



*Democracy in Action Across Washington State | News from the League of Women Voters of WA*



## To Do List

- May and June are graduation season—congratulate the grads in your life and help them make sure they're registered to vote wherever they go next. Visit [Vote411.org](https://Vote411.org) for comprehensive voter information anywhere in the country.
- Do you need answers about the League, elections, or state government? [Submit your questions](#) and we may feature it in a future post on Facebook or Instagram!



## Upcoming Events

### 6.21 WED | LWVWA Redistricting Reform Taskforce Meeting

LWVWA is working to reimagine and reform the Washington State redistricting process. All individuals and organizational representatives are invited to join every third Wednesday of the month. [Click here](#) to register or learn more.



## Around the League



### Letter from the President

LWVWA President Mary Coltrane explains how the League's structure reflects its (small "d") democratic values. As we begin a new biennial cycle of League work, it is important to reflect on our commitment to the League's mission, nonpartisanship, and diversity, equity, and inclusion.

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### **LWVWA's Local News Study Featured on *Inside Olympia***

On May 25, Immediate Past President Lunell Haught joined LWVWA's Local News Study Co-Chair Dee Ann Finken on [TVW's \*Inside Olympia with Austin Jenkins\*](#). They discussed a wide range of topics, from the League's grassroots consensus process to the importance of newspapers to our democracy, and the scale of the crisis of local news in Washington state.

[Watch The Discussion](#)

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### **Voter Services Meets with SOS Office**

On May 24, local League representatives met with Lucy Barefoot, Voter Education and Outreach Specialist from the Secretary of State's office. Lucy explained how the Secretary of State's office is expanding, discussed upcoming changes to WA elections, and answered questions.

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### Civic Education Partnerships

The League of Women Voters of Washington recently held its biennial convention with several plenary sessions, workshops, and caucuses. The two civic education workshops focused on partnerships—with schools, with youth organizations, and with community groups.

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### Join Your Local League

The League of Women Voters, a nonpartisan political organization, encourages the informed and active participation of citizens in government, works to increase understanding of major public policy issues, and influences public policy through education and advocacy. Any person 16 and older may become a voting member of the League.

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### Support the League

We're able to continue our mission of empowering voters and defending democracy because of support from folks like you. Show your support by donating to the League of Women Voters of Washington right now!

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