



**League of Women Voters of Chicago
 Program Planning/Action Briefing, January 14, 2017**

League of Women Voters of Chicago
 Program Planning for the 2017-2019 Biennium

Return deadline: March 6, 2017

Part I. Recommendations on Current LWVChicago Positions

The positions are listed in the order found in the 2016-2017 edition of *Where We Stand*.

| | <u>Retain</u> | <u>Restudy/Update</u> | <u>Drop</u> | <u>Working On</u> |
|--|---------------|-----------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| Cable TV | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Chicago Government | | | | |
| City Budget | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Capital Budget | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Privatization | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Budget Making | | | | |
| Procedures | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| City Council Procedures | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| City Council Structure | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| City Government | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| City Pension Funds | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| City Planning | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Districting | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Office of the Mayor | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Housing/Neighborhood | | | | |
| Development | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Living Wage Requirement | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Local Government Revenue | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Casino Gambling | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Chicago Public Library | | | | |
| General | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Branch Libraries | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Education | | | | |
| Chicago Public Schools -- General Position | | | | |
| Charter Schools | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Desegregation | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Facilities/Rehabilitation | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Local School Councils | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Principals | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Quality and Equality | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| School Governance | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| City Colleges of Chicago | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |

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|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Handguns | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Housing | | | | |
| Condominiums | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Fair Housing | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Low and Moderate | | | | |
| Income Housing | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Multi-Family Rental Housing | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Land Use | | | | |
| Lakefront Land Use | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Parks | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Sports Stadium | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |

Restudy/Update Recommendations: Please attach a separate sheet for each recommendation and indicate (1) whether it is all or part of the position that needs consideration; (2) the rationale for the recommendation; and (3) your unit’s commitment and available resources for the work.

Part II. Recommendations for New Studies and Action Focus Items

Please attach a separate sheet for each recommended item and indicate:

1. **New Study Recommendation:** Our unit is excited and ready to work on:

- Topic:
- Scope
- Rationale:

2. **Action Focus Recommendation:** Our unit is excited and ready to work on:

- Item:
- Based on the following LWVChicago position:
- Scope:
- Rationale:

Unit Reporting: _____

Number of Members Participating in Program Planning: _____

Contact: _____

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