be released by any governmental agency. Any person who uses such numbers illegally shall be subject to criminal penalties.
 If you are registering to vote for the first time, you may complete section 8 by providing a contact point or the location where you spend most of your time. If you are a previously affiliated voter who wants to change political party affiliation or become unaffiliated, you must file this form no later than 55 days before the primary election in order to vote in the primary election. Completing section 13 is OPTIONAL and will not affect the acceptance of your voter registration application.
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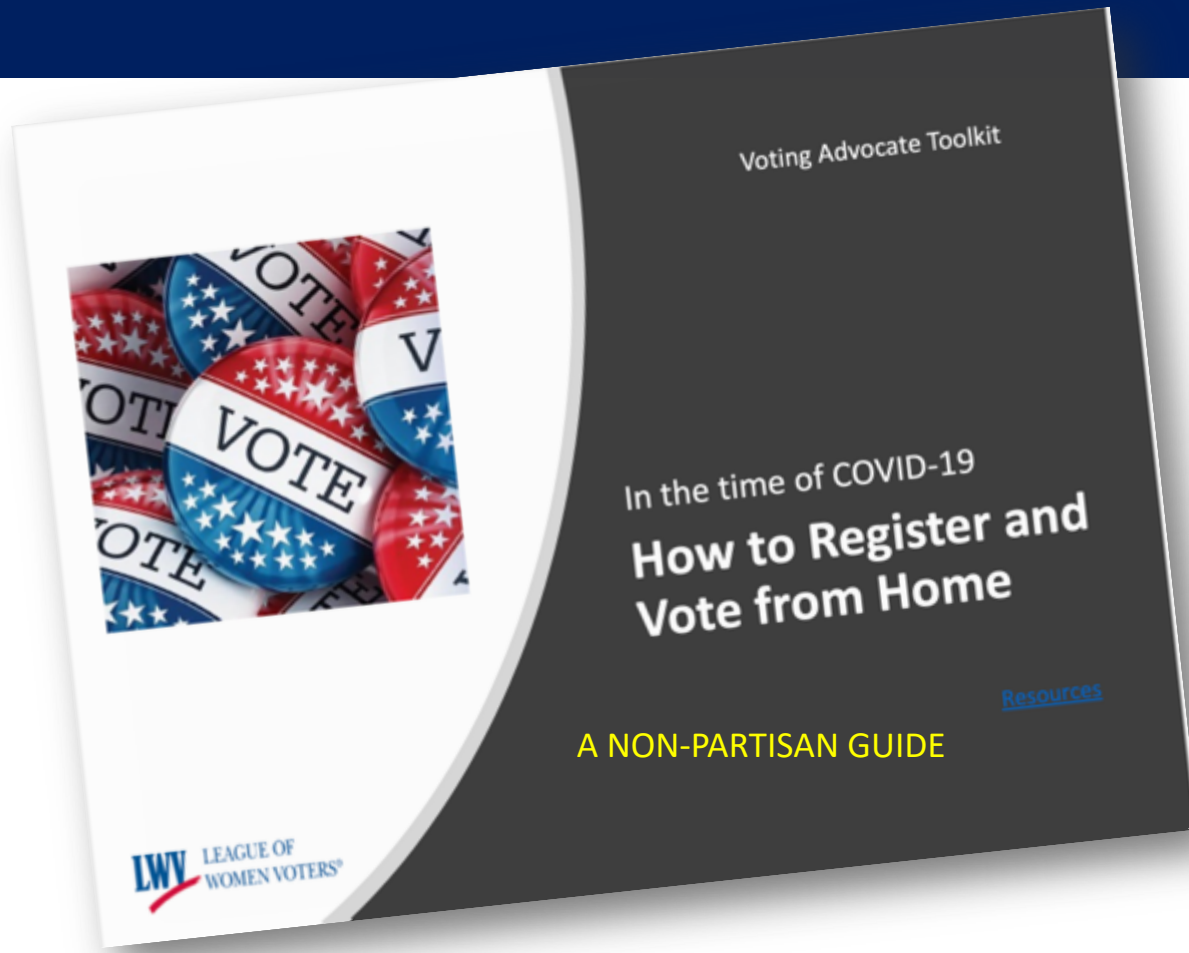
Need More Information? Check boxes below. If you would like to receive more information about:
 voting by mail
 becoming a poll worker
 polling place accessibility
 available election materials in this alternative language: _____

- Adapt workshop based on conditions
- Find community partners to train
- Schedule workshops throughout the county

What you can do

- Attend a workshop
- Find community partners in your networks
- Become an expert and help deliver workshops
- Join our *Voters Service Team*

Virtual Voting Toolkit for General Election

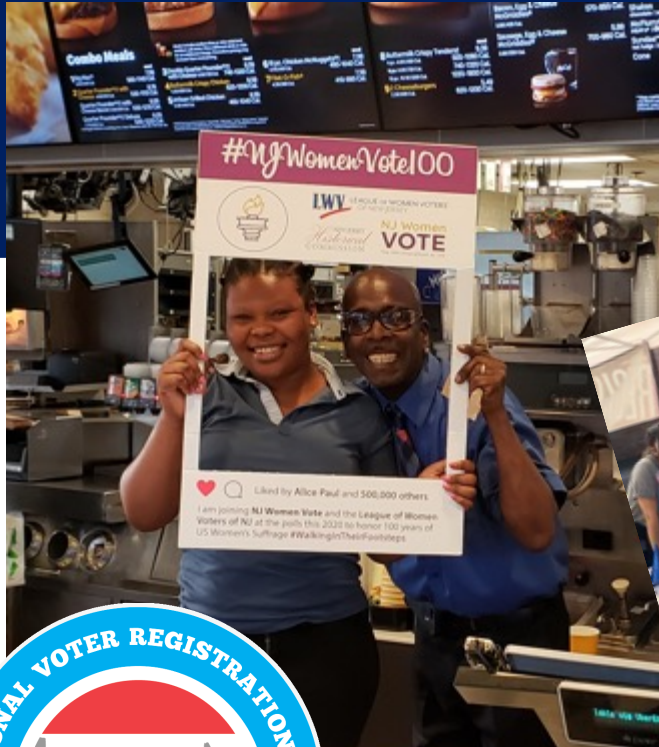


- Update our Voting Advocate Toolkit for November election
- Find audience for webinars
- Hold webinars

What you can do

- Find audiences through your networks
- Join our *Toolkit Planning Team*
- Help present the webinars

Voter Registration



- Explore possibilities in a virtual environment
- Find and equip partners (libraries, churches, community associations, etc.)
- Hold in-person registration drives *when safe*

What you can do

- Become a resource—attend our workshop
- Help find partners through your networks
- Staff in-person registration drives *when safe*
- **Carry voter registration forms with you!**

Candidates' (Virtual) Forums



LWV Princeton Virtual Forum, June 11, 2020

- Create a Virtual Forum checklist
- Define roles
- Hold workshop(s) to prepare volunteers
- Organize and run forums
- Host Moderator training

What you can do

- Attend a workshop and learn the ropes
- Volunteer to help – as an organizer, question screener, time keeper...
- Become a Moderator



For a Voting Reminder

732-927-1131

Text the word *VOTE* to this number and the nonpartisan League of Women Voters will send you election alerts and a voting reminder on or close to Election Day.
(Your number will not be used for any other purpose.)



Voter Turnout

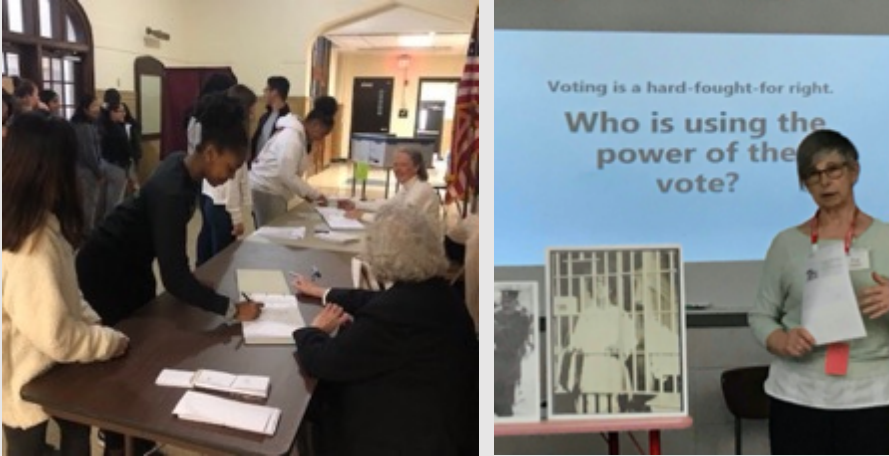
(Primary and General Election)

- Send TEXT reminders
- Coordinate Lyft rides
- Issue voting reminders – press releases, town signs, social media, etc.
- Conduct phone canvassing
- Conditions permitting, door-to-door canvassing

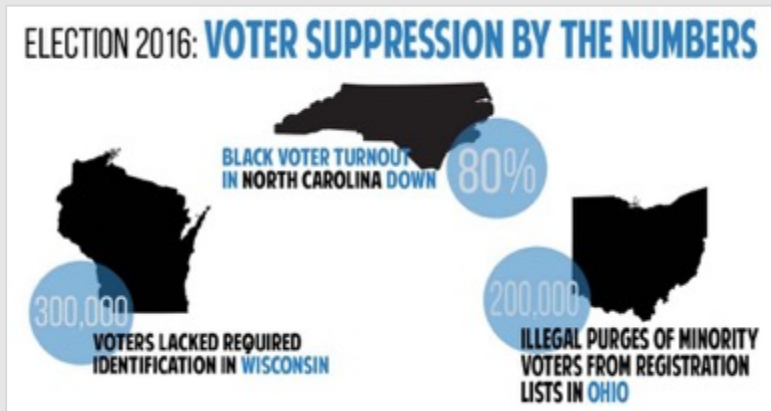
What you can do

- Spread the work about our TEXT number
- Help with texting
- Make calls
- Canvas door to door *when safe*

Fighting for The Vote



- Prepare for both covid post-covid environments
- Recruit and equip presenters
- Adapt materials to the virtual classroom – including updating for the General Election
- Enroll schools



The Pitt News, November 16, 2016

What you can do

- Learn to present or assist
- Use your networks to enroll schools
- Spread the word

Social Justice Action

Reenter. Register. Vote. (RRV)



- Continue statewide leadership within NJ Reentry
- Expand to include other partners
- Expand to reach those incarcerated awaiting trial

What you can do

- Learn about the voting rights of returning citizens and the history of suppression
- Join *our RRV Team*

CAST YOUR VOTE FOR *REENTER-REGISTER-VOTE* FOR THE
LWVUS "BUILDING EQUITABLE PARTNERSHIPS" AWARD

Social Justice Action

Diversity ~ Equity ~ Inclusion



We commit to making deliberate efforts to ensure LWV is a place where differences are welcomed, different perspectives are respectfully heard, and every individual feels a sense of belonging and inclusion. We know that by creating a vibrant climate of inclusiveness, we can more effectively leverage our resources to advance our collective capabilities.

League of Women Voters of the United States

- Establish a Diversity, Equity, Inclusion (DEI) Team
- Develop and schedule a series of interactive workshops to share DEI concepts with members
- Draft and adopt a DEI policy for LWVSMC
- Develop DEI strategy, goals, and action plans

What you can do

- Participate in our DEI workshops
- Join our *DEI Team*
- Help draft our DEI policy
- Extend our outreach

Social Justice Action

LWVNJ Social Justice Committee



- Formed last week
- Two LWVSMC members serve
(Annette Scott and Dianna Harris)
- **What you can do**
 - Stay tuned and find your place as this work unfolds

Support the Census

- Promote Complete Count NJ
- Provide census information along with voter registration information

What you can do

- Complete **YOUR** census
- Encourage friends and family to complete the census
- Learn why the census is so important
- Visit LWVNJ.ORG for details and ideas
- Join our *Census Team*



Fair Redistricting

**Legislative
Districts
2011-2020**



- Support LWVNJ in demanding a fair process to draw new boundaries in 2021
- Educate the public on the issue
- Insist that voters choose their politicians, not the other way around

What you can do

- Learn the issues and help formulate talking points
- Make calls to your state legislators
- Write a “letter to the editor”

**Redistricting Reform
for a Fairer New Jersey**

**FAIR
DISTRICTS
NEW JERSEY**

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Facts and Issues



- Adapt to a virtual environment
(*Zoom interviews*)
- Line up and produce programming

What you can do

- Become a viewer
- Suggest guests and topics
- Help add your municipal cable outlet
(if one exists)
- Spread the word

Public Relations



- Educate
- Advocate
- Enroll

What you can do

- Join our *PR Team*
- Reach out to your local media
- “Like” us on Facebook and share our posts
- Be our twitter or Instagram admin
- Sign us up for your municipal sign

Direction to the Board

