



**IN LEAGUE REPORTER – SEPTEMBER 2010**

**LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF ST. LOUIS**

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**From the President:**

Summer is over, or at least it feels that way with school starting. I always say where did the summer go, and I never seem to have the answer. It was certainly a busy one for the League.

I must first give many, many thanks to Becky Clausen, Cindy Mitchell and Marty Ott who joined me and got up at the unbelievable hour of 3:30 a.m. on July 28th in order to be downtown and conduct an election for the United Church Ushers Association of America who were having their annual convention in St. Louis. The League was compensated for this service. It seems there is almost no limit some League members will go to for the League. I appreciate it.

Equally many thanks go to Kathleen Farrell, Anna Mennerick, Julie Behrens and about 30 volunteers who help gather the information, input the data, proof and then distribute the August Voters Guide, another great cooperative effort with the St. Louis Post Dispatch to inform voters.

Proposition C was on the August ballot and as you remember the measure would prohibit the federal government from enforcing in Missouri anything that would “infringe upon the right to offer or accept direct payment for lawful health care services.” Reporters from FOX news came by the office and interviewed me for a segment of the “Special Reports” show. It went well and was aired on the Friday national show. The next day the office received a call from Channel 5 and I went down to their studio for an interview. That was on the 5:00 evening news. It was a very busy couple of days --- and not expected or planned.

The next three months will be equally busy. I look forward to seeing you at the YMCA on August 26<sup>th</sup> and at the Kick-Off meeting on September 22nd. We also have a possible new project with some SLU students and our Observer Corps. In addition, the usual monthly unit meetings will reconvene in October and we will need your help with the Candidate Forums and the November Voters Guide—watch for emails!

The League makes a difference informing our communities. Join us, make new and renew old friendships. It is easy and so worthwhile when we work together.

*Linda McDaniel*

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**CALENDAR**

<i>Mon.</i>	<i>Sept. 6</i>	<i>All Day</i>	<i>Labor Day—League Office Closed</i>		
Mon.	Sept 6	7:30 – 2pm	Tailgate Sale	p.6	University City Loop
Wed.	Sept. 8	12:30 pm	Civil Discussion Planning	p.4	League Office
Thurs.	Sept. 9	10:30 am	Health Care Comm	p.7	Cape Albeon Dining Room
Fri.	Sept. 10	10:00 am	International Relations Comm	p. 8	County Library Headquarters
Tues.	Sept. 14	5:30 pm	Environmental Quality Comm	p. 8	League Office
Wed.	Sept. 15	6:00 pm	LWVSTL Board Meeting		League Office
Wed.	Sept. 22	5:30 pm	Kickoff Dinner	p.11	Pasta House Banquet Room

## WHERE THE LEAGUE STANDS – IMPORTANT ISSUES

### Casinos on the Confluence Bottomlands

After hearing a presentation by Dora Gianoulakis, a LWV STL member (who also is President of the Spanish Lake Community Association and Save the Confluence) at the EQ meeting on Tuesday May 11, the EQ committee requested the League of Women Voters of St Louis Board take a position to oppose the placing of casinos in the Columbia Bottom at the Confluence of Missouri and Mississippi Rivers and support the Save the Confluence. The Confluence of the Mississippi and Missouri Rivers is a large floodplain next to the Columbia Bottom Area. It includes a 4,318 acre conservation area over 6 miles of river frontage, and 800 acres of bottomland forest. There is also a 110 acre island. The proposed casino would eliminate the farm land and wetlands in the floodway. It would remove the wetlands that currently absorb floodwaters and provide habitat for migratory waterfowl, eagles and other wildlife.

The League of Women Voters of St Louis using the Positions of LWV STL, LWV Missouri and LWVUS voted to oppose the placing of a large commercial complex on the floodplain, near a conservation area and join the coalition to Save the Confluence coalition.

The LWV STL Land-Use Planning and Zoning Consensus:

“A County land-use plan should reflect community goals and needs:

- foster the long term health and welfare of the broader community
- fulfill the economic and physical needs of the community
- fulfill the social and aesthetic needs of the individual and the community at large
- protection for private property rights and values in accordance with overall consideration of the public health, safety, welfare, and economic wellbeing
- protection and improvement of the environment
- conservation of fiscal and natural resources

This is in a flood plain, and the LWV Missouri Natural Resources Water Position states:

Support of a comprehensive water policy, one that includes the public trust doctrine:

“The goals of the state water policy should be to:

- Assure availability of water for domestic use while maintaining minimum instream flow
- Protect public health and minimize contamination of ground and surface water through appropriate waste (including waste water) managing and through appropriate land use policies
- Manage excess water and reduce pollution through strategies that include flood plain management, social conservation techniques, and control of urban runoff.”

The LWVUS Land Use Position: “The League supports identification and regulations of areas of critical concern:

- natural hazards lands, where development could endanger life and property such as flood plains areas.”

LWV STL members are encouraged to visit the Save the Confluence web site at <http://www.savetheconfluence.org> and learn the latest on this issue. Members are encouraged to write letters to the editor about these environmental concerns in building a casino in Natural Habit and Flood Plains:

· St. Louis Business Journal: [http://stlouis.bizjournals.com/stlouis/contactus/contact\\_editor.html](http://stlouis.bizjournals.com/stlouis/contactus/contact_editor.html)

· St. Louis Post Dispatch: [letters@post-dispatch.com](mailto:letters@post-dispatch.com).

· Check with your county council members, school board members and your city officials. Call your elected officials to demonstrate that you are seriously concerned about the impacts of this proposed casino. The County Executive has currently taken a stand in support of Save the Confluence. Sunday June 6, there was an article in the St Louis Post Dispatch concerning this issue.

The Missouri Gaming Commission is considering proposals from potential casino operators who are interested in the 13<sup>th</sup> casino license that will become available in Missouri as of July 1, 2010. The Gaming Commission set the deadline for these prospective casino operators for May 1. League members who oppose the proposed casino at the Confluence (next to the Columbia Bottom Conservation Area) should send emails and or letters to the Gaming Commission to let them know how many people think that giving a license to a casino at the Confluence in North St. Louis County is a terrible idea. Please submit your emails/letters to the Gaming Commissions to:

Leann McCarthy, Missouri Gaming Commission, 3417 Knipp Drive, P.O. Box 1847, Jefferson City, MO 65102  
[leann.mccarthy@mgc.dps.mo.gov](mailto:leann.mccarthy@mgc.dps.mo.gov)

## **Proposition A Earnings Tax in St. Louis City and Kansas City**

The state League, at its July meeting, voted to oppose Proposition A, the earnings tax ballot issue to be voted on at the November, 2010 election. The Proposition proposes to eliminate the earnings tax in St. Louis and Kansas City and to prohibit any other city from imposing such a tax in the future. Although it primarily affects only St. Louis and Kansas City, the entire state must vote on it.

The present earnings tax is a tax on salaries, wages, commissions and other compensation. It is paid by all city residents whether they work in the city or elsewhere and by all non-residents who work in the city. St. Louis imposed the earnings tax in 1954. It provides about 1/3 of the budget of both cities. In St. Louis that is equivalent to the Police Department Budget. Can you imagine the city, not in the best financial straits, reducing its budget by 1/3? Of course not. The problem is that if the earning tax were eliminated, the only other possible options to bring in the same amount of money would be a huge sales tax increase or tripling the property tax. Neither of these options is realistic. And even if they were, they would put an untenable burden on those least able to pay.

If Proposition A passes, then each of the two cities would have to vote on whether they wanted to retain the earnings tax at the next general municipal election and every five years thereafter. If the voters in the cities choose to end the earnings tax, it would have to be phased out over a ten year period.

The League believes that ending the earnings tax would be extremely disruptive to the city. City services, infrastructures and safety would deteriorate. The quality of life would be adversely affected. Businesses would likely prefer to locate elsewhere. Because of a rippling affect the entire region would suffer. In addition, the earnings tax meets some of the tax criteria that the League believes is important. It provides financial stability. It combines the ability to pay and benefits received. The tax is difficult to evade and easy to enforce. The tax is broad based. It increases the mix from which taxes are derived. Whether one believes in the earnings tax or not, there is no doubt that St. Louis and Kansas City do not now have the capacity to replace it with another tax bringing in equal revenue.

The proponents of eliminating the earnings tax believe just the opposite. They think that eliminating the earnings tax would provide an incentive to locating in the city and that the number of people working in the city would double. We do not understand that logic.

League members are encouraged to take the opportunity to explain to acquaintances how this tax works and the ramifications that would occur if it were eliminated.

*Sydell Schayer*

## ***THE LEAGUE AT WORK***

### **SPEAKERS BUREAU**

Activity for the Speakers Bureau picked up before the August 3 primary. In July, Kathleen Farrell spoke to the Eliot Chapel Women's Alliance about the August ballot and received a donation of \$25 for the League; Doris Buzzell spoke to the seniors at Kirkwood House, also about primary election ballot issues. We already have two requests for Constitution Day on Sept. 17 and one for October before the November election.

Speaker volunteers: you may expect some calls closer to November! Thanks to all of you.

*Marjorie Courtney, Coordinator*

## CALL TO ACTION

On July 13<sup>th</sup>, thirty-five members met at the First Congregational Church of Webster Groves (UCC) for a wonderful potluck supper and discussion of events for 2010-2011. Participants had the opportunity to hear about some of the exciting activities going on in other Leagues around the country and participate in planning for their implementation in the LWVSTL. Attendees chose from the projects concerning a Reception for Elected Officials, Civil Discussion for Uncivil Times, Candidate Forums, the Observation Corp, Hot Topics, and the celebration of the 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary for Women's Suffrage. Members volunteered to continue the planning for these activities and encourage others to join in. Current updates on the events are:

### ***Reception/Breakfast for Elected Officials:***

In order to advance the League's Missouri legislative priorities, we must build a solid working relationship with our elected representatives. This reception is an opportunity for us to meet the officials and for them to meet us. Preliminary work has been done outlining the contacts that need to be made. The planning group is looking at a Saturday morning in early December as a possible time for this event. They plan to invite all local, newly elected officials. The group still has to set the parameters on who to invite, where to have the event, etc. This event will take the place of the Holiday Luncheon held in the past. If you would like to be part of the enthusiastic group planning for this event, please give Anna a call at the league office.

### ***Civil Discussion in an Uncivil Time:***

This event is modeled after successful workshops held in Seattle in February of 2010. The Seattle area workshops were focused on equipping individuals to discuss a locally volatile issue (taxes) in a civil manner. About 80 individuals from the area participated with much positive feedback going back to the League. The planning group is looking at those workshop materials and possible topics to discuss. The Hot Topics group has decided to join with this group to promote civility in the discussion of Hot Topics. The planning committee will be deciding on focus, times, etc. at their next meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 8<sup>th</sup> from 12:30 to 3pm in the League Office.

If you are interested in being part of this excitingly Civil project, call Nancy Miller at 636-529-0474.

### ***Candidate Forums***

Members who have not participated in these forums before learned of their history, mechanics and effectiveness as individuals prepare for the upcoming election. Pat Jones led this group and encourage participants to attend the Moderator's Workshop on July 20<sup>th</sup>, as well as sign up to assist at one of the upcoming Candidate Forums. For more information, call Pat Jones at 314-842-9383.

### ***Observer Corp: LOOKING FOR OBSERVER CORPS VOLUNTEERS!!***

Part of the League's mission is to be well informed about what our government is doing. An effective way of doing that is to train and deploy volunteers to just attend and observe government bodies like school board meetings, Aldermanic meetings, city council meetings, etc. It might sound tedious, but that's what it takes to really know what's going on, and if you stick with it, you become an expert! We need to grow our experts. Also, I hope to make part of the (September/October timeframe) training a class on knitting, so we can all put those hours to extra good use, and since I don't know how to knit, we need a volunteer to train new knitters. Please email Kathleen Kelly @ [dkbkmk01@swbell.net](mailto:dkbkmk01@swbell.net) or call 314.533.3972.

Thanks!

Kathleen Kelly

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### *Saturday, August 28<sup>th</sup> Tears of Hope Campaign Cocktail Party and Silent Auction*

*This special fundraiser for Women for Women International to benefit the Women of the Congo, (as seen on the Oprah Winfrey show) is being hosted by Reggie Davis. This event is being held at 3016 Locust Ave., 63103, from 5:00 – 8:00pm. The funds raised through this campaign help to provide job skills training and counseling for women who live in one of the worst places to be a woman. Several catering companies have donated all food and drink to allow the entire amount of the ticket to be donated to this organization. For more information about this organization, please go to [www.womenforwomen.org](http://www.womenforwomen.org) . To RSVP for the event, send information to Reggie Davis, 8816 Manchester Rd, Ste. 108, St. Louis, MO 63144, [smallbitesstyl@yahoo.com](mailto:smallbitesstyl@yahoo.com)*

## **THE LEAGUE'S 28<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL TAILGATE SALE**

The St. Louis League's Annual "League in the Loop" Tailgate Sale is fast approaching. The sale takes place - RAIN or SHINE - on Monday, Labor Day, September 6, 2010, at 6655 Delmar.

**YOU CAN HELP MAKE IT THE BEST SALE WE EVER HAD**

**YOU CAN VOLUNTEER TIME TO HELP WITH THE SALE**

**YOU CAN DONATE ITEMS TO THE SALE FOR OUR BOOTH**

**WE NEED LOTS OF ITEMS FOR THE LEAGUE BOOTH.** Sale will run from 7:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. So now is the perfect time to clean out those closets, the basement, and the garage and donate your unwanted items to the League.

**Want to be a vendor?** See the ad in this month's In League Reporter. We also need workers to set up, sell all our treasures, and to clean up after the sale. Bring your items to the League office, or contact Barbara Elbrecht (314.962.2821), or Denny and Elise Joerger (314.725.4829).

If you want to work the day of the sale please contact Barbara 314.962.2821 to volunteer.

*Barbara Elbrecht, Chair*

LEAGUE IN THE LOOP TAILGATE SALE 2010 LABOR DAY SEPTEMBER 6, 2010

**NOTE: SALE WILL BE HELD - RAIN OR SHINE!**

Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ spaces at \$30.00 Each \_\_\_\_\_ Total Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_  
COST BEFORE SEPTEMBER 2nd - \$30.00 COST AFTER SEPTEMBER 2nd - \$40.00  
**DEADLINE FOR PAYMENT IS SEPTEMBER 2ND**

**BOOTHS ARE 2 CAR SPACES (SIDE BY SIDE)**

specify type of items you offer \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(street address)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(city, state, zip)

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Return to: Tailgate Sale/LWV  
8706 Manchester Road, Suite 104  
St. Louis MO 63144

Make checks payable to League of Women Voters  
of St. Louis  
Reservations must be received by Sept. 2nd

## **COMMITTEES AT WORK**

### **HEALTH CARE**



The Health Care Committee will meet on **September 9th** to plan our program for the coming year. Meeting will be held at Cape Albeon in the family dining room at 10:30am. Directions: From Highway 270 and Dougherty Ferry take Dougherty Ferry Rd. west, cross Big Bend and continue to Lake Bend Drive. Turn left and you are there. Or call Katharine Kilpatric @ 636.861.7148 if you need help.

Some important benefits of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act which was signed into law by President Obama on March 23 will take place in September of this year. We need to talk about these benefits.

1. Insurance companies will not be allowed to turn children down because they have a pre-existing condition.
2. Insurance companies must allow parents to keep young adults on their insurance policy until the age of 26.
3. Insurance companies will not be able to cancel policies when people get sick.
4. New group health plans cannot charge co-pays and deductibles for preventive care.
5. The law completely bans lifetime limits and tightly restricts new plans use of annual limits.
6. A temporary program will help offset the costs of employers who provide health insurance for retirees.

7. Consumers in new plans will have better protection through an independent appeals process.

According to an analysis by the Congressional Budget Office (CBO), more than 1 million uninsured Americans will gain coverage the first year, 19 million will gain coverage by 2012 and 32 million by 2019.

There has been a lot of misinformation concerning this most important legislation and as League members we need to be well informed. Delegates to the League's national meeting this summer voted overwhelmingly in favor of the president's plan.

*Katharine Kilpatric, Chair*

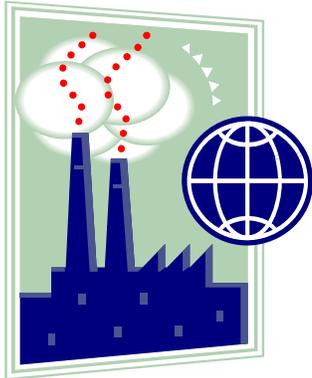
## **INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE**

The International Relations Committee meeting will be on September 10 at 10am at the County Library Headquarters Building. Our subject of study for 2010-2011 is China.

*Judith Smart, Chair*



## **ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COMMITTEE**



The next meeting of the EQ committee will be September 14<sup>th</sup> at the League Office at 5:30 pm. Dessert will be provided. Consider joining the EQ Committee. Do not have time for EQ Committee, but are still interested in Environmental Issues? You can help the EQ committee by serving as a resource or liaison – contact Mickey to find out how you can assist.

The Topic for this year will be Environmental Quality and Sustainability. How can we as individuals work to decrease our use of limited resources? What can we do to decrease our carbon footprint?

*Mickey Croyle, Chair*

## **UNIT MEETINGS**

Unit meetings will resume in October. All units will be discussing ballot issues for the 11/2/10 election.

## **LOOKING AHEAD TO OCTOBER:**

### **HEALTH CARE – INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS NEWS**

Two of the League’s committees, Health Care and International Relations, are working together to bring members a presentation on obstetric fistula. We encourage all members to join us on **Saturday morning, October 9, at 10 a.m.** to hear Dr. Lewis Wall, a renowned authority on the subject. Dr. Wall, an ob-gyn at Washington University, is building a hospital in Danja, Niger. In addition to repairing fistulas, the hospital will also organize outreach efforts to promote maternal health and reduce deaths in childbirth.



Fistula has been labeled the forgotten international women’s health and human rights problem. To quote Nicholas Kristof in an op-ed in the *NY Times*: “This is a childbirth injury, often suffered by a teenager in Africa or Asia whose pelvis is not fully grown. She suffers obstructed labor, has no access to a C-section, and endures internal injuries that leave her incontinent.... She stinks. She becomes a pariah.”

**The meeting will be held on the third floor of Cape Albeon, located at 3390 Lake Bend Rive, Valley Park, at 10 a.m. on October 9<sup>th</sup>.** (Take Big Bend west to Dougherty Ferry, turn left, or take 270 to the Dougherty Ferry exit, follow Dougherty Ferry west past Big Bend and then left on Lake Bend.)

Contact Persons: Katharine Kilpatric (636.861.7148) Health Care Chair, Judith Smart (314.846.5927), International Relations Chair, or Lolly Wehrli (636.861.0287).

### **VOLUNTEER CORNER**

Thanks to the Leaguers who worked in and out of the office over the past two months. Our fantastic volunteers answered telephone calls, assisted with mailings, and performed other necessary clerical tasks. Volunteers helped update our data bases and compiled information for the voter guides and distributed the voter guides for the August 3rd primary election. Thanks go to: Brenda Banjak, Barbara Behiter, Yvonne Blair, Lois Bliss, Nancy Bowser, Doris Buzzell, Esther & Jim Clark, Becky Clausen, Marjorie Courtney, Clyde & Verna Creel, Sue Dellbringge, Joan Esserman, Kathleen Farrell, Susan Fluegel, Mickey Hall, Debby Howard, Pat Jones, Kathleen Kelly, Katharine Kilpatric, Linda McDaniel, Julian Long, Mary Long, Tom Mennerick, Nancy Miller, Cindy Mitchell, Carolyn Nolan, Marty Ott, Carol Portman, Mary Beth Reynolds, Sydell Shayer, Judith Smart, Enid Tennebaum and Carol Washburne. If we missed listing anyone who helped please let us know and we will mention you in the next newsletter.

*Julie Behrens, Staff*

### **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REFLECTIONS – Anna Mennerick**

The start of school is always an exciting time of clean slates and new routines. Now that I am a parent, I have the vicarious thrill of new pencils, paper and folders. This time of year also brings the kick-off of the League year. What are your fresh ideas? Want to make your community better? Have some skills you would like to share with the League? Think you need a skill we can help you acquire?

Jean Dean was quoted as saying that the League of Women Voters provided her with more goals than she could ever reach. Rather than being daunted, she did and we can use this reality to tap in to all the resources available to take on a new project, pursue one of those goals, and make a difference . . . one new pencil at a time.

## ARMS CONTROL, A GLOBAL NECESSITY

The League did a study on national security during 1982 and 1983. The position, announced in December, 1983, stated that the LWVUS believes that arms control measures are essential to reduce the risk of war and increase global stability. The position is quite comprehensive. Below is just a taste of the direction of the position.

The League supports arms control efforts that:

- limit or reduce the quantity of weapons;
- limit proliferation and prohibit first use of nuclear weapons;
- prohibit first use and possession of chemical, biological and radiological weapons
- reduce tensions to reduce the potential use of weapons.

The League has done advocacy on arms control, when appropriate, since 1983. Realizing that technological advances and the passage of time may require some changes in our position, the 2008 National League Convention decided to update the position. The national board appointed a committee of League members, expert in the subject from across the country to update the arms control position. The committee published a series of papers on the subject and used their research to determine that the League position was still viable. They concluded that some language changes and a reordering of priorities were all that were necessary. The committee shared its findings with all League members through the national website. The national board recommended that delegates to the 2010 National League Convention approve the recommended new wording of the arms control position. The delegates supported the new position wording unanimously.

Those of us who attended the National Convention this past June think it would be interesting to bring our League members up-to-date on this very timely position. The United States has recently convened arms control talks with countries around the world.

The discussions are ongoing. Little by little incremental agreements are reached.

Our League Board has set aside the November Units to learn about and discuss Arms Control.

The Challenge is to form a League committee which would meet a few times between now and November to digest the already researched brief papers for presentation to the units. I have volunteered to convene and chair the committee. Now all it needs is members.

*Sydell Shayer*

Request: Four or five volunteers to constitute an ad hoc arms control review committee which will dissolve after the November unit meetings.

If you are interested give me a call at 314.434.5116 or e-mail me at [sleshay@sbcglobal.net](mailto:sleshay@sbcglobal.net) or call the League office at 314.961.6869

**Extra Extra** - - The St. Louis League Board, at its August 18th meeting, voted to join *United for Missouri Priorities*, the coalition which has been formed to oppose Proposition A, the anti-earnings tax November 2010, ballot issue. More information on what you can do to oppose Prop A will appear in the next In League Reporter.

# **LWV FALL KICKOFF!!**

*Wednesday, September 22*

*JOIN US FOR AN EVENING OF CONVERSATION, GOOD FOOD,  
AND IMPORTANT DISCUSSION !!*

## **FINANCE and GOVERNANCE**

*Does the State of Missouri have a recipe for  
Financial Disaster ??*



Dr. Terry Jones from UMSL & Ms. Amy Blouin, from the MO Budget Project  
Presenting a ‘Listen & Learn’ talk about Missouri’s dollars & cents.



*We will meet at The Pasta House Banquet Room*

*8213 Delmar Boulevard, 63124 314.991.2022*

*Wednesday, September 22, 2010!!!*

*5:30 pm Cash Bar*

*6:00 pm Pasta Festa \$23.00*

*7:00 pm Program*

***RSVP for the FALL KICKOFF***

***NAME(s)*** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

***Number of dinners*** \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$23.00

***Program Only*** \_\_\_\_\_

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