



# UPDATE

Newsletter of the League of Women Voters of Los Alamos

**League of Women Voters of Los Alamos**

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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>CALL TO ANNUAL MEETING</b> <b>April 19, 2016 at Mesa Public Library</b></p>
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## ***Calendar***

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| March 15 | Lunch with a Leader, Tim Glasco, Mesa Public Library, 11:40   |
| March 16 | BPU meeting 5:30 p.m. Municipal Building  |
| March 31 | Board Meeting, Mesa Public Library, noon  |
| April 19 | <b>Annual Meeting &amp; Silent Auction:</b> Lunch with a Leader, Gene Grant; LWVLA annual business meeting, Mesa Public Library, 11:40 a.m.-2:30 p.m. |
| April 28 | Board Meeting, Mesa Public Library, noon  |
| May 21   | LWVNM Council meeting in Los Alamos   |
| May 26   | Board Meeting, Mesa Public Library, noon  |

## ***Lunch with a Leader: Tim Glasco***

Lunch with a Leader in March will feature Tim Glasco, LA County Utilities Manager. Glasco oversees all operations of the department, including electric production and distribution; water production and distribution; natural gas distribution; and the collection and treatment of wastewater. Prior to being tapped Utilities Manager, Glasco served as the Deputy Utilities Manager for Gas, Water and Sewer.

Glasco will discuss where we are in setting up the energy future for Los Alamos County. He will cover the existing Energy Coordination Agreement with the DOE, then move on to the status of our involvement with the San Juan Generating Station and the Laramie River station. We have an interest in both of those coal-fired generating stations, but are looking to exit them in the next 10 years or so. He will also discuss our involvement in the proposed Small Modular Reactor project, a carbon-free base load resource to possibly replace our coal generation assets. Finally, if there is still time he will talk about our involvement with solar and wind generation.

*Karyl Ann Armbruster*

## **LWVLA Board 2015-2016**

**President**, Barbara Calef

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**Membership**, Tarin Nix

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**Arrangements**, Mary van Eeckhout

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**Newsletter**, Kathleen Taylor

**Nominations**, Carroll Thomas, Michael McKay

**Publicity**, Jody Benson

**Webmaster**, Barbara Lemmick

## **President's Message**

The national League asked the local and state Leagues to support "Making Democracy Work" as their top tier priority for the next biennium and not to propose any new studies or updates that would dilute that focus. Los Alamos League members participating in our program planning meeting at Rosmarie Frederickson's home in February agreed. They did ask the LWVUS board to recommend concurrence with the Colorado League's position on behavioral health (<http://lwvcolorado.org/lwv/health-care/>).

At the local level we plan to continue monitoring the activities of the Council and Board of Public Utilities. The League will also follow the effort to develop a new comprehensive plan; the current plan is nearly thirty years old. Among the issues to be considered are the county's future population level, economic diversification, residential density, neighborhood concerns, and how much open space is desired. We recommend that League members participate by attending one of the three meetings next week:

- Monday, March 14, 6:30 p.m. at White Rock Fire Station;
- Wednesday, March 16, 6:00 p.m. at UNM Los Alamos Lecture Hall, Building 2, Room 230; or
- Saturday, March 19, 9 a.m. at Los Alamos Golf Course Community Room.

The League will continue to assist in elections, register voters, produce a voter guide for the general election, and organize candidate forums. Finally, we agreed to propose a study of the pros and cons of repeated proposals to transfer jurisdiction over federal public lands to the state, considering what is the best option for conservation as well as the local economy. At the Annual Meeting on April 19 League members will be asked to adopt the program; Suggestions for additional items or changes are welcome.

*Barbara Calef*

## **Board of Public Utilities March 16**

In January the Board of Public Utilities adopted a definition of "carbon neutral" electrical energy as recommended by the Future Energy Resources Committee (FERC). At the same meeting the board adopted a strategic plan for electrical energy resources based on the recommendations in the FERC report.

At the BPU meeting beginning at 5:30 on March 16 in the Municipal Building the board will consider adoption of a strategic policy for distributed energy resources and rate structure. They will be asked to discuss and vote on thirteen resolutions based on the FERC report. The full agenda is available here:

<http://losalamos.legistar.com/MeetingDetail.aspx?ID=458023&GUID=7294C408-3B9B-4467-AB20-073093879A18&Options=info&Search=>

*Barbara Calef*

## **April 19 Lunch with a Leader**

On April 19 the speaker will be Gene Grant, moderator of New Mexico in Focus, which airs at 7 p.m. Friday nights on PBS. Grant will be talking about politics and the happenings at the Roundhouse during the Legislative session.

*Karyl Ann Armbruster*

## **Annual Meeting**

Following Lunch with a Leader on April 19, we will hold our annual meeting. It will begin at 1 p.m. and end at 2:30. At that time we will review our positions, decide on the program for the following year, approve the budget, and elect a new board. Please mark your calendars!

### **Agenda**

**1:00 p.m. Business Meeting Begins**

**Minutes of the 2015 Meeting (see June 2015 Update)**

**President's Report**

**Membership Report**

**Treasurer's Report**

**Adoption of Local Program (Positions, studies, plans for action)**

**Adoption of the 2017 Budget**

**Election of Officers and Directors**

**Please bring this newsletter to the meeting!**

And bring your checkbook.

**Dues for FY 2016-2017, which begins May 1, will be accepted beginning April 1.** Please fill out the membership form on the back of this newsletter. Remember that if you wish to make a tax-deductible contribution to our Education Fund, you must write a separate check!

## **Silent Auction**

Please plan to participate in this year's Silent Auction during our Annual Meeting. Over the years this activity has raised a significant amount of money for our local programs.

All kinds of contributions are welcome, including artwork, jewelry, books, plants... The sole criteria are that the items should be in good condition and something you'd be delighted to take home yourself. You may set a reserve (minimum) price if you wish. Unsold items will be returned to the donors. Please e-mail me if at [bfcalef\(AT\)gmail\(DOT\)com](mailto:bfcalef@gmail.com) if you have any questions. If you would like to make donations, but aren't able to attend the meeting, please let me know and I'll arrange a pick-up.

Donated items will be on display from 11 a.m. in the library meeting room. Bidding begins at that time and will continue until 1 p.m., when the winning bids will be announced.

*Barbara Calef*

## **Observer Corps Report**

At the February 16<sup>th</sup> meeting, the County Council appointed Bill McKerley as the new Probate Judge to fill the position being vacated by Christine Chandler. The appointed position is only through December of this year, and not for the remaining term, which would have ended in December, 2018. Thus the position of Probate Judge will be on ballot in the General Election. Our County Manager Harry Burgess reported that the Fuller Lodge renovations began in February and were expected to be completed by December; construction of the next segment of the Canyon Rim Trail has been contracted and should be completed by fall; the Central Avenue upgrades will take place this summer; and the Western Area and Denver Steels Phase 2 Improvements will also take place this summer.

At their March 1 meeting, the Council had further discussion about the Capitol Improvement Project list and where the funding should be allocated. They targeted \$20M for a proposed bond issue that would go to a vote in the Spring of 2017. None of this is cast in

concrete. As staff begins to come back with more accurate cost estimates, decisions may change.

At the March 8 meeting, County Councilor Pete Sheehey, who is liaison to the Art in Public Places Board, reported on a ceremony in which the San Ildefonso Pueblo artists returned the six Native American pot replicas, provided by the Board and painted by the artists. These large concrete replicas will be positioned along Highway 4 approaching White Rock, and they should be spectacular.

*Lynn Jones*

## **Report of December LWL: Arin McKenna**

Los Alamos Monitor reporter Arin McKenna revealed at Lunch with a Leader that her background is not in English or journalism; rather, her formal education was in drama! However, she explained, it's hard to find actors and directors who work well together in an ensemble company. McKenna has worked as a massage therapist and tour guide. For 2 ½ years she had a radio show five nights a week focusing on the arts and culture of New Mexico and she still writes about art for the [Santa Fe New Mexican](#).

In her current position McKenna is the County Reporter and she explained her approach to "getting to the heart of the story." She records the County Council and other meetings, at the same time taking notes of particularly interesting details. Listening is very important. She focuses on what she feels is important, and will often do research following the meeting. Her initial draft of an article tends to be very long, so the final step is to hone the narrative.

McKenna pointed out that advocates are well advised to follow the same approach as an investigative journalist in pursuing a desired outcome. They should listen, consider whom they are addressing, and do the research. She warned League members not to rely on second hand information, to go to the source of a

quotation or data. Then to make an effective argument, they should "get rid of the superfluous, be concise to be powerful."

Asked what she most admired about Los Alamos, McKenna listed the efforts of the County Council to have open meetings, listen to the citizens, get the word out, and their practice of explaining their decisions. The downside of living in Los Alamos is that the community is insular, residents don't experience the cultural richness of the state.

*Barbara Calef*

## **LWV Los Alamos Positions**

Every year League members are asked to re-adopt our existing positions. Please read them before the meeting.

### **SUSTAINABILITY (Adopted 1995; Revised 1997, 2004, 2008, 2015)**

The League of Women Voters of Los Alamos endorses the concept of a sustainable society as a preamble for all of its current and new positions. We define a sustainable society as one that satisfies its own needs without jeopardizing the prospects of future generations. We aspire to make our society more sustainable by preserving and respecting its interdependence with the natural world. A sustainable society protects nature. Our society should offer all individuals a clean environment including pure water, unpolluted air, and sufficient sources of renewable energy to provide for their physical needs. Our society should distribute scarce resources equitably so that conflicts over them are minimized. Every working person should be paid a living wage.

### **PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION (Adopted 1965; Revised 1991, 2004, 2008, 2012, 2013)**

The League of Women Voters of Los Alamos believes that public transportation is an essential element of a sustainable society in so far as it conserves natural resources and decreases

pollution. Public transportation is also important economically and socially as an alternative to the current norm of one commuter per car. Public transportation can benefit all citizens including workers, students, the elderly, and persons with disabilities. Public transportation should be affordable, convenient and reliable. The County should extend the existing County system and continue to subsidize and support the expansion of the regional system.

In order to sustain clean air and healthy ways of living, an emphasis should be placed on developing infrastructure to encourage pedestrians and cyclists. Land use decisions should support this emphasis by promoting higher density mixed-use development.

## **ENVIRONMENT (Adopted 2012, Revised 2014)**

The League of Women Voters of Los Alamos believes that our natural environment is integral to our community's unique sense of place and to our well-being and prosperity.

- We support protection of this environment, including the canyons and other open space, vistas, wildlife habitat, and dark skies.
- To improve ecosystem health and community livability, we support wherever possible "Green Infrastructure." EPA defines this as "... an array of products, technologies, and practices that use natural systems – or engineered systems that mimic natural processes – to enhance overall environmental quality.... Green Infrastructure techniques use soils and vegetation to infiltrate, evapotranspire, and/or recycle storm water runoff."

### **Further Guidelines**

The LWVLA supports final review, adoption and implementation of the current draft Open Space Plan, which develops a system of designated open space to protect scenic vistas and memorable landscapes; recreational, natural and cultural resources; and significant wildlife corridors and habitats.

- We support adoption of a Rendija Canyon master plan that reserves the transfer land for recreational uses only.
- We support adoption of a storm water management plan that employs green infrastructure strategies, such as infiltration planters, vegetated swales, tree boxes, and rain gardens.
- We support adding green spaces in the downtown with landscaped road edges, medians, parking lots, and pocket parks.
- We support limiting the use of herbicides in open space areas, as well as along roadsides where mowing and planting native grasses can be as effective.
- We support a policy of zero increase in runoff beyond the natural rate for commercial and private property.
- We support implementation of all goals in the Protect the Environment section of the LAC Comprehensive Plan adopted by the Council in 2005.

Execution of the actions suggested in Further Guidelines will improve the quality of our air and water.

## **SUSTAINABLE WATER (Adopted 2009; Revised 2012, 2014)**

League of Women Voters of Los Alamos (LWVLA) believes that the goal of our county should be to use no more water than can be produced from our aquifer without depleting it. In order to achieve this goal, decisions about growth must consider water use. Even with the current population in Los Alamos, conservation is essential.

For the sake of the public welfare, the County should be guided in all decisions by the following policies:

- Encourage conservation and efficiency of use.
- Preserve riparian ecosystems and wetlands.
- Preserve public lands, water, and open space.

### **Further Guidelines**

To reduce per capita consumption, we support:

- economic incentives,

- codification of standards for all new construction,
- encouraging conservation practices for existing homes.

We support the County's efforts to apply water efficiency standards in new construction, to reduce leaks, and to irrigate the parks with wastewater effluent. The Department of Public Utilities (DPU) should educate consumers about best irrigation practices, including how to use gray water, and should provide economic incentives to conserve. Although it might reduce the cost of production, we do not support prescribed watering days as a water conservation measure. We do recommend implementing an inclined block rate ordinance.

Residential conservation and vigilance on the part of the DPU will not suffice to achieve sustainability. The LWVLA advocates:

- requiring growth or development to be compatible with the availability of water for the indefinite future without requiring the diversion of the San Juan-Chama water;
- careful monitoring and continuing study of the aquifer;
- increased efforts by the County to participate in and assure that regional and state plans are sustainable;
- engaging the public in the water budget process.

The LWVLA recommends that the County take any necessary action to maintain its quota of San Juan-Chama water until a decision is made to build the infrastructure needed to utilize it, and that any plans for use of the water be designed to minimize the impact on White Rock Canyon.

### **AFFORDABLE HOUSING (Adopted 1996; Revised 2003, 2008)**

The League of Women Voters of Los Alamos supports the development and rehabilitation of affordable housing in the county. LWV Los Alamos believes that affordable housing units should be integrated into neighborhoods

throughout Los Alamos County. New developments should have a mix of market-rate and affordable units.

We acknowledge that some type of subsidy by the county is required to achieve affordable prices.

Effective methods to keep these units affordable when they are resold must be in place if we are to retain a stock of affordable housing. For instance, land provided as a subsidy could be retained in a trust.

### **FULLER LODGE (Adopted 1992, Revised 2004)**

The League of Women Voters of Los Alamos believes that Fuller Lodge should be used primarily for civic and cultural activities. Activities not open to the general public should be charged at a rate comparable to that charged by local businesses for equivalent space. Activities open to the general public should be charged at a lower rate.

The County should continue to be responsible for the maintenance, restoration, and protection of the Lodge

### **MEDICALLY INDIGENT FUND (Adopted 1988; Revised 2004, 2008)**

The League of Women Voters of Los Alamos supports the County ordinance establishing the Indigent Health Care Fund. Desirable features of such an ordinance include:

1. A limit for the amount of reimbursement.
2. Provisions for changes in this limit because of changing medical costs or demands on the fund.
3. Possible reimbursement of costs beyond hospital and ambulance services.
4. Consideration of for-profit health care providers, but with non-profit facilities given first consideration.

## **LAND USE & TRANSPORTATION: RESIDENTIAL NEIGHBORHOODS**

(adopted Oct. 31, 2013)

LWVLA supports the development of residential neighborhoods that are sustainable and livable. To achieve those goals, we believe that new and redeveloped neighborhoods should be designed to minimize sprawl and impact on the natural environment. Neighborhoods should support a diverse population with inviting streets and public spaces as well as access to public transportation.

### **Further Guidelines:**

1. Where to build (efficient use of land that minimizes sprawl)

- Neighborhoods near the downtown should be compact.
- New development should not consume or fragment important natural habitats or wildlife corridors; it should be avoided on steep slopes or in canyons.
- Redevelopment of “brownfields” and infill are preferred over new development in pristine landscapes. However, existing small neighborhood parks should be maintained or enhanced to reflect the unique character of the neighborhood.
- Neighborhoods should be situated along available public transit lines and within easy access of daily activities.

2. What to build (neighborhood pattern/design)

- Cluster homes to make transit more viable and to create walkable neighborhoods.
- Design streets and pathways for safe and pleasant walking/biking within neighborhood.
- Include a range of housing types/sizes to support diverse neighborhood population; include a mix of affordable housing within each neighborhood.

- Encourage ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) designs in individual homes to accommodate all ages and abilities.
- Encourage the preservation of the positive character/architecture unique to each neighborhood.
- The developer should include quality parks, trails, and public spaces within each neighborhood; the option of allowing payment in lieu of parks provision should be restricted.

3. How to build (how to manage environmental impacts)

- Reduce storm water runoff and eliminate pollution sources.
- Emphasize energy and water efficiency of streets and buildings; plan orientation of buildings to optimize solar gain.
- Reuse older buildings to reduce energy and resource use as appropriate.
- Encourage building materials that support high indoor air quality and are sourced sustainably.
- Encourage appropriate landscaping based on native and xeric plants; create a streetscape with shade trees appropriate for our climate.
- Minimize light pollution.

### **Education (Adopted 2015)**

The League of Women Voters of Los Alamos believes that a strong, collaborative relationship between K-12 education leaders and citizens must exist in order for the school district to successfully deliver education services meeting community standards. This belief is consistent with the League of Women Voters expectations for the relationship between citizens and all government entities.

As an elected body, the School Board should actively solicit and weigh heavily community

input when making strategic planning and funding decisions. In order for citizens to provide educated and meaningful feedback, they need to be involved in the strategic planning process and have access to information about the district's direction, the issues it faces, and its financial situation.

The strategic plan describes how the School Board addresses the needs of the children, including but not limited to academic goals, class size, enrichment programs (i.e., art, music, and athletics), vocational training, special education, and counseling. The strategic plan also discusses the facilities plans, enrollment trends, current financial budget, 5-year financial forecast, community involvement plan, and public communication plan.

In order for the School Board to solicit and incorporate community input into their strategic planning and annual budgeting processes, communication mechanisms need to be created and maintained as an essential part of the board's business activities. Examples of communication mechanisms that achieve this objective are: community surveys; a formal strategic planning process that incorporates citizen input; an Open Forum-type online feedback service; Facebook and other social media; and smaller district meetings between school board members and constituents.

In order for the community to learn about and participate in strategic planning and funding decisions, the School Board needs to routinely provide relevant information to the public as a normal part of the board's business activities. That information would include: issues, options and data provided in advance of decision making deadlines; reporting on decisions made; and access to key policy documents like budgets and the strategic plan. The LAPS website should be the board's primary communication vehicle. To be effective, it needs to have the following

characteristics: easily found, accessible 24x7, and possessing a robust search capability. Examples of other communication mechanisms that can be utilized include: broadcasting board meetings on PAC 8; sending email newsletters to subscribers; using smart phone apps to share information with community members; and using local media to communicate open issues and final decisions. The information presented should be in a format that is understandable to the typical citizen, and be timely and relevant to the issues.

### ***Proposed* BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2016-17**

President: Wendee Brunish

1<sup>st</sup> VP: *not filled*

2nd VP: Rebecca Shankland

Treasurer: Kathy Taylor

Secretary: Barbara Calef

### **Directors**

Reservations: Amy Birnbaum

Lunch with a Leader: Karyl Ann Armbruster

Membership: Tarin Nix

Voter Services: Lynn Jones

Board of Public Utilities Observer: Julie

Williams-Hill

Publicity: Jody Benson

Director at Large: Akkana Peck

Director at Large: Rosmarie Frederickson

### **Off Board Directors**

Arrangements: Mary Van Eeckhout

Fundraising: not filled

Webmaster: Barbara Lemmick

Assistant Webmaster: Julie Williams-Hill

Observer Corps: Lynn Jones

Newsletter Editor: Kathy Taylor

Nominating Committee: Carroll Thomas, Tarin Nix

League of Women Voters of Los Alamos						
	Adopted FY16 Budget		Actual Expenses 03/01/15 to 2/29/16		Proposed FY17 Budget 5/1/2016 to 4/30/2017	
	General	Ed Fund	General	Ed Fund	General	Ed Fund
<b>EXPENSE</b>						
<b>A. Administration</b>						
1. President's Funds	\$40.00				\$40.00	
2. Secretary	\$20.00				\$20.00	
3. Treasurer	\$30.00		4.00		\$30.00	
4. Board tools	\$00.00		\$92.00		\$25.00	
5. Communications						
a. Newsletter	\$100.00				\$100.00	
b. Webpage	\$200.00		\$0.00			
6. Other Administrative	0		\$5.00			
c. Refreshments	20				\$0.00	
d. Travel	150		10.00		\$0.00	
e. Miscellaneous					85.00	
<b>Total Administration</b>	<b>\$660.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$14.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$195.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>B. Per Member Payment (PMP)</b>						
1. State	\$793.00		\$799.50		\$695.50	
2. National	\$1936.00		\$1,966.00		\$1,712.00	
<b>Total PMP</b>	<b>\$2,729.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$2,767.50</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$2,407.500</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>C. Committees</b>						
1. Fundraising	\$100.00				\$100.00	
2. Membership	\$100.00		\$187.00		\$0.00	
3. Lunch with a Leader	\$150.00		\$146.49		\$150.00	
4. Arrangements	\$50.00		\$0.090		\$50.00	
<b>Total Committees</b>	<b>\$400.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$333.49</b>		<b>\$300.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>D. Position Support</b>						
1. National	\$20.00				\$20.00	
2. State	\$20.00				\$20.00	
3. Local	\$20.00				\$20.00	
<b>Total Position Support</b>	<b>\$60.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$60.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>E. Convention, Council, &amp; other travel</b>						
1. National Convention	\$0.00		\$133.91			
2. State Council	\$50.00		\$000		\$1,990.00	
3. State Convention	\$850.00				\$40.00	
4. LWVLA Annual Meeting	\$05.00				\$0.00	
<b>Total Travel</b>	<b>\$700.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$133.91</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$2,030.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>F. Program</b>						
1. Voters' Services	\$100.00	\$500.00		\$705.18	\$100.00	\$3,400.00
2. Sustainability	\$0.00	\$300.00	\$700.00		\$0.00	\$0.00
3. Local Government	\$0.00				\$0.00	
4. Land Use	\$0.00	\$300.00				
5. Citizens United	\$0.00				\$0.00	

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	General	Ed Fund	General	Ed Fund	General	Ed Fund
6. Transfer Federal Lands					\$150.00	
7. Other Program					\$150.00	
<b>Total Program</b>	<b>\$250.00</b>	<b>\$3,800.00</b>	<b>\$700.00</b>	<b>\$705.18</b>	<b>\$400.00</b>	<b>\$3,400.00</b>
<b>G. Other</b>						
1. Ed Fund pass-through	\$0.00	(\$600.00)	\$0.00	95.00	\$0.00	0.0
2. Memorials	\$0.00				\$0.00	
3. LWVNM state convention	\$0.00				\$0.00	
<b>Total Other</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>(\$0.00)</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$95.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$4799.00</b>	<b>\$3,100.00</b>	<b>\$3,948.90</b>	<b>\$800.18</b>	<b>\$5,392.50</b>	<b>\$3,400.00</b>
<b>INCOME</b>						
<b>A. Dues</b>						
1. Regular	\$1260.00				\$1800.00	
2. Sustaining	\$975.00				\$675.00	
3. Household	\$390.00				\$260.00	
4. Household Sustaining	\$665.00				\$665.00	
<b>Total Dues</b>	<b>\$3290.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$3,700.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$3,400.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>B. Contributions</b>						
1. Members	\$300.00	\$600.00	0	\$185.00	\$300.00	\$600.00
2. Non-members	\$500.00	\$1,000.00	0	\$50.00	\$500.00	\$1,000.00
3. Businesses		\$500.00		\$120.00		\$500.00
<b>Total Contributions</b>	<b>\$800.00</b>	<b>\$2,100.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$355.00</b>	<b>\$800.00</b>	<b>\$2,100.00</b>
<b>C. Miscellaneous</b>						
1. Ed Fund Reimbursement	\$1100.00	\$0.00	\$	245.72		\$1,300.00
2. LWVNM convention						
3. Interest	\$1.00		\$0.53		\$1.00	
4. Forum partners	\$90.00		\$89.50	186.25	\$150.00	
<b>Total Miscellaneous</b>	<b>\$1191.50</b>	<b>\$00.00</b>	<b>\$0.535</b>	<b>\$431.97</b>	<b>\$151.00</b>	<b>\$1,300.00</b>
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<b>\$5281.00</b>	<b>\$2100.00</b>	<b>\$3,700.005</b>	<b>\$786.97</b>	<b>\$4,351.00</b>	<b>\$3,400.00</b>
<b>INCOME-EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$482.00</b>	<b>\$1,000.00</b>	<b>(\$248.37)</b>	<b>(\$13.21)</b>	<b>(\$1,041.50)</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>



LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF LOS ALAMOS
MEMBERSHIP FORM

Mail to: LWV Los Alamos
P.O. Box 158
Los Alamos, NM 87544

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Check here if you are willing to receive our local newsletter Update as an electronic file, saving us postage.

Check here if you wish to receive friendly reminders of upcoming events by e-mail.

Membership Categories

Single membership: \$45

Household membership (two+ people at the same address): \$65

Single Sustaining membership: \$75

Household Sustaining membership (two+ people at the same address): \$95

Note: Membership checks should be payable to LWV-Los Alamos

Additional ways to support the local League

Unrestricted contribution (not tax deductible): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

LWV Education Fund (tax deductible): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Note: Checks for tax-deductible contributions must be payable to LWVLA Education Fund and not combined with any other payments.

Interests (check as many as apply)

- One-time activities (unit meetings, fund-drive mailings, etc.)
Affordable Housing
Budget, Finances
Elections
Local Government
Health Care
Money in Politics
Website, social media
Other (please suggest)
Education
Living Wage
Voting Rights/Voter Services
Public Relations
Newsletter
Membership
Transportation
Not sure (I just support LWV)

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