



**League of Women Voters of Lexington
Board Meeting
Monday, March 7, 2022
7:30 PM—8:45 PM
Video Conference via Zoom**

1. Approval of February Minutes Taylor Singh, Secretary
Approved

2. President's Report Margaret Coppe

Cary Library request to partner program Q+A with Professor Lisa Levenstein.

Lisa is going to talk virtually at the library on March 30th. She is the author of the book *They Didn't See Us Coming: The Hidden History of Feminism in the Nineties*

Are there any Warrant Articles the League should speak on?

We went through the warrant and decided we will not speak on anything

Article 28 Humane Pet Store Bylaw: Request

We should pass on endorsing

3. Treasurer's Report Charles Hornig
Nothing new to report

4 Membership Report Melinda Walker
Got one in late

5 Bulletin deadlines and distribution Wendy Manz

6 Communications Jeanne Canale
Lexington Happenings is delighted to add our announcements to their newsletter

7 Voter Service Taylor Singh, Acting Voter Service
Update

8 First Fridays

April 1, 2022 Town Clerk

Charles told Town Clerk April 1st, but Eileen told her April 8th

Questions for Marilyn Fennelosa:

What does it look like on election day?

How do they handle things that are out of the ordinary?

What are the nuts and bolts of what election workers do?

For Town Clerk:

What issues, if any, came up on your first election as Lex Town Clerk?

May 6, 2022 Emergency Preparedness in Time of Climate Change

What has changed over the years?

What happened before texts?

Wendy says we need to talk to IT people; they have redundant systems and fallbacks

We have not set a date for Annual Meeting in June. Jay Kaufman is not available the week of June 12th.

We decided to target June 2nd.

9. Voter Registration

Eileen Zalisk

10 Webmaster

Lisah Rhodes

11 New Business

Next Meeting

TUESDAY

April 5, 2022

7:30 PM

Location TBD

PRELIMINARY LIST OF 2021/2022 LEXINGTON LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

FIRST FRIDAY PROGRAMS

Prepared September 28, 2021

(Eileen Gordon Zalisk based on Proposed Schedule from Ingrid Klimoff)

DATE	EVENT	ASSIGNED TO	NOTES
Fri October 1, 2021	Lexington Zoning Primer	Ingrid K	

Fri November 19, 2021 (Third Friday this month)	Human Rights Committee	Ingrid K	With new (as of 7/21) Lexington Diversity Officer Martha Duffield
Fri December 3, 2021	COVID -19/Delta Variant Update in Lexington	Eileen Z	With Director of Public Health Joanne Belanger
Fri January 7, 2022	2020 US Census National State Local Results Redistricting Implications	Margaret Coppe	Senator Will Brownsberger
Friday February 4, 2022		Eileen Z	RESCHEDULED FEBRUARY 18
Friday March 4, 2022	MBTA Communities	Ingrid K	
Friday April 1, 2022	Meet New Town Clerk	Eileen Z	Overview of Role of Town Clerk 2020 Lex Election Review 2020 Lex Election Preview Local redistricting Ways to Register and Vote
Friday May 6, 2022	Lexington Warning Systems in Time of Climate Change	Margaret C (?)	With Fire Chief Derek Sencabaugh
June, 2022 DATE TBD	ANNUAL MEETING FAIR SHARE AMENDMENT	Melinda Walker	PRO JAY KAUFMAN/ RAISE UP CON TBD

FUTURE FIRST FRIDAY TOPICS

• **Where have all the local newspapers gone?**
Also, Minuteman, Colonia Times, Lex Observer

• **Cultural District Designation**

• **Sustainability**

• **How to Increase Local Election Participation**

• **Make Way for New Recreation (e.g. cricket**

- **Lex See Her**