

June 6, 2023

# **Letter From the President**

### **Happy June LWVH!**

As you know, unfortunately, the Climate Roundtable was postponed until September. There were many contributing factors for the Climate Committee to make this agonizing decision.

First, the Council decision/ discussion regarding Green House Gas Emission Inventory was not



resolved at their May meeting. This discussion will be taken up again by Council on June 20th. This created a serious void of information for the Workshop.

Second, it's summer and there are a lot of people on vacation. Staffing was a challenge as were concerns about attendance.

Adding to the attendance concern, the City's Comprehensive Plan Workshop was scheduled the night before on June 7th. It's asking a lot of people to attend both meetings back-to-back.

In addition to these issues, one of our key speakers, Casey Weinstein, was called away for his military responsibilities. Casey was scheduled to be a dual speaker with Chris Foster, an elected city official and local sustainable farmer. Mr. Foster recently became an active candidate running for another term on city council. Providing a platform for an active candidate without offering equal time to other candidates is in violation of LWVH's nonpartisanship policy. And that, as they say was the match in the powder barrel, the icing on the cake, the nail in the coffin, and the end of the road for the June 8th Climate Roundtable.

Moving on to other business: There is a SignUp Genius below to volunteer on June 17th at the Farmer's Market (and Home &

Garden Tour!). We will have volunteers at a registration table and also walking around town talking with citizens about Issue 1, the August 8th Election and Ohio's new voting laws.

<u>Click here</u> for a: 1) Fact sheet about Issue 1; 2) the amendment as written for the ballot on August 8; and 3) a list of important dates. *Print out the Flyer and share them with everyone!* 

Five of us are off to the LWV Ohio State Convention in Columbus this weekend! We will report next week!

Make it amazing!

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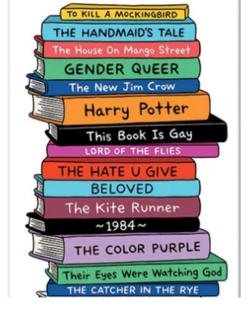
# Sign up Here for the Hudson Farmer's Market June 17



We have a table at the Hudson Farmer's Market on Saturday, June 17 to recruit new members to our League and to educate them about Issue 1, which will be on the ballot on August 8. Please click here to volunteer: https://www.signupgenius.com

# **Book Club's Next Books**

Read any Banned Book



and tell us about it!

Next meeting will be in Sept.

Date TBD

Bring a friend.

Non-members are invited!

Instead of choosing a book to discuss, we decided to each read a Banned Book of our choice and report on it at our next meeting. Google "banned books" and take your pick! If you would like, choose a Children's or Young Adult book.

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