

Members and friends:

**The League of Women Voters of La Plata County  
65<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting**

**Tuesday, May 10, 4-7 pm**

**The Rochester Hotel Gardens and Lobby**

**Bobby Lieb, County Commissioner, guest speaker**

Wine and cheese follow the business meeting

Speaker: 4:15 pm

Business meeting: 5 pm

(committee reports, re-adoption of program positions,  
adoption of budget, election of officers)

Refreshments and conversation: 6 pm

**Bring the attached information to the annual meeting.**

**Additional copies available from**

**[marilbrown@aol.com](mailto:marilbrown@aol.com)**

RSVP by May 5 to Stephanie Huss

[stephanie@frontier.net](mailto:stephanie@frontier.net) or to 259-7263



HOLLYWOOD OF THE ROCKIES  
LUXURY ACCOMMODATIONS IN THE SPIRIT OF THE OLD WEST



BED & BREAKFAST SUITES

*Distinctive Overnight Lodging  
in Historic Downtown Durango*

*Border design by Suzanne Becker*

## **Program Positions**

The Board of Directors recommends the re-adoption of our existing local positions with the following titles:

Desert Rock Energy Project  
Library Bond Issue  
Health Service District  
Vote Center Concept and Its Applicability to La Plata County  
Affordable Housing  
Educational Policy:  
    La Plata County School Districts' Program and Building Needs  
    La Plata County School Districts' Accountability  
Durango City Government  
Comprehensive Planning  
County Home Rule

A few copies of the complete positions will be available for review at the meeting or email Marilyn Brown, [marilbrown@aol.com](mailto:marilbrown@aol.com), for your e-copy.

No new local study is proposed for 2011-2012.

## **LWVLPC Nominations for FY 2011-12**

President	Trish Pegram
1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President	Marilyn Brown
2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President	Open
Secretary	Laura Alsup
Treasurer	Nadine Ancel
Membership Representatives to the Nominating Committee	Jill Patton, Missy Rodey

Respectfully submitted,

Nominating Committee 2010-2011  
Sally Bellerue, Chair  
Suzanne Becker  
Ann Flatten

The chair will entertain nominations from the floor with prior approval of the nominee. Our bylaws provide for the option to fill a 2<sup>nd</sup> vice president position, but it is not required.

**No changes to the bylaws have been proposed this year.**

## Proposed Budget 2010-2011

The Board of Directors recommends the adoption of the following operational and Ed Fund budgets:

<b>Operations</b>	<b>2010-11 Budget</b>	<b>2010-11 YTD</b>	<b>2011-12 Proposed</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>Income</b>				
Member-Dues	\$4,070.00	\$3,720.00	\$3,670.00	Assumes no net change in membership
Newsletter-subscr	\$30.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	No change
Donations-member	\$1,200.00	\$1,090.00	\$1,256.00	Requires small increase over 2010-11 actual
Donations-external	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	
Grants		\$2,250.00	\$1,500.00	Application needed for LWVCO grant
Election Judges	\$200.00	\$125.00	\$100.00	Mail-in Primary Election in June
Great Decisions	\$1,200.00	\$1,090.00	\$1,100.00	Based on 55 books sold
Income-other		\$296.00	\$0.00	Eliminate this category, was used for Ed Fund transfers
Interest	\$5.80	\$2.38	\$2.00	
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$6,705.80</b>	<b>\$9,593.38</b>	<b>\$7,648.00</b>	
<b>Expenditures</b>				
LWV-US Dues	\$2,249.80	\$2,257.20	\$2,160.00	Based on Jan. 31, 2011 membership
1/2 LWV-CO Dues	\$684.00	\$684.00	\$648.00	Other 1/2 paid from Ed Fund
Voter Service	\$350.00	\$386.50	\$350.00	
Advocacy	\$500.00	\$743.80	\$500.00	Ads for possible ballot issues in November 2011
Conferences	\$725.00	\$57.00	\$2,100.00	National Convention, Leadership, Legislative and League Day
Member Services	\$587.00	\$994.93	\$600.00	web site, address name, DCAT, member badges, printing
Great Decisions	\$1,200.00	\$1,220.00	\$1,120.00	55 books purchased @ \$20, 2 DVDs
Program	\$150.00	\$39.75	\$100.00	Programs are generally self-funding
Publications	\$130.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	Electronic-only newsletter
Meetings Fees	\$120.00	\$50.00	\$60.00	Donations to venues for member meetings
Secretary of State			\$10.00	Secretary of State fee
Other	\$10.00	\$165.00		Eliminate this category
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$6,705.80</b>	<b>\$6,598.18</b>	<b>\$7,648.00</b>	
<b>Net Income (Loss)</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$2,995.20</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	
<b>Begin Balance (July 2010)</b>	<b>\$4,246.25</b>			
<b>Current Balance</b>		<b>\$7,241.45</b>		<b>Income - Expenses + Balance</b>
<b>End Balance (June 2011)</b>				

See page 4 for Education Fund Budget.

<b>Education Fund</b>	<b>2010-11 Budget</b>	<b>2010-11 YTD</b>	<b>2011-12 Proposed</b>	
<b>Begin Balance (July 2010)</b>	<b>\$1,087.39</b>			<b>Includes carryover of \$750 grant from Ballantine Fund for Projector</b>
<b>Income</b>				
Grants	\$1,300.00	\$1,850.00	\$800.00	LPEA Round Up for Ballot issues, if any
Donations-non-mem	\$250.00	\$0.00		
Donations-members	\$400.00	\$395.00	\$400.00	Tax deductible donations
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$1,950.00</b>	<b>\$2,245.00</b>	<b>\$1,200.00</b>	
<b>Expenditures</b>				
1/2 LWV-CO dues	\$684.00	\$684.00	\$648.00	Other half paid from Operations
Ballot Issues Pamphlets	\$1,550.00	\$1,191.00	\$800.00	
Transfer to Ops		\$750.00		
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$2,234.00</b>	<b>\$2,625.00</b>	<b>\$1,448.00</b>	
<b>Net Income (Loss)</b>	<b>\$284.00</b>	<b>\$380.00</b>	<b>\$248.00</b>	
<b>Current Balance</b>		<b>\$707.39</b>		
<b>End Balance (June 2010)</b>				

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