



# Getting Ready to Vote

## Finding the Facts about Candidates & Issues

League of Women Voters of Metropolitan Phoenix  
Educational purposes only. LWV endorses no party or candidate.

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### Voting is a Right & a Responsibility

Voting is a right of citizens  
Make your vote count!  
Inform your vote about candidates & issues  
Vote in both primary and general elections  
Influence communities. Build a better society  
Grow good government in Phoenix & Arizona



### Use Mailed Resources

AZ Citizens Clean Elections Commission for candidates  
AZ Secretary of State Pamphlet for ballot propositions & judges  
LWV AZ Voter Guide for propositions  
Flyers & Mailers . Who's for & against  
Other Trusted Organizations



### Use Online Resources

AZ Legislature bio's - azleg.gov  
Nonpartisan Project VoteSmart.org  
AZ Central Voter's Guide – azvotes.azcentral.com  
AZ Republic Endorsements – azcentral.com  
Political Parties  
Other Trusted Organizations  
Finish your ballot. JPR AZJudges.info



### Research the Issues

Morrison Institute at ASU for data & reports  
KJZZ for reports on issues & events  
On The Issues for official's statements  
AZ Capitol Times for press & updates  
Local news sources



### Before you vote, know Who's Who

Follow the money & check the facts  
Annenberg Public Policy Center Player's Guide  
Factcheck.org  
OpenSecrets.org tracks money in politics  
AZCentral Fact Check  
Check out the opposition

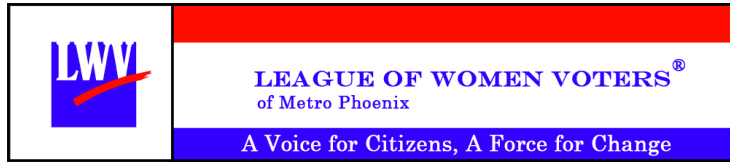


### Seek Balance among polarized politics

Dig deeper. Find room to collaborate  
Cooperation & compromise benefit all  
Build a better community and nation  
Understand other's perspectives for free & civil society  
Ignore the hype & make your vote count!  
Negative ads & robocalls push you out  
Be a participant voter. Inform yourself!



**Need to register to vote?** Contact AZ Secretary of State, your county recorder, or League of Women Voters in your area.



**I'd like to join the League of Women Voters of Metropolitan Phoenix!**

**Mail to: 4423 N. 24<sup>th</sup> St., Ste. 500 Phoenix, AZ 85016**

LWV Mission: 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. LWVMP serves those living in a large part of Maricopa County.

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

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Email (ALL CAPS): \_\_\_\_\_

*NOTE: If email address is given, members receive LWVMP email updates & newsletter.*

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership Category: \_\_\_\_\_ Dues Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

Categories: Student: \$40; Individual: \$75; Household; \$100 (2 people;)

Supporting: \$125. Checks should be made payable to LWVMP and mailed with this form to the address above.

Thank you for your support!

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