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**Los Angeles, CA** – The League of Women Voters Los Angeles' (LWVLA), Valley Unit, will be providing the *Pros and Cons* of the upcoming ballot measures for the March 5 Primary Election. Topics include a factual discussion of the City budget, ballot measures, city, school, and community college candidates.

As you may know, each fall, the Mayor of the City of Los Angeles releases a policy letter to all city departments outlining his/her budget goals. Once the departments submit their recommendations, it is followed by a collaborative decision-making survey including community representatives.

In this forum you will be presented with two discussion parts: In Part 1, the LWVLA will present Proposition A- Neighborhood Public Safety & City Services Funding and Accountability Measure (General tax measure, Majority Approval Required) and Charter Amendment B- Fire and Police Pension Plan-City of Los Angeles (Charter Amendment, Majority Approval Required). In Part 2, Jack Humphreville, a civic activist and Neighborhood Council budget advocate, will present the Mayor's 2013 budget survey plan.

Please join us on February 21 at Platt Branch Library, <u>23600 Victory Blvd</u>, <u>Woodland Hills</u>, <u>CA 91367</u> (*East of Platt Avenue*, *south side of street*) from 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Take part in the Mayor's Budget Survey, led by Jack Humphreville.

For more information on this and other LWVLA events, please visit our calendar page or call (213)-368-1616. The LWVLA Education Fund encourages informed and active participation in government and an increased understanding of major public policy issues through education. Membership in the LWVLA, the most respected and effective grassroots organization in the country, is open to men and women of all ages. Your membership supports this work. Join now!