

103RD ANNUAL MEETING

SATURDAY, MAY 31, 2025

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8:45 A.M.

"Rising Strong Together: We are LWVGR!"

8:45 a.m.

Check-in, choose your beverage and boxed meal, socialize Rose·Bud·Thorn activity

9:45 a.m.

Break and view Committee Tables

Membership (check-in table in foyer)

Communications, Education, Environmental, Gun Violence Prevention,

Healthcare, Immigration, Local Government, Voter Service

10:10-10:40 a.m. Suffrage Plaza activity

10:45 a.m.
LWVGR Annual Business Meeting

11:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Clean up and member portraits

Meeting reservation and payment must be paid and received by Tuesday, May 21, 2025 \$20.00 for members and guests. RSVP at https://lwvgr.org/103rd-lwvgr-annual-meeting-2025/.

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Questions? Email billing@lwvgr.org

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Saturday, May 31, 2025



AGENDA

Call to Order

Sue Theden, President

Motion to Adopt Roberts Rules of Order

Announcement of LWVGR Scholarship Recipient

Minutes of the June 1, 2024 Meeting

Valerie Hanserd, Secretary
Action Item: Acceptance of 2024 Minutes

Financial Report

Christina Hiltrop, Treasurer Action Item: Approve Proposed Budget 2025-2026

President's Report

Sue Theden, President

Membership Committee

Teresa Hill, Membership Chair

New Business

Action Item: Approve by-laws amendment Linda Miller, Bylaws Committee

Action Item: Election of the 2025-2027 LWVGR Board Christina Hiltrop, Nominating Committee Chair

Introduction of the 2025-2027 LWVGR Board Christina Hiltrop, Nominating Committee Chair

Recognition and Awards Sue Theden, President

Adjournment





LWVGR Mail-in Annual Meeting Form

103rd LWVGR Annual Meeting • YMCA Log Lodge • Sat., May 31, 2025, 8:45 a.m. - 12 Noon

This is a different, more casual, approach for the Annual Meeting. Instead of a speaker, the focus is on fun activities to promote local League committee participation. Breakfast is a delicious boxed meal from Mary's Market, with fruit, yogurt, coffee, and juice/water. Breakfast sandwich choices: □ veggie wrap, or □ bacon, or □ ham, or □ sausage sandwiches with eggs and Hollandaise sauce. The annual meeting is \$20 per attendee. There is a limit of 100 attendees, so order soon. Order online at https://lwvgr.org/103rd-lwvgr-annual-meeting-2025/ (preferred)

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League of Women Voters Greater Rockford 102nd Annual Meeting Minutes from June 1, 2024

Program

President Sue Theden welcomed attendees and acknowledged distinguished guests that were in attendance: former Mayor Doug Scott, City of Rockford, Mayor Tom McNamara, City of Rockford Atty. Nick Meyers, 6th Ward Alderwoman Aprel Prunty, 12th Ward Alderwoman Gina Meeks, and Winnebago County Board Member District 18 Valerie Hanserd. She introduced the City of Rockford 2024 Youth Poet Laureate Trinity Rucker. Trinity recited two (2) poems, "Years and Years" and "Our Time."

Jo Minor introduced our keynote speaker, Natasha Korecki, NBC News Senior National Political Correspondent. She addressed our theme, "Politics in Our Nation: An Insider's Perspective." She spoke of her experience and that of women in journalism today and twenty years ago. Journalism was once revered. Today with social media outlets, the extreme is loud and wants to be heard. She encouraged us all to support local journalism with paid subscriptions. Her experience as a woman journalist has taken her in places where she feared for her life but would do it all again. She fielded questions from the attendees.

Annual Meeting

President Sue Theden called the meeting to order at 10:57 a.m. She requested a motion to adopt the Roberts Rules of Order. Motion made by V.P. Jennifer Blaisdell, seconded by Carol Davies, motion carried. All in favor replied with "Aye," those opposed said "Nay." The ayes have it. Roberts Rules of Order was adopted.

LWVGR Scholarship Coordinator, Janie Wilson-Cook, announced Timberlyn Turner, a 2024 graduate of Auburn High School, as our 2024 recipient of the \$1,000 LWVGR Scholarship. She was unable to attend due to a prior engagement.

Recording Secretary Valerie Hanserd requested a motion to accept the minutes of the 2023 Annual Meeting. Motion made by Rhonda Greer Robinson, seconded by Patty Stadelman, motion carried. All in favor to accept the minutes replied with "Aye," those opposed say "Nay." The ayes have it. Minutes have been accepted.

Treasurer Christina Hiltrop read the financial report. She also asked the members to fill out the card provided to list their

emergency contact number. She requested a motion to approve the 2024-2025 proposed budget. Motion made by Vice-President Jennifer Blaisdell, seconded by Jo Minor, motion carried. All in favor of accepting the 2024-2025 proposed budget replied with "Aye," those opposed said "Nay." The ayes have it. The 2024-2025 Budget has been approved.

President Sue Theden gave her report of the year in the League. During this primary election cycle, the Government Committee hosted several Candidate Meet & Greets. The Education Committee provided democracy lessons to 5th graders, the Gun Violence Prevention Committee hosted two panels on gun violence prevention, the revision of our dues structure will include a sliding scale. In 2025, the National LWV dues structure will be in effect. We have restarted our Health Committee to focus on mental health. With the passing of Voter Services Committee Co-Chair Dee Dee Soderberg, Carol Bailey became the Chair of Voter Services Committee.

Membership Committee Chair Teresa Hill reported 62 renewals by May 21. The total roster is at 134 with 75 present today including one of our 50-year member, Faye Marcus. The newest member added to the 50-Year Club is Dawn Hallsten. She welcomed the young members and encouraged them to engage more young people to join the League. In closing, Teresa asked for volunteers to help at the LWVGR tent after the 4th of July parade and table.

Recognition and Awards: Sue introduced the five nominees that were nominated for the Mildred Berry Award. Carol Bailey, Teresa Hill, Christina Hiltrop, Faye Marcus, and Jo Minor followed by a flower presentation to each of them. She then announced this year's recipient of the Mildred Berry Award to Christina Hiltrop.

- Sue called for a motion for adjournment. Motion made by Teresa Hill, seconded by Carol Davies, motion carried.
- Adjournment at 11:26 a.m.

Respectfully submitted, Valerie Hanserd, Recording Secretary





Proposed Change to LWVGR By-laws

FROM:

Article III - Membership

*Sec. 2 Membership: Voting members: Persons at least age 16 years of age who join the League shall be voting members of LWVGR, LWVIL, and of the LWVUS.

Members who enroll in LWVGR shall pay annual dues to LWVGR as determined by the LWVGR.

Honorary Life Membership shall be granted to any member of the LWVGR who has been a member of the LWVUS for fifty (50) years or more. No further dues will be required and all privileges shall be retained.

All others who join the League shall be associate members.

*Amendment to Conform By-Laws Adopted at LWVUS Convention 2016

Change LWVGR Bylaws TO:

Article III - Membership

Sec. 2. Types of Membership.



- 1. Voting Members. Persons of at least 16 years of age who join the League shall be voting members of LWVGR, LWVIL, and of the LWVUS. Those who have been members of the League for 50 years or more shall be honorary life members, excused from the payment of dues. Those who are students are defined as individuals enrolled as full or part time with an accredited institution.
- 2. Associate Members. All others who join the League shall be associate members.

Proposed Slate of LWVGR Board of Directors

TERM JUNE 2025 THROUGH MAY 2027

Presented by the Nominating Committee: Diane Cushing, Carol Davies, Chris Hiltrop, Claire McIntyre

President.....Jennifer Blaisdell

Vice President......Gwen Lashock

Secretary.....Ruth Swanson

TreasurerSue Theden

Membership Co-Chairs*.....Teresa Hill & Kendra Asbury

Voter Services ChairCarol Bailey

Communications Chair......Joan Sage

Member at LargePatty Stadelman

Member at LargePaulette Gilbert

Member at LargeChris Hiltrop (Interim Asst. Treasurer)**

- * Co-Chairs share one seat on the board and get one vote. They will come to a consensus on who attends board meetings and when.
- ** Interim Assistant Treasurer: Chris Hiltrop will be a temporary Member-at-Large on the Board of Directors to ensure a successful transition of the treasurer's position for approximately six months. Then the Member-at-Large position may be filled by a majority vote of the remaining members of the Board of Directors.

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President's Report



Sue Theden President. LWVGR

As we close another impactful year, I'm pleased to share highlights of what we've accomplished together. Thanks to your passion and dedication. LWVGR has grown stronger, expanded its reach, and made a real difference across Winnebago and Boone Counties.

The League of Women Voters of Greater Rockford is a nonpartisan, grassroots organization defending

democracy and empowering voters through local advocacy, education, and community engagement.

Advocacy and Education Highlights

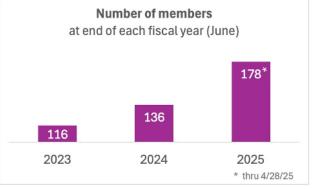
Immigration: As an experienced immigration attorney, and Chair of the Immigration Committee, Sara Dady has brought exceptional leadership and expertise to the LWVGR Immigration Committee during a critical time in our nation's history.

One major accomplishment was the March 4 "Light 4 Our Democracy" rally at Rockford City Hall, which united 200 League members, local leaders, and community members in a powerful show of support for democracy and immigrant rights. The committee's work significantly raised public awareness and strengthened LWVGR's advocacy presence.

Mental Health: A new joint committee with Eliminate Racism 815, led by Becky Cook Kendall, a retired healthcare executive, and Jennifer Blaisdell, a school

> psychologist, helped inform voters about the 0.5% mental health sales tax, which passed following a well-attended public forum.

Gun Violence Prevention: New Chair Reverend Danice Loveridge led the committee in a consensus study which led to policy recommendations submitted to LWVIL. The committee also launched a youth



Year in Review

Tremendous Growth

Our membership grew by 30% this year to 178 members—a 53% increase over two years. Special thanks to Membership Chair Teresa Hill and many others for connecting and energizing our membership through gatherings, events, and communication initiatives.

Voter Services Excellence

Under Carol Bailey's leadership, our Voter Services Committee has registered 2,002 voters—twice last year's total—with 74% from high school and college outreach. The team hosted 55 events, including the first Stateline High School Voter Registration Challenge and expanded outreach at naturalization ceremonies.

Local Government Engagement

Co-Chairs Terri Schierer and Teresa Hill and their committee hosted ten candidate Meet & Greets and partnered with Go Vote 815 coalition members to combine seven of them with educational forums, drawing 700+ attendees. We also successfully advocated at City Hall to retain the "Rockford - All People Are Welcome" sign. A League member also recorded a "Perpectives" editorial on WNIJ/Northern Public Radio.

Other, 136 Newly **Naturalized** Citizens, 315

Students, 1551

Voter Registration 2024-25 Total: 2002 Environmental Issues: Chair Patricia Kenney and committee hosted a public forum on water safety and provided ongoing education through monthly tips.

gun violence prevention project, backed by \$22,000 in grant

funding from the Kjellstrom Family Foundation/ NICNE and the Kiwanis Club of Rockford.

> Federal Judiciary Consensus: LWVGR hosted a Federal Judiciary Forum as part of the national League consensus process.

Thirty-six members attended a lively and educational discussion, guided by an expert panel of Sara Dady, Kate Cross, and Keith Syfert organized and moderated by Claire Flynn McIntyre. Our League's input will contribute to LWVUS's new position on the federal judiciary.



(President's Report, continued)

Outreach and Visibility

Thanks to Communications Chair Joan Sage, our presence in local media grew significantly. We also mailed 1,000 postcards encouraging civic participation, supported by a grassroots "stamp-a-thon" that collected 1,155 stamps in three weeks.

Structural Changes

Membership dues are now managed via LWVUS on a rolling basis.

The National League in Action app was launched.

Started transition from IllinoisVoterGuide.org to Vote411.org.

These updates are designed to modernize operations and enhance accessibility for members and voters alike.

Honoring Legacy and Leadership

We honor Colleen Holmbeck for 65 years of League membership and her tradition of gifting pocket-sized Constitutions to new members. Her commitment to civic education continues to inspire.

I am grateful for the dedicated leadership of the LWVGR **Board of Directors:**

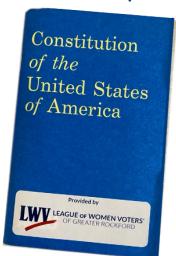
Jennifer Blaisdell, Vice President Chris Hiltrop, Treasurer Valerie Hanserd, Secretary Paulette Gilbert, Member-at-Large Patty Stadelman, Member-at-Large Teresa Hill, Membership Chair Carol Bailey, Voter Services Chair Joan Sage, Communications Chair

Looking Forward

Our League remains financially sound, civically engaged, and ready for continued growth. As we begin our 103rd year, our 2025 Annual Meeting theme-"Rising Strong Together"-captures our vision for the future. We'll continue to champion inclusive policies and equitable access to democracy throughout Greater Rockford and beyond.

Thank you to every member who volunteered. advocated, and engaged. The League was built on activism—and together, we carry that legacy forward.

With gratitude, Sue Theden, President, League of Women Voters of Greater Rockford



Committee Reports

○ Communication Committee

The Communications Committee is responsible for keeping League members, the media, and public informed about the activities and events hosted, sponsored and cosponsored by the League of Women Voters of Greater Rockford. This is done through email list servers, the League website, news releases, flyers, posters, signs, and Social Media including Blue Sky, FaceBook, Instagram, and YouTube. We work with all media outlets in Winnebago and Boone Counties. Coverage of our events has been excellent - we are grateful. The League partnered with WNIU/WNIJ and students expanding the awareness of issues relating to our democracy, utilizing policy information from both the United States League and the Illinois League. The League has a blog and is interested in expanding it. Anyone interested in working on the blog should email communications@lwvgr.org with your thoughts and topics.

- : This work is done by Committee Members:
- Janie Wilson Cook is both our Webmaster and graphic designer for flyers, posters, postcards, and administers digital communications.
- •Teresa Hill manages our Social Media, is our videographer, and does research for our posts.
- Maria Palmeri coordinates printing projects.

New members getting started on the committee include: Kendra Asbury, Gabrielle Torina, Megan Larson Freeman, Michael Freeman.

If you have experience with websites, list servers, social media, graphic design, Canva, new releases or media, feel free to email communications@lwvgr.org or call Joan at (815)979-0621. As our work continues to increase, we would like to expand the size of our group. Please join us!

Respectfully submitted,

Joan Sage, Chair, **Communications Committee**

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Committee Reports (continued)

M Diversity Committee

The Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) Committee seeks to promote diversity and pluralism through its programs, committees, and through coalitions of which it is a member. DEI is central to the organization's current and future success in engaging all individuals, households, communities, and policy makers in creating a more perfect democracy.

The Chair position is currently open. Please contact President@lwvgr.org if you are interested in leading the committee.

Education Committee

The Education Committee purpose is to study and support a public school system that is equitable both in quality for all students and in financing for the taxpayer. The committee keeps up with state and national legislation affecting schools (this can be done either by following legislation as it's introduced via www.ilga.gov or by contact with the LWVIL issues specialist on education, issues@lwvil.org). The committee also follows local school districts and keeps membership aware of events affecting area public schools. The committee may advocate for positions that are in alignment with the LWVUS and LWVIL positions.

Rhonda Greer Robinson is currently the Education Committee Chair and she is looking for a Co-Chair. Please contact Rhonda at education@lwvgr.org or president@lwvgr.org if you are interested in co-chairing the committee.

Environmental Committee

On February 6, 2025 the Environmental Issues Committee (EIC) presented a speaker for a local primary Meet & Greet at New Zion Baptist Church. Jamie Rott, Superintendent of the Water Division for the City of Rockford, spoke to city water issues, PFA's and the ongoing lead pipe removal program. Her speech was titled "IS OUR WATER SAFE?"

The EIC meets every third Tuesday at Wesley Willows at 1 p.m. Several of us meet for lunch at Noon. All are welcome to join the committee to have good discussions about our environment. We are also open to changing time and place.

Pat Kenney, Chair, Environmental Committee

Carol Bailey Linda Miller

Diane Cushing Shawn Stacey-Choinard Wanda Hoover Janie Wilson-Cook

& Gun Violence Prevention Committee

Over the summer of 2024, our Gun Violence Prevention (GVP) committee formed a plan to develop a collaborative event for gun violence prevention. We met with Northern Illinois Center For NonProfit Excellence (NICNE) to discuss our ideas. We presented a plan to Mayor McNamara to develop community-based solutions to reduce youth gun violence. After a series of meetings and grant writing, we are excited to announce that we will host our first youth gun violence community collaborative in May!

Our group began to grow and in November we held a Zoom meeting to discuss the LWVIL GVP Position

Statements. Our GVP committee partnered with Rockford Area Moms Demand Action members to review these position statements and develop consensus. Our GVP Position Statement review was submitted to LWVIL at the end of March, 2025.

We will continue to partner with other GVP focused groups in the Rockford area to learn more about advocacy, gun violence prevalence and gun violence prevention. Look for our announcements about upcoming community events that bring this issue to the forefront. Our group is always open to new members and new ideas as we work to reduce youth gun violence.

Rev. Danice Loveridge, Chair
LWVGR Gun Violence Prevention Committee
gunviolenceprevention@lwvgr.org

Mathematical Committee

The LWVGR Healthcare Committee was revitalized July 30, 2024 to discuss whether a joint effort between LWVGR and Eliminate Racism 815's Health Action Team could be a possibility. After reviewing collaboration guidelines and missions, both groups felt a strong partnership could be built.

The initial effort of this committee was focusing on the upcoming vote for the Winnebago County Mental Health Tax referendum. Meeting efforts targeted how to get the word out to voters. This committee organized the panel and discussion of this tax along with an October Meet & Greet at Pilgrim Baptist Church. The referendum passed in the April 1, 2025 election.

We have been meeting monthly to determine next courses of action. At this time, the committee is focusing on working not only with the Winnebago Mental Health Board, but looking to find a way to assist small groups in finding/accessing grants to provide quality mental health services in our community.

Respectfully submitted, Jennifer Blaisdell, Member

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M Immigration Committee

The immigration committee was very active this past year. We held public presentations on immigration issues in partnership with AAUW and Rockford Public Library including a "Know Your Rights" session in partnership with Dady Law Group LLC. We organized a postcard campaign in support of immigration reform for membership and the general public to local, state, and federal elected officials. We engaged in numerous calls to action by LWVIL and Illinois Coalition for Immigrant and Refugee Rights on the state and federal level regarding immigration related legislation. Locally, we organized and spoke against an effort by one City Council Alderman to remove the "Rockford – All Are Welcome" sign posted on E. State St and I-90 entrance. City Council voted unanimously to keep the sign. We are planning more public information events in the upcoming year and will continue to take action in support of the Leagues position on immigration.

The League position on immigration: Immigration policies should promote the reunification of immediate families, meet economic, business, and employment needs, and be responsive to those facing political persecution or humanitarian crises.

We would welcome any League Member who wants to join us in this important advocacy work.

Respectfully submitted, Sara Dady, Chair Immigration Committee

Issues Committee

Thank you to all the League members who took the time to submit witness slips, call and write legislators, both national and state, to support positions important to the League's work.

As you all know, this is how we protect voters, the democratic process, and advocate for positions such as immigration policies, improved school funding, and sane gun violence prevention laws. You will find detailed information on the work of our issues committees in each committee's report.

We are very grateful for the LWVIL issues specialists, in particular Kim Reed (Immigration), Ann Courter (Education Funding), and Jim McGrath (Gun Violence Prevention) who kept our committee chairs apprised of upcoming legislation and statewide advocacy work. Most Issues Specialists have a Google List Serve Group that goes out to interested members statewide. If there is a topic that

interests you, please let the LWVGR Issues Committee Chairs know and they will connect you with the appropriate specialist.

In addition to the GVP update chaired by Rev. Danice Loveridge at LWVIL's request, LWVUS requested each League in the nation to participate in a Federal Judiciary Study to establish a national position. With the help of Sara Dady, Kate Cross, and Keith Syfert as our expert panel of attorneys, LWVGR completed the consensus for the study on April 9th. Our panel provided excellent and thoughtprovoking information which initiated thoughtful discussion and questions from the League members in attendance. It was an educational process for all.

A special thanks goes to Sara, Kate, Keith for their leadership and to Teresa Hill, Jennifer Blaisdell for their planning skills, and the other volunteers who assisted that evening.

In League, Claire Flynn McIntyre

Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC)

The Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (EPCRA), also known as Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA), requires states and local governments to establish local chemical emergency preparedness programs for their communities.

The Winnebago County Local Emergency Planning Committee (WCLEPC) gathers hazardous materials information from industry and other users and prepare an incident response plan approach to hazardous materials incidents. They also provide public presentations and workshops for the community.

Diane Cushing represents the LWV at these monthly meetings. If you have any questions feel free to contact her at lepc@lwvgr.org

Respectfully submitted. Diane Cushing, Representative





Committee Reports (continued)

Local Government Committee

Local Government hosted Five Meet & Greets in November 2024 under Terri Schierer's leadership

"Dia de los Muertos" celebration and Bilingual Candidate Meet & Greet was held at YWCA Northwest. The entire event was in Spanish (except the candidates could speak in English). Refreshments were typical Mexican Fare. YWCA employees and League members Andrea Capriotti and Silvia Diaz led the event, supported by Carol Bailey.

"Is My Vote Safe? The Integrity of Winnebago County's Election Systems" and Candidate Meet & Greet at the GPS Faith Community. When voters feel secure that their vote is counted accurately and without interference, they are more likely to believe in the legitimacy of the election results. Local elections authorities addressed concerns about voter fraud, vote tampering, voting machine accuracy, and more. Speakers were Lori Gummow, Winnebago County Clerk and Ryan Brauns, Rockford Board of Elections. Team leader was Elizabeth Lindquist.

"Referendum to Continue 0.5% Tax for Mental Health" at Pilgrim Baptist Church. Candidate Meet & Greet team leader was Paulette Gilbert. Panel discussion team leader was Becky Kendall. Panel moderator was Wally Haas from Transform Rockford. Co-hosted by Eliminate Racism 815, AKA, AAUW, and LWVGR.

"Our Fight, Our Future" The candidate Meet & Greet team leader was Faye Marcus, and topic team leader was Carol Bailey. The panelists included retired 17th Circuit Court in Illinois Judge Rosemary Collins, ACLU-IL Advocacy Director Khadine Bennett, Attorney Carol Bailey and ACLU Legislative Operations Associate Kelly Yue who spoke about their work around voting in jails and the importance of local offices.

"Is My Vote Safe? The Integrity of Boone County's Election System" and Candidate Meet & Greet at Belvidere North High School. Laura Bettis - Boone County Deputy Clerk addressed address common myths concerning the election process, ballot safety, and voter eligibility. Judge Rosemary Collins was the moderator. Karen Ruffner was the team leader, supported by Teresa Kruger.

Local Government hosted Five Meet & Greets in March.

Hononegah - standing room only - 42 candidates participated. Well attended and a great venue. We need more volunteers in the area and a better outreach with the school to help get high school students involved like we achieved at Harlem. This will be on our agenda to build

relationships. Rockton-Roscoe News was our partner. Great help!

Harlem - Lead by Carol Bailey. This was a student lead effort that was outstanding and we would like to encourage other schools to do similar activities. Very well attended. Hope we can model more events like this. The only draw back was it was only school district and Rock Valley College Trustee candidates. There were several other area races that we did not cover. We need more partners. Christine Haeggquist moderated.

Southeast, Brooke Road - Sara Dady did an abbreviated Know your Rights presentation. We had 14 candidates. Not as well attended by the public. There was a school board meeting, unfortunate timing. Co-sponsored by the Immigration Committee and Brooke Road United Methodist Church. Sara Dady moderated.

Northwest - Well-attended. Fourteen Rockford candidates were invited. Co-hosted by Alpha Kappa Alpha and Delta Sigma Theta Sororities, and the America Association of University Women (AAUW). Rhonda Robinson moderated.

Belvidere - organized by Teresa Kruger and Tracy Rangel. Held with Belvidere North High School as partner.

Rock Valley College Trustee Candidate Forum - LWVGR had a table, provided cookies, and some assistance for timing. Karen Ruffner helped with the table. Well-attended and the RVC students did a great job. All candidates attended.

The Local Government Committee is a huge learning curve for me and there is room for improvement. The time it takes to gather candidate emails is astounding. I strongly discourage having multiple events on the same date and time as in this and the last election season. Goal: better cooperation with political party organizations to increase participation and email contact.

We have a spreadsheet created to help identify offices up for election and will help with future events. There were several positions in the rural areas that lacked a candidate. There is also a trend to only run as a write-in candidate. South Beloit school board only had one declared candidate. The rest of candidates were write-ins. This is a growing trend and we will study this.

All events had great news coverage and all but Belvidere was live-streamed.

There is an interest in focusing on encouraging people to run for office this year.

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Observer Corps

We had several members attend the Observer Corp training. We are in the process of gathering volunteers and assigning meetings. There are over 40 different meetings in Rockford alone! Observer Corps training is held by the Illinois League of Women Voters and occurs once a month on a Tuesday. The date and times are in the LWVGR Calendar on the website.

Lights 4 Democracy Event, March 4, 2025

The Light 4 Democracy event was held March 4, 2025 at Rockford City Hall. LWV US asked all/any local Leagues to host an event as a response to the first joint address to Congress by the President. This was an event to stand up for Democracy and give all in our community an alternative to the message/actions of the current administration. Sara Dady and Teresa Hill stepped up and organized this event.

Sara Dady donated all the funds that were used for this event through her Law Office, Dady Law Group. We thank them for their generous donation.

DJ (Jose DJ-Dark) provided excellent sound and lighting, a Food Truck (Jaliscoast Rayo), poster table, postcard writing table and organizations: AAUW, Be Smart, WCCC, All of Us.

Twenty League members volunteered and helped make this event possible. Over 200 people attended the event. The Mobilize app connected us easily with LWV US organizational tools and was a great resource that we can use for future events. A video recording is available for this event. You can access this recording on YouTube here: https://youtu.be/2sRDUI-iMNs

A document listing resources used and the program notes can be found here: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1F-34z-PXVAfzpnW09O-spcDpNwQQz1wSAygdpYB8j-Y/edit?usp=sharing

Respectfully submitted, Teresa Hill, Co-Chair Local Government Committee

Membership Committee

The League of Women Voters of Greater Rockford has 178 current members as of April 28, 2025. The number includes 9 life members, 105 renewed members, and 64 new members.

The Membership Cmte. and Carol Bailey planned a social event in August, a pool party at Carol's home) and a Winter Holiday gathering at Mary Kowing's home this year. It was a wonderful time to get to know fellow members

and share ideas for the future. We plan to host more social events in the upcoming year. Carol Bailey has offered to host the Summer event, again, this year. If anyone has any suggestions for activities, please share with us.

Important change to joining and renewing membership LWV changed the membership sign-up process and can and should be done online through their portal. This allows for better tracking. Your dues will be due on your anniversary date and you will be notified by email. Please sign into the site occasionally to make sure your information is up to date. There is also a member interest survey attached to this portal that helps us keep you in the loop on the issues you are interested in participating. The red JOIN button on our website, with Iwvgr.org, membership info and a link that goes directly to the LWV membership portal.

The committee is also ready when needed to help support any meetings/forums/events that any committee has planned for the upcoming year. We have two event bags that include many items that are usually needed at any event. Membership has also worked with the Communications team to create an event check list and forms that are helpful for planning an event. This includes a storage unit check list of items needed for any type of event. We hope this will help our members know the items we have available and help with planning.

We want to have an opportunity for all members to attend informational meetings at least once a month. The plan
would be to have each committee take on a month. We are looking to secure an affordable venue to help facilitate
these events.

As always, many hands make light work and more enjoyable. Please consider joining our committee.

New Members:

Paige Ansley	2/25/2026
Kendra Asbury	2/16/2025
Martha (Patty) Bachmann	7/31/2024
Marge Bevers	2/9/2025
Dorothy Bielawski	8/4/2024
Jillisa Bondurant	7/29/2024
Anna Borchers	1/29/2025
John Borchers	1/29/2025
Erica Caruana	8/23/2024
Diane Dailing	4/5/2025
Barb Diaz	2/16/2025
Jackie Devries	4/14/2025
Riley Ellison	8/8/2024
Deann Evans	8/6/2024
Janyce Eviston	10/7/2024

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Jenna Goldsmith	
Carolyn Hansmeier	
Alice Hemenway	
Karen Hill	
Karen Hoffman	
Laura Johnson	
Sheri Kennerly	
Maureen Kirschmann	
Leah Krippner	
Megan Larson-Freeman	
Maryann Leonard	3/7/2025
Judy Long	
Elizabeth Lovelady-Smith	2/21/2025
Renee Mealey	4/6/2025
Gina Meeks	5/20/2024
Nick Meyer	5/29/2024
Susan Meyers	6/1/2024
Judy Millhouse	8/21/2024
Vicki Naretta	4/10/2025
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Lisa Volkman	
Mary Beth Westin	3/30/2025
Cassandra Williams	
Linda Zuba	6/19/2024

50 Years of League of Women Voters Membership:

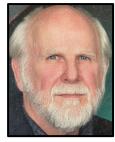
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Mary English Maxine Hadley
Dawn Hallsten Jean Harezlak*
Alice Heath Colleen Holmbeck
Sandra Locke Faye Marcus

Joan Morton

LWVGR Members who have passed:







Randy Locke 7/16/24



Elaine Pfluger 3/19/2025

2025-2026 Tentative Monthly meeting plan:

August Pool Party – Carol Bailey's Home

September Immigration?

October Local Government - Forums

November Open

December Holiday Party

January Movie – topic TBD (one of the LWV Issues)
February Local Government – Forums for Primary

March Open

April Environmental Committee

May Education/Open
June Annual Meeting
July Enjoy your summer!

Respectfully submitted, Teresa Hill, Chair Membership Committee



^{*}These are recognized this year as new 50-year members.



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Scholarship Committee

The Community Foundation of Northern Illinois (CFNIL) scholarship committees met in-person in March and April, 2025. League of Women Voters of Greater Rockford (LWVGR) members were Janie Wilson-Cook and Carol Bailey, who served on the committee for the LWVGR scholarship. No more than two members of any donor group can be on the committee for their scholarship. Each committee made decisions for 3-6 scholarships. Mary Kowing also serves on CFNIL scholarship committees.

The CFNIL computed that this year the amount capable of being awarded was \$1,000.00 scholarship. The LWVGR scholarship received potential recipients chosen by CFNIL computer algorithms.

Lilliana Medina, a 2025 graduate of Jefferson High School, was the recipient of the League \$1000.00 scholarship. She is also a First-Year Student at Rockford University studying Biology on the Pre-Physician Assistant Track. The LWVGR scholarship will be awarded at a June 17, 6:30 p.m. ceremony to be held at Tebala Events Center, 7910 Newberg Road, Rockford.

Giving Tuesday, the Tuesday after Thanksgiving, has been designation by the LWVGR Board as a fundraising opportunity to benefit the LWVGR Scholarship.

Contributions in 2024-25 gained \$1725.00 for our Scholarship Fund. Please remember the LWVGR Scholarship Fund in your tax-deductible charitable giving. Donation directions are on the dues renewal form on paper and on the LWVGR website.

Respectfully submitted, Janie Wilson-Cook, LWVGR Scholarship Coordinator

Sunshine Report

As your Sunshine Chair for 2024-25, it has been my privilege to send messages of support to League members, writing 23 congratulatory notes, get-well cards and expressions of sympathy throughout the year.

If you know of a League member who would appreciate such a note, please contact the president.

Respectfully submitted, Kathy Scarpaci

Voter Services Committee

The Voter Services Committee was extremely active this fiscal year. Through the summer months the member led by Latino Voter Outreach Coordinator, Maria Mendia,

participated in every Levings Lake program, every major festival and numerous community gatherings. During the fall election cycle, the committee set up voter registrations at area high schools. Many people joined the League and became deputy registrars during this period. The idea for the Stateline High School Voter Registration Challenge was developed with Dr. Teresa Kruger and the Student Voice Club at Belvidere North High School. The school also paid for the plaques to be awarded at the end of the school year to the school with the most registered voters and the school with the highest percentage of registered voters. As of this writing we have 52 deputy registrars.

One of the biggest voter outreach innovations came at Rock Valley College with grant money utilized to create a portal dedicated to registering students at RVC. Prof. Mathew Oakes, Prof. Paulette Gilbert and others spearheaded this unique project. This portal resulted in 343 new registrations. In addition, RVC obtained permission to set up an early voting site which allowed almost 2000 people to vote.

After in-person registration ended in late September, many committee members turned their focus to the Meet & Greets and GOTV (Get Out The Vote) activities, including displaying GOVOTE815 signs and postcard writing to voters. These activities ceased for a period after the presidential election. After the new year, in-person registrations commenced until late January when the local consolidated election calendar required discontinuing inperson voter registration until after the April 1 general election.

Our biggest voter registration drives occurred during the month of April. The winners of the Stateline High School Voter Registration Challenge. Guilford had 285 registrations a new all time one day total. With 64 already registered plus 30 fall registrations that total for the school year is 379 to win one of the challenge awards. Pecatonica wins the other award for the highest percentage of eligible students registered at 87%. Currently total registrations stand at 2002 for the period July 1, 2024 to May 1, 2025.

This summer the Membership Chair, Teresa Hill and her team are joining our committee to populate several community events with an informational table rather than registration tables. We are trying this concept this summer since there are no elections for the remainder of 2025. More details to follow as we plan this project.

Respectfully Submitted, Carol Bailey, Chair, Voter Services Committee



Voter Registrations

This is a detailed list of all voter registration drives conducted and/or scheduled by the committee to date:

1. July 4, Independence Day Celebration at Davis Park, 2 registrations

2. July 7, Levings Lake Sunday in the Park,

0 registrations

3. July 10, The ARC rec night at Sinnissippi Pavilions, 0 registrations

4. July 26, Bridge of Culture event at Coronado, 0 registrations

5. July 27, Trinity Speak It Sing It at Nordlof Center, 0 registrations

July 28, Sunday in the Park event at Sinnissippi Park, 5 registrations

7. August 6, National Night Out at City Market Pavilion, 6 registrations

8. August 10, Pastor Ruby's Backpack event at Blackhawk Park, 3 registrations

9. August 11, Female Energy Festival, noon to 6pm, 17 registrations

10. August 10, Unity Fest at Levings Lake, 4 registrations

11. August 18, Sunday in the Park at Levings Lake, 0 registrations

12. Christian Union Church picnic, 1 registration

13. August 28, RVC Community Resource Fair, 10 registrations, 98 signed up on the RVC

registration portal 14. August 29, Miss Carly's,

24 registrations

15. Sept. 1st, Park Fest at Park Church, noon to 5pm, 5 registrations

16. Labor Day Parade at Davis Park, distributed flyers

17. Sept. 4, Valkommen Festival, 6 registrations

18. Sept. 5, Naturalization Ceremony at Coronado Theater, 102 registrations

19. Sept. 7, Midtown Block Party at Inscape Collective, 2 registrations

20. Sept. 1st, Multicultural fest at 5 Points, 11am to 4pm, 1 registration

21. Sept. 12, Carpenter's Place, 9 registrations.

22. Sept. 13, The Liam Foundation, 1 registration

23. Sept. 14, Fiesta Patrias, 3 registrations

24. Sept. 15, Levings Lake Music event, 5 registrations

25. Sept. 17, Belvidere North High School, 17 registrations

26. Sept. 17, Roosevelt Community School,

70 registrations

Michael Page, 2 registrations as of 8/1 Judy Schultz, 1 registration as of 8/1. Mary Kowing, 4 registrations as of 9/12 Diane Cushing, 3 registrations on 9/12

27. Sept. 24, Belvidere High School, 13 registrations

28. Sept. 25, ShelterCare Ministries-Jubilee Center, 10am to Noon, 4 registrations

29. Sept. 25, Life as an Immigrant, Memorial Hall, 12-1:15pm, 0 registrations

30. Sept. 26, East High School,

30 registrations

31. Sept. 28, The Liam Foundation, 3:30-5:30, 1 registration

32. Sept. 29, Harlem Homecoming Block Party, 4-7pm, 5 registrations

33. Sept. 30, Rockford University, Ron Lee's classroom, 2pm and 6pm, 2 registrations

34. Oct. 1, YWCA Meet & Greet, 6-8pm, 0 registrations

35. Oct. 3, Harlem High School, 29 registrations

36. Oct. 5, Empower 815, 10am to noon, 0 registrations

Subtotal: 387

37. Oct. 5, The Grove, 1:30pm,

0 registrations

38. Oct. 7, Rock Valley Food Pantry, Broadway, 0 registrations

39. Oct. 7, Rock Valley Food Pantry, S. Rockton Ave., 0 registrations

40. Oct. 8, Guilford High School,

31 registrations

41. Oct. 27, Domingues en el Parque at UW Sports Factory, delivered signs to businesses

0 registrations

42. Nov. 16, Illinois Coalition Against Permanent Punishment at New Zion Missionary Church from 10:00 to 2pm, 0 registrations.

43. Nov. 18, Naturalization Ceremony at The Coronado, 11am, 91 registrations.

44. Jan. 13, Boylan High School, 10:30 to Noon, 5 registrations

45. Jan. 14, Lutheran High School, 11:30-1pm, 2 registrations

46. Jan. 21st, Immigration Ceremonies at 10:30 and 1:15 38 registrations

47. RVC Portal,

343 registrations

48. April 8, Pecatonica High School

49. April 9, 10:30-noon, Boylan High School

50. August 10, East High School, all day in the classrooms

51. April 15, Naturalization Ceremony at Coronado

52. April 17, Jefferson High School, all day in the classrooms

53. April 24, Belvidere North High School, all day in the classrooms

54. April 30, Guilford High School, all day in the classrooms. Guilford had 285 registrations today, a new all time one day total. With 64 already registered plus 30 fall registrations that total for the school year is 379 to win one of the challenge awards.

Pecatonica wins the other award for the highest percentage of eligible students registered at 87%

Auburn, Harlem, Belvidere and Hononegah have not scheduled a voter registration drive for this spring yet.

Total voter registrations, as of May 1, 2025, is 2002.

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Women's March Rockford

Women's March Rockford is in the process of becoming a 501c4.

WMR worked with LWVGR is developing a detailed check list for all organizations to work from for future partnerships and events with WMR. This was developed to avoid any potential partisan conflicts in the future.

WMR future events in 2025 and 2026:

Resisterhood panel style event in January 2026, WMR helps other women's groups share their event information. October will be focused on informing voters where to get information and GOTV (Get Out The Vote).

We Won't Go Back Rally Saturday November 2, 2024. Women's March Rockford and Winnebago County Citizens for Choice hosted the event at the Women's Suffrage Plaza. This event coincided with the national Women's March event across the country, 200+ attended

The following were speakers at the event:

- Melissa Champion Emcee Women's March Rockford
- Gina Meeks Women in Local Government
- Barb Giolitto Winnebago County Citizens for Choice
- Aprel Prunty Women in Education
- Judge Rosemary Collins Women's Rights and Legislation
- Paulette Gilbert Reciting Pastor Violet Johnicker's speech
- Christina Valdez Call to Action: We Won't Go Back!
- DJ Charo Chanev

The event is strategically timed to cap off a day of GOTV (Get Out The Vote).

Resisterhood Event, Saturday January 18, 2025, Veteran Memorial Hall. WMR hosted. Over 175 attended.

This event was focused on sharing information from various organizations on how they can take action on incoming administration. The following people were part of the panel for the event:

- Immigration Luis Ramirez
- Voting Becky Simon, State president of the Illinois League of Women Voters
- LGBTQ+ Phyllis Gallisath -The Liam Foundation
- Reproductive Rights Anne Schreiner, Planned Parenthood
- Violence against Women Megan Brechon, Family Peace Center
- Disability, Justice and Accessibility Alice Nichols & Jessica Wexell, Ramp

Community Conversations event, February 25,2025 at Inscape Collective in partnership with the ACLU and Family Peace Center. Kathleen Dingle spoke on behalf of the ACLU to inform us on how to connect with them in our local area. Megan Brechon spoke about domestic violence and what the Family Peace Center is doing to help victims. Approximately 25 people attended.

Contact WMR at womensmarchrockford@gmail.com or on Facebook at Women's March Rockford, or womensmarchrockford.com

Respectfully Submitted by Patty Stadelman

Women's Suffrage Committee

WSC gives presentations and tours throughout the year about the Women's Suffrage Plaza.

THE WSC activity bookbook, Piece by Piece, is still in distribution. The goal is to get this book to educators, students, group leaders and other community organizations.

Checks for Activity Books should be made to: RAAC-Suffrage Plaza and (memo line) Activity Book.

The price for the Activity Books: \$5.00 per copy. \$4.00 per copy bulk discount (20+per order).

The activity books will be for sale at the LWVGR annual meeting. You can also purchase the activity books at Womanspace, 3333 Maria Linden Dr. Rockford IL 61114

We are still actively distributing rack cards so people can learn about the plaza and encourage people to go visit the site.

Site update: There has been some damage to several tiles on the plaza, It looks like the damage was done from people riding their skateboards on the benches and the structure. Susan Burton will be coming to town to help with the repairs.

The Goode Family Foundation has made a \$2500 donation to the WSC, which will be used to help with repairs and maintenance.

WSC hosted a wine, beer, and spirits tasting fundraising event on September 27, 2024 at Artale and Co. Approximately 25 people attended.

Future Event: Saturday August 16th, 2025. Celebrate the five-year anniversary of the Women Suffrage Plaza. We will be hosting an event and inviting all our coalition partners to help celebrate. More details to follow.

For donations to WSC one may use the QR code.

For all Votes for Women merchandise you can go to: stores.inksoft.com

Respectfully Submitted by Patty Stadelman

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Mildred Berry Award Recipients

The Mildred Freburg Berry Award was created in 1994 by the League of Women Voters of Greater Rockford to honor Dr. Berry, who was an outstanding member of the League for many years and was a highly respected community leader and educator. Through this award, the value of Dr. Berry's unique insight, articulation, persistence and excellence will continue to be acknowledged.

Recipients of the award:

or the award.	
Betty Johnson	1995
Vivian Hickey	1996
Miriam Tunison	1997
Betty Crawford	1998
Sandra Locke	1999
Patricia Nelson	2000
Elaine Harrington	2001
Jane McAfee	2002
Jeanne Claeys	
Justine Walhout	2004
Senator Joyce Holmberg	2005
Ann Powell	2006
Dorothy Espenscheid	2007
Janyce Fadden	2008
Diane Cushing	2009
Claire McIntyre	2010
No award	2011-2017
Martha Pippitt	2018
No award	2019-2020
Linda Miller	2021
Janie Wilson-Cook	2022
Carol Davies	2023
Christina Hiltrop	2024

LWVGR Presidents

Presidents -League Of Women Voters Of Greater Rockford Terms are from June to May.

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	1922-27	
		(Mrs. William C. Free)
	1927-31	. Florence Jansen
		. Maurine DuPlain
	1933-35	. Grace Knight
	1935-37	. Helen Lichtenwalner
•	1937-39	. Anne Wiley
	1939-41	. Fern Bell
	1941-44	. Marian Bates
	1944-46	. Elizabeth Canfield
	1946-48	. Mildred Berry
		. Hazel Oberlander
	1949-50	. Mildred Gaylord
		. Florence Swiger
	1950-*	. Shirley Mansfield
	1950-52	. Lovena Kovacheff
	1952-56	. Shirley Holland
	1956-58	. Shirley Mansfield
		. Veronica Gayle
	1960-62	. Margaret Wyeth
	1962-64	. Eloise Anderson
	1964-66	. Jeanette Crossland
		. Marjorie Johnsen
•		. Carolyn Goltermann
	1969-70	
		. Colleen Holmbeck
•		. Millie Zimmerman
•		. Sue Molyneaux
		. Elizanne Lewis
•	1976-78	

*Partial terms

1978-* Doris Condon 1978-80 Dawn Hallsten 1980-82 Ethel McGreevy	
1982-83 Pat Morrison	
1983-85 Elizanne Lewis	
1985-87 Lee Larson	
1987-88 Barb Herbig	
1988-90 Mary Hungerford	j
1990-93 Sandra Locke	
1993-94 Elaine Harringto	n
1994-95 Gwen Robinson	
1995-96 Elaine Harringto	
1996-97 Kathleen Gumm	OW
1997-98 Nancy Waldorf	
1998-99 Adrienne Langle	y
1999-2002 Jane McAfee	
2003-06 Janyce Fadden	
2007-09 Ann Powell	
2009-11Leigh Lakey	
2011-13 Karen Fysh	
2013-09/2015. Ann Dempsey	
09/2015-2016. Susan Janson	
2016-17 Claire McIntyre	
2018-19 Claire McIntyre	
& Christina Hiltro	р
2019-21 Jo Minor	
2021-23 Claire McIntyre	
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