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Thursday, April 16, 2020 5:30-8PM	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 South Staples Street, Corpus Christi, TX 78411	LWV - Lead Education Forum. POSTPONED until Fall -Presentations and Q&A with experts and local organizations on the effects of lead contamination in drinking water. More details to come
Thursday, March 19, 2020 11:30AM-1: 00PM	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 South Staples Street, Corpus Christi, TX 78411	March Lunch Meeting. Cancelled - Our March Lunch is cancelled and the Del Mar Center for Economic Development is closed as we all do our part to flatten the curve and slow the spread of Corona Virus. Local league update and planning Members who want to order a sandwich or salad box lunch at \$10 each can do so by Monday noon, March 16, by calling 445-4436, leaving a message, or by sending an email to lwvcorpuschristi@gmail.com. Open to the public.

Saturday, March 7, 2020 10am Nueces County Courthouse 901 Leopard St #103, Corpus Christi, TX 78401 Votes for Women March. Join us to celebrate 100 years of women winning the right to vote. We will begin at 10:00 AM with a visual display at the Nueces County Courthouse. After remarks from County Judge Barbara Canales, we will march just over 1/2 mile from the Courthouse to historic Artesian Park (524 Twigg st) where we will hold a short rally.

We invite community organizations and individuals to participate, especially women of all ages. At the courthouse, County Judge Barbara Canales will provide special remarks and attendees will be invited to view an historical display in the courthouse lobby that highlights the suffrage movement from 1846 to 1920. Various panels of the exhibit will spotlight participants through the years who made a difference in ensuring women's right to vote. Those participating in the march will be greeted at Artesian Park with additional special remarks.

The significance of the 19 th Amendment has impacted generations of women over the years and particularly enabled all women of color to be afforded the right to vote in the years that followed 1920.

Hosted by the Corpus Christi League of Women Voters, the YWCA, The AAUW, and Delta Sigma Theta For additional information, contact Sandra Heatherley at 361-876-4321 or call the League's phone at 361-445-4436 and leave a message.

Thursday, February 20, 2020 11:30am-1p m Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 South Staples Street,Corpus Christi, TX 78411 **Feb Lunch with Libby Averyt.** Meet Libby Averyt and hear her uniquely Corpus Christi story through the Caller Times to her current job with the local United Way.

Members who want to order a sandwich or salad box lunch at \$10 each can do so by Monday noon, February 17, by calling 445-4436, leaving a message, or by sending an email to www.usenstate.com.

Open to the public.

Thursday, February 13, 2020 6:00pm-9:1 5pm Corpus Christi City Hall Council Chambers 3209 South Staples Street, Corpus Christi TX 78411 **Primary Candidate Forum.** Open to the public Meet the candidates in the primary election, listen to them answer questions, and make informed choices about who to vote for. You will also be able to check out candidates at Vote411.org.

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News Release Date: January 31, 2020 Contact: Paula Breighton, LWV-CC Vice President of Voter Services (970-820-0661; paulabr@mac.com) LWV-CC To Sponsor Candidates Forum on Thursday, February 13, 2020 A Candidates Forum is scheduled Thursday evening, February 13, 2020, featuring candidates on the March 3 Primary Ballot who are seeking election and are opposed. Sponsored by the League of Women Voters-Corpus Christi, the Candidates Forum will be held from 6 p.m. to 9:15 p.m. in Council Chambers at Corpus Christi City Hall, 1201 Leopard Street. The forum is open to the public at no charge. Audience members will include community members, family and friends of the candidates, students and teachers, campaign supporters, and others who want to hear what candidates have to say before Early Voting begins on Tuesday, February 18. Invited to participate in the Thursday, February 13, forum are 19 candidates facing opposition in the following races:

US Representative, District 27 (Democratic Primary, 2 candidates) District Judge, 347 th Judicial District (Republican Primary, 2 candidates) District Attorney, 10 5th Judicial District (Republican Primary, 2 candidates) Nueces County Attorney (Democratic Primary, 2 candidates) Nueces County Commissioners Court, Precinct 3 (Democratic Primary, 2 candidates) Nueces County Constable, Precinct 1 (Democratic Primary, 2 candidates) Nueces County Constable, Precinct 2 (Republican Primary, 4 candidates) Nueces County Constable, Precinct 4 (Republican Primary, 3 candidates) Candidates will be seated on the Council dais and provided an opportunity to share information with the public with an opening statement, responses to questions posed by the League and those seated in the audience, and a closing statement. Forum moderators will be Paula Breighton, the League's Vice

President of Voter Services, and Kathryn Oler, chair of the electronic VOTE 411 voters guide. League President Anne Stewart will bring the welcome. "Before the Candidates Forum gets underway," Breighton said, "we will recognize the almost 30 candidates who are not facing opposition in their respective Primaries." The League will produce both a 16-page printed Voters Guide and an online guide on VOTE411.org, both of which are free to the community.

The League of Women Voters is a nonpartisan, political organization that encourages informed and active participation in government; works to increase understanding of major public policy issues; and influences public policy through education and advocacy. The League does not support or oppose candidates or political parties.

Thursday, January 16, 2020 11:30am Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 South Staples Street Corpus Christi, TX 78411 Jan Lunch - Human Trafficking Update. Representative Todd Hunter will be addressing the topic of human trafficking. He will provide an overview on the topic, what legislation has been enacted, and take questions.

Members who want to order a sandwich or salad box lunch at \$10 each can do so by Monday noon, January 13, by calling 445-4436, leaving a message, or by sending an email to lwvcorpuschristi@gmail.com.

Open to the public.

Thursday, December 12, 2019 11:30am-1p m Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples St. Corpus Christi, TX 78411 **Dec Lunch - Planned Industrial Growth.** Industrial Growth in the Coastal Bend

Errol A. Summerlin, a retired legal aid lawyer and cofounder of Citizens Alliance for Fairness and Progress will speak on the industrial growth planned for the Coastal Bend area.

Members who want to order a sandwich or salad box lunch at \$10 each can call 445-4436 or send an email to lwvcorpuschristi@gmail.com. Payment can be made at the door.

Wednesday , November 20, 2019 11:30AM -1pm	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples St, Corpus Christi, TX 78411	Nov Lunch with Peter Zanoni. Our November lunch meeting will feature the Corpus Christi city manager, Peter Zanoni.
		Open to the public. Luncheon fare can be ordered at \$10 per person fresh green garden salad with choice of dressing or a croissant sandwich with ham, turkey, tuna, or chicken salad. Both choices come with fruit, chips, cookie, and bottled water.
		Meal orders can be placed by sending an email to the League at www.uvcorpuschristi@gmail.com no later than Monday noon, November 18. Payment accepted at the door. If questions, leave message at 445-4436.
Monday, November 4, 2019 4pm	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples St, Corpus Christi, TX 78411 room 106	Public Hearing on 2021 Redistricting. Open to the public. House Committee on Redistricting will hear public and invited comment to help with the 2021 legislative redistricting process.
Thursday, October 17, 2019 11:30AM	Del Mar College Center for Economic Development, 3205 S. Staples Corpus Christi, TX	Legislative Update from Rep Abel Herrero. Join fellow League members and guests on Thursday, October 17, 2019, to hear remarks by The Honorable Rep. Abel Herrero, District 34. He will provide a legislative update on last spring's 86th Legislative Session, and answer questions posed by the audience. Luncheon fare can be ordered at \$10 per person fresh green garden salad with choice of dressing or a croissant sandwich with ham, turkey, tuna, or chicken salad. Both choices come with fruit, chips, cookie, and bottled water.
		Meal orders can be placed by sending an email to the League at lwvcorpuschristi@gmail.com no later than Monday noon, October 14.
		Payment accepted at the door. If questions, leave message at 445-4436.

Saturday, September 28, 2019 9am-12pm

YWCA 4601 Corona Dr Corpus Christi TX

Institute for Public Leadership - Real Women Run!. Join us for the YWCA's Institute for Public Leadership, and help us kick off Corpus Christi's 100th Anniversary Celebration* for the 19th Amendment giving women the right to vote in the United States of America.

Join local campaign managers, politicians, and speakers on September 28th for the YWCA Institute for Public Leadership (IPL), a non-partisan, non-issue campaign-skills workshop for women interested in politics. The event will be held 9-noon at the YWCA, 4601 Corona Drive in Corpus Christi.

Participants will learn about pre-campaign planning, active campaigning, and post campaign execution. A panel of speakers will also share their experiences and be available for questions.

Enrollment opens soon Cost is \$15 Visit http://www.ywcacc.org for more details.

 100th year celebration is cosponsored with the League of Women Voters, Corpus Christi Alumnae Chapter of the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, and American Association of University Women.

Thursday, September 19, 2019 5:30-7:30P M

BUS (Bar Under the Sun) 702 N Chaparral St, Corpus Christi, TX 78401

Rising to the Occasion: Women in Politics. Rising to the Occasion: Women's Success on the Campaign Trail & in Elected Office By Shane Gleason (Assistant Professor of Political Science at Texas A&M University - Corpus Christi) This looks to be an awesome talk about gender norms and female representation on the trail and in the office.

The talented barkeeps at BUS will keep you refreshed all night, you can grab dinner or a snack from a local food truck on site, and you can stay as long as you like to discuss the intricacies of the universe and enjoy the Corpus Christi evening.

This free educational event is open to everyone and their friends, neighbors, and family.

Thursday, August 22, 2019 11:00-12:30	Harvin Center Del Mar College East 101 Baldwin Blvd Corpus Christi TX 78404 La Retama Room	Women's Equality Day Lunch. Please join us August 22, 2019 at 11:00 AM in the La Retama Room of the Harvin Center at Del Mar College East Campus as we celebrate the 99th Anniversary of Women's Right to Vote. There will be food, fun, friends and a silent auction. Our special guest and honoree will be Mrs. Joyce Jarmon, Corpus Christi resident and active member of the League since 1946. Help celebrate her 103rd birthday (a day early). Local university and college students will share stories of women suffragists who are behind this anniversary. Cost = \$15 Parking: Off of Ayers and Kosar Seating is limited; please RSVP by August 12, 2019 to lwv.ccarea@gmail.com or 445-4436 Bring a friend or two with you and sing to Joyce!
Thursday, July 18, 2019 11:30-1:00p m	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples St, Corpus Christi, TX 78411	July Lunch. Party Change in Texas - Is Texas Transitioning into a Purple State? A non-partisan talk on the change in demographics and the implications for party change in Texas. Juan "Carlos" Huerta, Ph.D. Professor of Political Science Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi Thursday, July 18th 11:30-1:00 A Sandwich or Salad box lunch at \$10 each can be ordered by calling the League at 445-4436 or by leaving an email message at lwcorpuschristi@gmail.com . Reservations are needed no later than Tuesday noon, July 16. Public Welcome!

Tuesday, May 21, 2019 5:45 Aras Euro Fusion 6917 S Staples St, Corpus Christi, Texas 78413 **Annual Meeting.** Fellowship and approval of the May 2018 Annual Meeting minutes; discussion and adoption of a proposed budget for 2019-2020; various reports; special recognitions; and election of new officers.

YOU MAY RSVP with your dinner choice by e-mail no later than noon Friday, May 17, to: lwvcorpuschristi@gmail.com
Please note your name and your guest's name, if applicable, and indicate your meal choice(s) by number (1,2,3, or 4). You may bring your payment (check, money order, or cash) with you the night of the event. (Sorry, we are unable to accept credit card payments.) You may also mail reservations and checks to: LWV-CC Attn: Annual Meeting PO Box 8276 Corpus Christi, TX 78468

Four Plated Meal Options Available, at \$33 pp, including all service and gratuity. Final Guarantee (with individual selections noted) to be confirmed to League by Friday noon, May 17.

- 1) Vegetarian: Grilled Romaine Salad, coated with in-house honey balsamic vinaigrette; flash grilled for perfect carmelization, served with grilled mushrooms, bell peppers, Roma tomato medallion, and asparagus; topped with crumbled blue cheese or shaved Parmesan Reggiano; served with cup of Tomato Bisque. (if desired, diner can add to this Romaine salad one choice of following--4-oz grilled chicken, 3 shrimp, 4-oz. sliced prime sirloin, or salmon)
- 2) Sliced Beef Tenderloin, with melted blue cheese and mushroom port cream sauce; roasted baby red potatoes, and seasonal vegetable medley; tossed green salad.
- 3)Panko-Crusted Fried Shrimp, with rice pilaf and seasonal vegetable medley; tossed green salad.
- 4) Chicken Parmiagana, with side of Penne Pasta and seasonal vegetable medley; tossed green salad.

Dessert selection: Choice of Crème Brulee or Kahlua Bailey's Mudslide Pie.

Don't want to order a meal? That's okay! League members who want to attend the Annual Meeting but not order a meal

are cordially invited to do so. Your attendance and participation are important and will be appreciated.

 *****Special Donation: If you cannot attend the Annual Meeting this year but are willing to underwrite the cost of one meal (\$33) for one of our TAMU-CC or Del Mar College student members: please contact LWV-CC President Chris Garcia at 244-4193 or at garciachris1714@gmail.com to confirm your donation. Your payment can be mailed to the League address noted above.

Thursday, April 25, 2019 11:30am-1: 00pm Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples St, Corpus Christi, TX 78411 **April Lunch Meeting - Home Appraisals.** My house is Appraised at WHAT???

Topic: Residential Home Appraisal 101

Date/Time: Thursday, April 25, 2019 @ Room 141

Each Texas county generally sends out its annual NOTICE OF APPRAISED VALUE for residential properties in early April. The LWV of Corpus Christi's very own Sue Williams has volunteered to explain the process and help us wade through the volumes of data/evidence available to each of as property owners to help us decide whether we agree/disagree with the Chief Appraiser's proposed value. Why does Sue have the unique credentials to offer this course? Because she has been a licensed Texas Real Estate Broker for over 23 years; instructor and later Executive Director of the Real Estate Institute of Corpus Christi from 1994+2010; and a member of the Nueces County Appraisal Review Board from 2013+2018.

A Sandwich or Salad box lunch at \$10 each can be ordered by calling the League at 445-4436 or by leaving an email message at lwcorpuschristi@gmail.com. Reservations are needed no later than Tuesday noon, April 23.

Public Welcome!

Thursday, March 21, 2019 11:30am-1: 00pm	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples St. Corpus Christi, TX 78411	March Lunch - Port Industries of Corpus Christi. Robert Paulison, Executive Director of the Port Industries of Corpus Christi (PICC), will speak about what and who PICC is (trade group for Industry) and will share the results of the organization's biennial community survey. The meeting will be held from 11:30 am-1 p.m. Thursday, March 21, at the Del Mar College Center for Economic Development. A Sandwich or Salad box lunch at \$10 each can be ordered by calling the League at 445-4436 or by leaving an email message at lwcorpuschristi@gmail.com . Reservations are needed no later than Tuesday noon, March 19.
Thursday, February 21, 2019 11:30-1:00	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples St, Corpus Christi, TX 78411	February Working Planning Lunch. Join us for a working lunch meeting in February. where we will take care of local league business. A sandwich box lunch will be available for \$10 - please place orders at lwvcorpuschristi@gmail.com or call the League at 445-4436 and leave a message.

Monday, February 4, 2019-Tuesd ay, February 5, 2019 Austin, TX

LWV Lobby Days in Austin. Join League members from around the state on Monday, Feb 4, to learn about our priority issues. On Tuesday, Feb 5, 2019, go to the Capitol to advocate for issues important to the League. Making a visit to a legislator's office in the Texas Capitol can have a great influence on how leaders think about issues. Register for Lobby Days on the LWVTX website.... \$25 per person. There is a reduced registration of \$5 for Student LWV members.

Where: Holiday Inn Austin Town Lake, 20 N. IH 35. For discounted hotel rate of \$139/night, click on Holiday Inn Austin Town Lake or call 1-888-615-0509. Code: LWV.

Lobby Days Schedule

Monday, Feb. 4:

12:30 pm Check in

1:00 pm, Lobby Days Advocacy Training

Cinde Weatherby, Voting Rights & Election Law Issue Chair, League of Women Voters of Texas. Will speak on LWVTX priority issue: "Voting Rights & Election Law."

Bob Popinski, Director of Policy, Raise Your Hand Texas, will speak on the LWVTX priority issue: "Financing Public Education in Texas". He is considered an expert on the Texas school finance system.

Evelyn Delgado, President, Healthy Futures of Texas and Chair of the Texas Women's Healthcare Coalition, will speak on LWVTX priority issue: "Women's Health in Texas." Delgado has extensive experience as a senior-level executive leader in public health at the Texas Department of State Health Services, including overseeing women's and children's health programs.

4:00 pm LWVTX Conference. Delegates will consider and vote on an update to the current Criminal Justice position. All members are welcome! 5:00 Janet Imhoff, VP and Advocacy Chair - League Advocacy & Lobbying 5:30 Adjourn

Evening of Feb. 4: 6:30-9:00

Join League members from across the state at a special dinner program at The Austin Club and help support the mission of the League at the Making Democracy Work Dinner! Individual tickets are \$100 pp and can be ordered online at the LWVTX website. Victoria M DeFrancesco Soto, Ph.D. will speak on "The Power of Women" Voting, Policy, and Politics in Texas. Dr. Soto is a lecturer at The University of Texas' LBJ School of Public Affairs, where she was selected as one of UT's Game Changers. Most recently, Victoria was a featured expert in the PBS documentary "Willie Velasquez: Your Vote is Your Voice," about the civil rights trailblazer.

Tuesday, Feb. 5th

9:00 am + Ride the hotel shuttle from the hotel and gather at the Capitol to visit with legislators and discuss League priority issues.

Thursday, January 17, 2019 11:30-1pm Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples St, Corpus Christi, Texas 78411

January Lunch - Voter Registrar Training. The January lunch meeting this month features free training for league members and community individuals who want to be deputized as Voter Registrars for 2019 and 2020.

Training starts at noon and lasts about 45 minutes. League business to be briefly discussed prior.

Training will be provided by Brenda Nunez, Voter Registration Supervisor for Nueces County. Participants who complete the training will receive voter registration materials and their DVR number and may begin registering voters in Nueces County.

Box lunch available for order. Cost is \$10 and reservations are required by noon Tuesday (1/15) by leaving a message at lwvcorpuschristi@gmail.com or 361-445-4436.

11:30 : networking and lunch boxes 11:50-12:10 league business 12:10-1 : voter registration training

Tuesday, November 13, 2018 11:30am -1pm Del Mar Center For Economic Development 3209 S Staples St, Corpus Christi, Texas 78411 November Meeting - Legislative Update. One of the League's favorite membership meetings is hearing from three of the Coastal Bend's elected legislators about what's ahead in the upcoming legislative session and having an opportunity to ask questions about issues and legislative concerns.

Come hear from State Senator Juan Chuy Hinojosa (D, District 20) and State Representatives Todd Hunter (R, District 32)) and Abel Herrero (D, District 34) at the November membership meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 13 from 11:30-1.

A sandwich box lunch with chips, fruit, cookie, and water can be ordered by emailing the League at lwvcorpuschristi@gmail.com. The cost is \$10 (member) and \$12 (guest).

Everyone is welcome!

Thursday, October 18, 2018 6-9pm Corpus Christi
City Hall
1201 Leopard
St.
Corpus Christi.
TX 78401

Council Chambers General Election Candidate Forum. Come hear from the candidates who will be on your ballot in November. Listen and then make an informed decision on who will best represent our community.

Candidates for the following races are invited:

- US House of Representatives, Congressional District 27;
- Corpus Christi Mayor;
- Corpus Christi City Council At-Large;
- Corpus Christi City Council Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5.

The forum will provide an opportunity to candidates facing opposition in their respective races to share information with the public with an opening statement, responses to questions posed by the League and those seated in the audience, and a closing statement.

Facebook Live or watch on TV (CCTV + Spectrum Channel 1300, Grande Channel 20, AT&T Uverse Channel 99)
Replays October 20th @ 7 p.m. & October 22nd @ 9 a.m.

Thursday, October 11, 2018 6-9pm Corpus Christi
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TX 78401

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The forum will provide an opportunity to candidates facing opposition in their respective races to share information with the public with an opening statement, responses to questions posed by the League and those seated in the audience, and a closing statement.

Invited are the candidates in the following races:

- State Representative, District 34;
- State Board of Education, District 2;
- District Judges, 105th and 148th Courts;
- Nueces County Clerk;
- Nueces County District Clerk;
- Nueces County Judge;
- Nueces County Commissioners Court, Precinct 1;
- Nueces County Court at Law #1;
- Nueces County Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1, Place 2;
- Del Mar College Board of Regents, District 1 and At-Large.

Facebook Live or watch on TV (CCTV + Spectrum Channel 1300, Grande Channel 20, AT&T Uverse Channel 99)
Replays on October 13th @ 7 p.m. & October 15th @ 9 a.m.

Tuesday, September 25, 2018		 National Voter Registration Day. National Voter Registration Day is scheduled Tuesday, September 25, 2018, and the Corpus Christi League of Women Voters will be among hundreds of organizations and groups throughout the United States helping register voters and encouraging them to vote in the November 6 election. The League has designated the following three venues: Keach Family Library in Robstown (Highway 44 at Richard Borchard Fairgrounds), 10 a.m2 p.m. and 4:00-6:30 p.m. Corpus Christi City Hall, 1201 Leopard, 10 a.m2 p.m. Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi, University Center Bookstore, 6300 Ocean Drive, 10 a.m1 p.m. Remember, you must be registered by 10/9 in order to vote in the November General Election!
Thursday, September 20, 2018 11:30am-1p m	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples St. Corpus Christi, TX 78411 Room TBD	September Lunch - Bond 2018 on the Ballot. Come hear Valerie Gray from the City of Corpus Christi talk about the 2018 Bond Propositions. Attendees are welcome to order a box lunch by emailing lwvcorpuschristi@gmail.com by Tuesday noon, September 18. Lunches are \$10 for members and \$12 for non-members. Everyone is welcome!
Tuesday, August 28, 2018 11:15 am	Corpus Christi City Hall 1201 Leopard Str Corpus Christi, TX 78401 Council Chambers	Proclamation for 2018 Women's Equality Day at Council Chambers. Proclamation for 2018 Women's Equality Day at City Council Chambers

Del Mar Center August Lunch - City Budget. Where does the money Thursday, August 16, for Economic come from, where does it go, and why does it matter? 2018 Development Assistent City Manager Sylvia Carrillo will discuss the 11:30am-1p current city budget and its long term effect on our 3209 S Staples Corpus Christi, community. m TX 78411 Attendees are welcome to order a box lunch by emailing Room TBD lwvcorpuschristi@gmail.com by Tuesday noon, August 14. Lunches are \$10 for members and \$12 for non-members. Everyone is welcome! Thursday, Del Mar Center July Membership Luncheon. We are co-hosting the meeting with the Coastal Bend Center for Independent July 19, for Economic 2018 Living (CBCIL) in recognition of National Disability Voter Development 11:30 3209 S Staples Registration Week July 16-20 and celebration of its national Corpus Christi, campaign, REV UP--Register! Educate! Vote! Use Your TX 78411 Power! Room 1 Molly Broadway, representing Disability Rights Texas, will speak of voter rights for people with disabilities. She will be introduced by Marshall Burns, CBCIL Board member who will address the importance of the disability vote and details of the national REV UP campaign called REV UP--Register! Educate! Vote! Everyone welcome to attend. If you would like to make a lunch reservation at \$12 per person, please email the League at lwvcorpuschristi@gmail.com no later than Thursday noon, July 12. No reservation is required if you wish to attend without lunch. Payment (cash or check) is due at the door. Cancellations received after noon on Thursday, July 12, will be billed. A buffet catered by the Del Mar Culinary Arts Program will include chicken fajitas, Spanish rice, pinto beans, assorted toppings, chips, dessert, and beverage.

Thursday, May 24, 2018 5:30-7:30p m	Sugarbakers 2766 Santa Fe St Corpus Christi, TX 78404	May Annual Meeting. Join us as we elect members of the board, celebrate our successful past year and plan business for the upcoming year. menu and cost coming soon: email lwvcorpuschristi@gmail.com to RSVP
Thursday, April 26, 2018 5:30pm	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S. Staples Corpus Christi, TX 78411 room 141	Right To Vote Centennial Planning Meeting. Join the steering committee to help the LWV and many other local organizations plan a 2020 Centennial Right To Vote Celebration.
Thursday, April 19, 2018 5:30-7pm	BUS (Bar Under the Sun) 702 N. Chaparral St. Corpus Christi, TX 78401	April Meeting: Dark Matter Matters. Barbara Szczerbinska, esteemed physics professor from TAMU-CC will be speaking to us about science and the universe. Don't miss the special evening meeting at BUS - a new bar and event space in downtown Corpus Christi.
Tuesday, April 10, 2018 11:30AM	First United Methodist Church 900 S Shoreline Blvd Corpus Christi, TX 78401	Equal Pay Day Celebration. YWCA Equal Pay Day recognizing the day in the new year that women earn what men earned in the previous year. Speaker: Dr. John Cicala "Workplace Negotiation Skills for Women." Register online at http://www.ywcacc.org \$5 for women \$6.06 for men
Thursday, March 22, 2018 11:30-1:00	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples Corpus Christi, TX 78411	March Lunch Meeting. Dr. Isabel Araiza, Associate Professor of Sociology at Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi, will speak about the importance of voting as it relates to college students. A croissant sandwich box lunch prepared by the Del Mar College Culinary Dept. can be ordered by League members and guests at \$10 each. Deadline to order lunch is Tuesday noon, March 19, by emailing lwvcorpuschristi@gmail.com . Everyone welcome!

Thursday, February 15, 2018 6-9pm	Corpus Christi City Hall 1201 Leopard St Corpus Christi, TX 78401 City Council Chambers	Primary Election Candidate Forum. Come hear from all the candidates running in contested primary races to help you make an educated and informed vote!
Thursday, January 18, 2018 11:30-1pm	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples Corpus Christi, TX 78411	January Lunch Meeting. Presentation on "Complete Streets" (what is it, do we use it, should we?) by Elena Buentello and Andrew Dimas. Complete Streets integrates people and place in the planning, design, construction, operation, and maintenance of a city's transportation networks. Planning for the March primary election! Forum on February 15, Voter Guides, voter registration opportunities, PAVP Grant RSVP to 361-445-4436 only if you want to purchase a box lunch (\$10 for members, \$12 for non members) Public Welcome!
Thursday, November 16, 2017 11:30-1pm	Del Mar Center for Economic Excellence 3209 S Staples St Corpus Christi, TX 78411	November Lunch Meeting. Hear from Dr Nancy Vera about education, grants, and CC ISD. RSVP to 361-455-4536 if you want to purchase a bx lunch (\$10 for members, \$12 for non-members) Public Welcome Stay after the meeting for a brief summary of our PAVP grant and how you can get involved!

Tuesday, October 24, 2017 5:30-7pm	Ben F McDonald Library 4044 Greenwood Dr, Corpus Christi, TX 78416	Planning Meeting for PAVP grant. LWV-CC will hold a planning meeting with prospective community partners on Tuesday, Oct. 24, 2017, from 5:30-7 p.m. at the Ben F. McDonald Library at Greenwood and Horne Rd., regarding the Public Advocacy for Voter Protection grant. Community organizations who share the League's goal "to mitigate the impact of the Texas voter photo ID laws," or who need additional information are invited to contact LWV-CC President Chris Davis Garcia at garciachris1714@gmail.com
Thursday, October 19, 2017 5:30pm	Havana Club 500 N Water St #105 Corpus Christi, TX 78401	The Lowdown on Downtown. Join the League of Women Voters in enjoying an evening downtown to learn about the development and revitalization of downtown. A sign of a successful city is a vibrant downtown with art, business, people, food, and personality. What makes downtown Corpus Christi unique and special and how can we make it even better? How are we drawing people downtown to live, work, and play? Find out what is new now and what is coming soon. Delicious complimentary snacks from Havana and cash bar
Thursday, September 21, 2017 11:30-1:00p m	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S. Staples Corpus Christi, TX 78411	Lunch Meeting - Legislative Update. Come hear what our state government is up to from Todd Hunter, Chuy Hinojosa, and Abel Herrerro Everyone welcome. Call 361-455-4536 to reserve a lunch box (\$10 for members, \$12 for non-members). No need to call if you don't need a lunch.
Tuesday, August 22, 2017 11:15am	Corpus Christi City Hall Council Chambers 1201 Leopard Street Corpus Christi, TX 78401	Women's Equality Day. Celebrate the 97th anniversary of women's right to vote with city council.

Thursday, August 17, 2017 11:30-1:00p m	Del Mar Center for Economic Development room 106 3209 S. Staples Corpus Christi, TX 78411	August Lunch Meeting - Port of Corpus Christi. Come hear Executive Director, John LaRue, and Port Commissioner Barbara Canales talk about the future development plans for the Port of Corpus Christi. RSVP to 361-455-4536 if you want to reserve a lunch box (\$10 for members, \$12 for non-members) or bring your own.
Thursday, July 20, 2017 11:30-1:00p m	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples, Corpus Christi TX 78411	July Lunch Meeting. Come get a LWV update and get deputized to register voters!
Thursday, April 20, 2017 7-9pm	Corpus Christi City Hall 1201 Leopard St Corpus Christi, TX 78401	Candidate Forum for Mayor. Mayoral Candidate Forum for May 6 special election. Listen to candidates, ask questions, and make an informed vote. Early voting April 24-May 4.
Thursday, March 23, 2017 11:30AM-1:0 0PM	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples St, Corpus Christi, TX 78411	March Lunch Meeting. Meet Elaine Wiant, president of the Texas League of Women Voters, hear a Legislative Update, and discuss Strategies to increase May 6, 2017 Registered VOTER Participation in the upcoming special election for Mayor Barbecue Lunch free to all current LWV-CC MembersGuest or non-member \$15 In order to eat - you MUST RSVP to 361-537-1313. Del Mar Center for Economic Development - room 106
Thursday, February 23, 2017 11-1pm	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples St, Corpus Christi, TX 78411	Monthly Lunch Meeting. Annual planning meeting to set strategic goals and plans for the upcoming year.

Monday, January 30, 2017-Tuesda y, January 31, 2017	Austin, TX	LWV Texas Lobby Days. http://lwvtexas.org/ for more information and to register
Thursday, January 19, 2017 11-12:30	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples St, Corpus Christi, TX 78411 Room 118	January Lunch Meeting. "Texas A&M University Corpus Christi - Opportunities and Challenges" with Interim President, Dr Kelly Quintanilla lunch 11:20 - 11:40 lwv business 11:40 - 12:00 speaker 12:00-12:30
Tuesday, January 10, 2017 5:15-7pm	Emerald Beach Hotel	Monthly Executive Board Meeting.
Thursday, December 15, 2016 5:30-7pm	Emerald Beach Hotel 1102 S Shoreline Blvd, Corpus Christi, TX 78401	Holiday Meeting. Wrap up the year with door prizes, complimentary appetizers and desserts, hot and cold beverages, wine and beer. Must be a current member to attend (you can join at the door or on-line now!)Please RSVP to
Thursday, October 27, 2016 11:30am-1p m	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 South Staples St Corpus Christi, TX 78411	Monthly Meeting - School Bond Presentations. Presentations on the Corpus Christi ISD (\$194M) and Del Mar South Campus (\$139M) Bonds. Know before you vote!
Thursday, October 20, 2016	City Council Chambers 1201 Leopard Street Corpus Christi, TX 78401	Candidate Forum. Mayor City Council Districts 1,2,3,4 At Large City Council Del Mar Trustees District 2, 5 Del Mar Trustee At Large Representative CCISD Trustees

Thursday, October 13, 2016 6-9:30PM	City Council Chambers 1201 Leopard Street Corpus Christi, TX 78401	Candidate Forum 1. US Representative District 27 Texas Senate District 20 13th Court of Appeals Place 3 214th District Court Judge Nueces County District Attorney Nueces County Sheriff Nueces County Commissioner Precinct 1 Nueces County Justice of the Peace Precinct 1 Place 1 Nueces County Justice of the Peace Precinct 2 Place 1
Friday, October 7, 2016 5:30-10pm	Downtown Corpus Christi	Voter Registration Table. We will be registering voters!
Tuesday, September 27, 2016	Del Mar Campus TAMU CC Campus	National Voter Registration Day. Join us at various locations to help register new voters - contact Sandra Heatherly at (361)876-4321 to volunteer.
Thursday, September 15, 2016 11:30-1pm	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S. Staples Corpus Christi, TX 78411 Corner of Kostoryz & South Staples	September Lunch Meeting. City Budget Process District 4 City Council Member Colleen McIntyre will show us where the money comes from and where it goes.
Thursday, August 18, 2016 11:30-1pm	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S. Staples Corpus Christi, TX 78411 Corner of Kostoryz & South Staples	August Lunch Meeting. Countywide Polling Program (Voting Centers) Party Leaders and the County Clerk will present information and answer questions on the State Countywide Polling Program. Nueces County has applied to participate in this program which would no longer require people to vote in their assigned precinct on Election Day. Instead, everyone would be able to vote in any polling place, like Early Voting.

Tuesday, July 12, 2016 5-7pm	Emerald Beach Hotel 1102 S Shoreline Blvd. Corpus Christi, TX 78401	LWV-CC Board Meeting. Monthly Board Meeting
Thursday, May 26, 2016 5:30-7:30	Emerald Beach Hotel 1102 S Shoreline Blvd, Corpus Christi, TX 78401	Annual Meeting. 5:30-6:00 Networking and Membership Renewal 6:10-7:10 Business Meeting 7:15-7:30 Door Prizes LWV-CC no cost Guests \$10 Delicious appetizers, drinks, delectable desserts
Tuesday, April 19, 2016 11:30-1:00p m	Del Mar College Center for Economic Development 3209 South Staples Room 117	April Lunch Meeting. Planning for the Annual Meeting and the upcoming year: Budgets, Program Topics, Board Nominations RSVP by Friday, 4/15 to 361-445-4436 to reserve your lunchbox
Wednesday, March 30, 2016 11:30-1:00P M	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3209 S Staples, Corpus Christi TX 78411 Corner of Kostoryz & South Staples	March Member Lunch with TX Secretary of State, Carlos H. Cascos. Secretary Cascos will discuss responsibilities of the Office of Secretary of State, Voter Rights, Motor Voter Law, and the Texas and Mexican Affairs Division for 30 minutes and then answer questions. We will meet in room 106. Call 361-445-4436 to reserve your spot!
Tuesday, March 1, 2016 5:30-7pm	Emerald Beach Hotel 1102 S Shoreline Blvd, Corpus Christi, TX 78401	March Board Meeting.

Thursday, February 11, 2016 6:00-9:30PM	City Council Chambers 1201 Leopard Street Corpus Christi, TX	LWV Primary Candidate Forum. Candidates invited from contested races - County Commissioner, Precinct 3; Justice of Peace, Precinct 2, Place 1; Constable, Precinct 1, Constable, Precinct 3; Constable, Precinct 5; and County Chair of Nueces County Democratic Party
Tuesday, February 9, 2016 5:30-7pm	Emerald Beach Hotel 1102 S Shoreline Blvd, Corpus Christi, TX 78401	February Board Meeting.
Tuesday, February 2, 2016 6:30-8:30PM	City Council Chambers 1201 Leopard Street Corpus Christi, TX	LWV Primary Candidate Forum. Candidates invited from contested races - US Representative, District 27;13th Court of Appeals, Place 3; 214th District Judge; District Attorney; and Nueces County Sheriff
Thursday, January 21, 2016 11:30-1:00	Del Mar College Center for Economic Development, 3209 Staples, Corpus Christi TX Corner of Kostoryz & South Staples	City Ad Hoc Streets Committee. Why was the Ad Hoc Street Committee formed? Who is on it? What do they hope to accomplish? What have they done so far? Find out from our distinguished speakers: City Councilman Rudy Garza, City Councilman Chad Magill, Committee Chairman Andy Taubman Lunch Reservations - Box Lunch available for \$10 by January 19, 2016 Box Lunch Reservations 361-445-4436
Tuesday, January 5, 2016 5:15 - 7PM	Emerald Beach Hotel 1102 S Shoreline Blvd, Corpus Christi, TX 78401	Monthly Board Meeting.

Thursday, December 10, 2015 5-7pm	Emerald Beach Hotel 1102 S Shoreline Blvd, Corpus Christi, TX 78401	Member Holiday Meeting. Enjoy the festive roast beef carving station, fruit and vegetable platters, potato skins, wine, beer, coffee, and tea while visiting with LWV-CC friends and hoping to win fabulous door prizes (restaurant and retail gift cards, gift baskets) You must be a LWV-CC member to attend (still time to join up and come to the party!) Call 361-445-4436 to RSVP or request a ride An unwrapped Toys for Tots gift would be appreciated.
Thursday, November 19, 2015 11:30am-1p m	Del Mar Economic Development Center Corner of Kostoryz & South Staples 3209 South Staples Street, Room 108 Corpus Christi, TX	Consensus Meeting - Payday & Auto Title Loans in Texas. Payday & Auto Loans in Texas Panel Presentation Pros and Cons LWV-CC Members your opinion is important STUDY ITEMS FOR REVIEW Fact & Issues Sheet-Payday & Auto Title Loans in Texas Consensus Questions to consider Lunch Reservations Box Lunch available -\$10 - by November 17, 2015 Box Lunch Reservations 361-445-4436 Door prizes for LWV-CC members \$50 HEB gift card \$25 Longhorn Steakhouse
Thursday, October 15, 2015 11:30am-1p m	Del Mar Economic Development Center Corner of Kostoryz & South Staples 3209 South Staples Street, Room 108 Corpus Christi, TX	Analyses of Proposed Seven (7) Constitutional Amendments for the November 3, 2015 Constitutional Amendment Election. October LWV-CC Monthly Membership Meeting. Guest speaker: Dr. Juan Urbano, Jr. Assistant Professor TAMU-CC. Dr. Urbano's research interests include Rural vs. Urban Political Divides, Minority Political Behavior, Campaigns and Elections, and Interest Group Behavior. Lunch Complimentary for current LWV-CC Members or those who join by October 13, 2015

		Lunch Reservations due by October 13, 2015, 361-445-4436 Questions: contact LWV-CC President Dr. Mary Jane Garza drmaryjanegarza@gmail.com
Thursday, September 24, 2015 11:30am-1p m	Del Mar Center for Economic Development (corner of Kostoryz & South Staples) 3209 South Staples Street Corpus Christi, Texas 78411	LWV-CC Monthly Membership September 2015 Meeting. Our September meeting will focus on voter registration and will feature Mr. Tyner Little, Americans with Disabilities Act compliance officer for Nueces County and Ms. Kara Sands, Nueces County Clerk. These speakers will bring us up-to-date on the current status of Nueces County polling sites and the plans to assure that ADA compliance is achieved and acceptable to the Department of Justice. Their presentation will be from Noon to 1:00 with time for questions and answers from the audience. Following their presentation Ms. Nuri Rodriguez, Voter Registration Supervisor for Nueces County will train any of our members needing their initial or renewed training to become certified deputy voter registrars. This dual presentation should be very informative and worthwhile for all members. Box lunches will be provided by the Del Mar Culinary Arts Department, please call the League's answering service at 445-4436 and leave a message to reserve a box lunch. The cost is \$10. For those who want to attend but not eat, that's fine! You may bring your own brown bag or snack if you like. See you there!!

Friday, August 28, 2015 6-9pm Corpus Christi Country Club 6300 Everhart Rd Corpus Christi 78413 Women's Equality Day Celebration. A Celebration and fund-raiser to recognize the 95th anniversary of the 19th Amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America which gave women the Right to Vote!! Come join the League of Women Voters-Corpus Christi for a special evening of networking and fellowship, delicious food, music, silent auction, and recognition program.

Honorees are TRAILBLAZERS whose life's work has closely aligned with the League's mission. They are:

Nelda Martinez, Mayor of Corpus Christi

Diana Barrera, Former Nueces County Clerk

Suzie Canales, Environmental Activist

Judy Hawley, Chairwoman, Port Commission

Jessica Davila-Burnett, Stripes Executive

The late Linda Bridges, President of the Texas American Federation of Teachers

Three organizations in our community also will be honored for their efforts in "Making Democracy Work." They are:

The Corpus Christi YWCA

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Alumnae

The Corpus Christi Caller-Times

Cost is \$40 for LWV-CC members and \$80 for non-members. Invite a friend to join you, and make your reservation here on this website

For more information, call the League at 445-4436.

Thursday, July 16, 2015 11:301:00	Del Mar Economic Center 3209 South Staples Street (corner of Kostoryz & South Staples) Corpus Christi, Texas 78411	LWV-CC Monthly Membership July 2015 Meeting. Topic: Legislative Update-84th Legislative Session Invited Speakers: Senator Juan "Chuy" Hinojosa Representative Todd Hunter Representative Abel Herrerro Box Lunch available at \$10 Please call the following number by July 14, 2015 for Box Lunch Reservations: 361 445-4436
Tuesday, July 7, 2015 5:30-7pm	Emerald Beach Hotel Kokomo Room 1102 So. Shoreline Corpus Christi, TX 78401	Monthly Board Meeting. Monthly LWV-CC July Executive Board Open Meeting

Saturday, June 13, 2015 9am-2:30pm	YWCA 4601 Corona Drive Corpus Christi, TX	Board Retreat. New officers for the League of Women Voters-Corpus Christi Area were elected on May 23, 2015, at an annual meeting which celebrated the 70th anniversary of the local League. The new Board will hold a planning retreat on Saturday, June 13, at the YWCA to discuss leadership opportunities, program planning, and dates for meetings and special activities. The following officers will lead the 85-member organization during 2015-2016:
		President: Dr. Mary Jane Garza VP Program: Judy Landress VP Community Relations: Bobbie Wood-Hughes VP Member Services: Chris Davis Garcia Treasurer: Alex Garcia Jr. Secretary: Michele Villarreal-Kuchta Directors: Sally Farris, Coretta Graham, Dr. Matilda Saenz Nominating Committee Chair: Maria Jimenez
		LWV-CC was founded in the mid-1940s and has worked since then to meet the League's mission as a non-partisan, political organization that promotes informed and active participation in government, works to increase understanding of major public policy issues, and influences public policy through education and advocacy. The League does not support any candidate or any political party. The membership year is June 1 through May 31.
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Saturday, May 23, 2015 10am-12pm	Sugarbaker's 2766 Santa Fe Corpus Christi, Texas	70th LWV-CC Annual Meeting. All members are strongly encouraged to attend! Please RSVP (leave a message at 445-4436) on or before May 21st. The menu will include waffles, quiche, French toast and other breakfast pastries as well as champagne flavored mimosas. The cost for this special brunch occasion is \$20 per person, and we encourage you to bring your spouse or a friend who is interested in the work of

the League. See the May 2015 VOTER for more details

including Nominees for Office.

Thursday, April 16, 2015 5:30-8:00pm	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3216 So. Staples Room 106	 Water Management in South Texas: A Public Forum. A panel discussion to answer the following questions and any more posed by the audience: HOW ARE WATER PROJECTS IN SOUTH TEXAS PLANNED, FUNDED, AND IMPLEMENTED? WHAT IS THE IMPACT OF DROUGHT ON OUR REGION? WHAT ACTION CAN YOU AS A CITIZEN TAKE TO EFFECT PENDING LEGISLATION AND CONSERVATION?? PANELISTS:: Mr. Bech Bruun, Board Member, Texas Water Development Board, Ms. Alyssa Burgin, Director, Texas Drought Project, Ms. Carola Serrato, Co-chair, Region N Water Planning Group, and Mr. Mark Van Vleck, Executive Director of Utilities, City of Corpus Christi Moderator: Ms. Rocky Freund, Deputy Executive Director, Nueces River Authority Refreshments will be served. Open to the Public
Thursday, March 19, 2015 11:30am-1p m	Hibachi Grill 5274 South Staples Corpus Christi, Texas	Monthly Membership Meeting. The Del Mar Center for Economic Development will be closed for spring break from March 15th to 21st. So, we will be returning to the Hibachi Grill on Thursday, March 19th, for our monthly meeting. The Grill is located at 5274 South Staples with plenty of accessible parking and a great Chinese luncheon buffet. Our program will be a discussion of the position statements that the LWV-CC has related to areas of local government and natural resources. Our local, state and national positions are reviewed annually and these positions assist the League leadership when speaking to government representatives. All members are welcome and invited to participate in this important discussion.

Thursday, February 19, 2015 11:30am-1:0 0pm	Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3216 So. Staples Across from Ray H. S. Corpus Christi TX	Monthy Membership Meeting. February 19 meeting to focus on city's new comprehensive plan. This month we will have an informative program on the City of Corpus Christi's new comprehensive plan, PlanCC 2035, scheduled for Thursday, February 19, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Our speaker will be Annika Gunning, Project Manager and local liaison to the planning efforts. She will discuss the purpose of Plan CC, goals, policies, strategies, implementation and schedule of adoption. If you would like to order a sandwich box lunch, prepared by the DMC Catering Department, please contact 361-445-4436 to reserve your lunch. The cost is \$10. For those who want to attend but not eat, that's fine. You may bring your own brown bag or snack if you like.
Thursday, January 15, 2015 11:30-1:00p m	Del Mar College Center for Economic Development, Room 107 3011 So.Staples St. Corpus Christi, TX	Monthly Membership Meeting. An update on the Regional Transportation Authority (RTA) is scheduled for Thursday, January 15, 2015. Our meeting room is 107. Speakers will be Vangie Chapa, chair of the RTA Board, and Scott Neeley, CEO of the RTA. They will discuss the goals and priorities of the RTA and have an interactive discussion with the audience. If you would like to order a sandwich box lunch, prepared by the DMC Catering Dept., please call Elena Buentello at 361-438-2481 or e-mail her at elenabuentello@gmail.com, and leave a message to reserve a box lunch. The cost is \$10. For those who want to attend but not eat, that's fine! You may bring your own brown bag or snack if you like.
Tuesday, November 18, 2014 6pm	Del Mar College Center for Economic Development, Room 106 Corpus Christi, TX	Monthly Membership Meeting - Evening event - Move to Amend. Current status of the Move to Amend initiative. This is a grassroots movement to encourage the Congress to offer a constitutional amendment to overturn the SupremeCourt ruling in Citizens United v. FEC. that established "personhood"for corporations. There will be a panel discussion regarding the progress that has been made by this initiative in the past year and the stance taken by LWV regarding money in politics Light refreshments/registration at 6:00 PM; program commencing at 6:30.

Wednesday, October 15, 2014 6-9pm	1201 Leopard Street City Hall Council Chambers	Candidate Forum: Mayor, City Council, CCISD, Del Mar. Our second public forum of October will features the candidates for Mayor, City Council-at-Large and by district, CCISD School Board and Del Mar Board of Regents.Listen to candidates answer questions submitted by the audience. Learn the function of these offices, Decide which candidate is best qualified in your own opinion. Be Prepared to Vote!
Monday, October 6, 2014 6-9pm	1201 Leopard Street City Hall Council Chambers	Candidate Forum; Federal, State, and County offices. Our first forum in October features candidates for U.S. House of Representatives, District Judges, Nueces County Judge, County Courts at Law, District Clerk, County Clerk, Justice of the Peace. Listen to candidates answer questions submitted by the audience. Learn the function of these offices, Decide which candidate is best qualified in your own opinion. Be Prepared to Vote!
Thursday, September 18, 2014 11:30am-1p m	Del Mar College Center for Economic Development, Room 107 Corpus Christi, TX	Monthly membership meeting - Bond issues. Presentations from Claudia Jackson of Del Mar College, Lorette Williams of Corpus Christi ISD and Natasha Fudge, P.E. of City of Corpus Christi. A brief question and answer session will follow each presentation. Come and hear what's on the horizon for our community and gain the key information needed to make an informed decision this November! To reserve a box lunch plus drink (cost \$10), call 445-4436 by Monday, September 15 or simply "brown bag" your lunch. Our meetings are open to the public.
Saturday, September 13, 2014 1-3pm	215 Louisiana Corpus Christi, Texas	Membership Tea. LWV members and invited guests, including candidates for Corpus Christi City Council.

Thursday, July 17, 2014 11:30-1:00 Del Mar Center for Economic Development 3011 So.Staples St. Corpus Christi, Texas July Monthly Membership Meeting. A LOOK AHEAD! Plus Get Deputized to Register Voters! The League's July luncheon meeting is scheduled for Thursday, July 17, at the Del Mar College Center for Economic Development, Room 117. Learn about what's on the horizon for the LWV-CC including future networking dates, reports on LWV-Texas, pay day loans as a state study, as well as LWV-US information and updates. Additionally, Nuri Rodriguez with Nueces County will provide a brief presentation and everyone in attendance will have the opportunity to become or renew as deputized voter registrars! For those wishing to eat a box lunch plus drink (cost \$10), lunch will be served upon arrival. Please call the League's answering service at 445-4436 by Monday, July 14, to reserve your seat and lunch. We happily encourage "brown bragging" your lunch for those who prefer to not to RSVP or for those who are unable to RSVP by the Monday, July 14th deadline. Our meetings are open to the public as well as members.

Saturday, May 17, 2014 10am-noon Sugarbakers Bakery 2766 Santa Fe

Annual Meeting. RSVP to 361-445-4436

The 69th Annual Meeting of the Corpus Christi Area League of Women Voters is scheduled for May 17th from 10 AM to noon at Sugarbakers Bakery located at 2766 Santa Fe. In the past this has been an evening event and fundraiser for the league. This year we are trying a different time, location, and program than past years. Members will enjoy a champagne brunch while voting on the new slate of nominees for officers and approving the budget proposed for next year. There may be a surprise speaker at our brunch but at this writing the plan is for us to discuss the league's direction and business with the broad membership. The cost for attending is \$ 15.00 to cover the cost of the champagne and brunch. Please RSVP your intention to attend by calling and leaving a message at 361-445-4436 to insure the proper amount of the delicious breakfast/lunch menu is prepared. This is a great opportunity for members to assist in shaping our future actions for the community and the 2014 elections. Please plan to attend!!

Thursday, April 17, 2014 11:30am-1:0 0pm Del Mar Center for Economic Development Room 117 3209 So. Staples Across from Ray High School

Monthly meeting. APRIL MEETING TO HIGHLIGHT NEW INDUSTRY

Our April Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 17 and will convene at 11:30 in room 117 at the Delmar Center for Economic Development campus. Our speaker will be Mr. Jeff Shea who is currently working for M&G Resin Company in South Carolina and is scheduled to be the site manager for the M&G facility planned for the corpus Christi ship channel. He will bring us up-to-date regarding the permitting process and the expected date for the opening of the new plant. There will be box lunches served for those who want to eat lunch during the session. Please call the league's number at 361-445-4436 to make a reservation for the box lunch. Those who attended last month were very positive about this new location and the lunches served by the Del Mar Culinary Arts Department. The cost for lunch is \$10.00. Bring a friend!! Joyce Jarmon brought a friend last month and she is our newest member!!

Thursday, March 20, 2014 11:30-1:00p m Del Mar Center for Economic Development Room 117 3209 So. Staples Across from Rah High School Monthly Membership Meeting. Mr. Gustavo Gonzalez, Assistant City Manager for Public Works and Utilities, will address our group on March 20th. The topic for discussion is the "Water Management Strategies for Corpus Christi". Our gathering will begin at 11:30 and box lunches will be available for those who want to enjoy lunch and learning. The cost for the lunch is \$10.00. Mr. Gonzalez will bring us up-to-date on the current status of phase 2 of the Mary Rhodes pipeline and the possibility of desalination in our future. It should be a highly informative session, so do plan to attend and bring a friend! Please RSVP by March 18th to 361-445-4436 and leave a voice mail with your intention to attend and the number in your party. This will insure box lunches for all.

Thursday, February 20, 2014 11:30AM-1:0 0PM

HABACHI GRILL CORNER OF STAPLES AND WILLIAMS **MEMBERSHIP MEETING.** Our February meeting will feature the candidates for County Commissioner, Precinct Four. Those candidates for the Republican Party who are running in this primary race are:

- Norm Baker
- Brent Chesney
- Joe McComb Since none of them were able to participate in our public Candidate Forum scheduled for February 10th, they have all graciously agreed to come to our monthly membership meeting and answer questions from those present. Our meetings are open to the public as well as members. For those wishing to eat from the great selection at the buffet of the Hibachi Grill, the cost is \$12.00. The Hibachi Grill is located at the corner of Staples Street and Williams Drive. Arrival is 11:30 AM, with a chance to select your lunch and network with friends prior to the program which begins at noon and ends at 1:00PM County Precinct Four runs from rural Chapman Ranch to suburban south side of Corpus Christi, including Flour Bluff, Padre Island and 21 miles of beaches along the Gulf of Mexico from Port Aransas to Aransas Pass to Red Fish Bay. The Nueces County commissioner for Precinct Four, serves with other members of the Nueces County Commissioners Court. The duties and authority on the Commissioners Court relate to financial management of the County's \$192 million budget, regulatory matters, property acquisition, buildings, Public Health and Welfare, Law Enforcement, Public Works, and many other areas of county affairs. Please plan to attend and bring a friend and your questions.

Monday, February 10, 2014 6-9PM CITY HALL FIRST FLOOR COUNCIL CHAMBERS 1201 LEOPARD STREET CANDIDATES FORUM. CANDIDATES FOR OPPOSED RACES IN NUECES COUNTY WILL HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO STATE THEIR REASONS FOR RUNNING FOR THE OFFICE THEY SEEK AND TO ANSWER QUESTIONS POSED BY THE LWV AND THE AUDIENCE. ASSISTING WITH PRODUCTION OF THE FORUM ARE THE DELTA SIGMA THEATA SORORITY ALUMNAE AND THE LEASDERSHIP CORUS CHRISTI ALUMNI.

Thursday, January 16, 2014 11:30am-1p m	Hibachi Grill Corner of Staples and Williams Corpus Christi, Texas	Position Statement Review. Once each year, our League reviews past position statements ("program") in order to determine if the position needs to be reviewed and updated. The current positions are in the current VOTER. \$12 including gratuity. Prospective members also invited. League position statements enable our leaders to take action.
Wednesday, January 15, 2014 11:30-1:00p m	Del Mar College Center for Economic Development, Room 107 3011 So.Staples St. Corpus Christi, TX	Monthly Membership Meeting. An update on the Regional Transportation Authority (RTA)is scheduled Thursday, January 15, 2015. Our meeting room is 107. Speakers will be Vangie Chapa, chair of the RTA Board, and Scott Neeley, CEO of the RTA. They will discuss the goals and priorities of the RTA and have an interactive discussion with the audience. If you would like to order a sandwich box lunch, prepared by the DMC Catering Dept., please call Elena Buentello at 361-438-2481 or e-mail her at elenabuentello@gmail.com, and leave a message to reserve a box lunch. The cost is \$10. For those who want to attend but not eat, that's fine! You may bring your own brown bag or snack if you like.
Friday, December 20, 2013 5-7:30pm	Dos Comales Cantina 227 Water Street corpus Christi	New Member Recruitment Event. Friday, December 20th is our next LWV-CC scheduled event. It's a Christmas Happy Hour and new member recruitment event. We will gather from 5:30 to 7:00 PM at 227 Water Street in the Dos Comales Cantina. Please pan to attend and bring a friend who is interested in joining in the work of our local League. There will be appetizers and a cash bar with lots of Christmas spirit and enthusiasm for the coming year. Plan to attend and bring a friend!!
Thursday, November 21, 2013 11:30am-1p m	Hibachi Grill & Supreme Buffet 5274 S. Staples Street Corpus Christi, TX 78411	Membership Meeting - Water and the M&G Resins Project.
Thursday, November 7, 2013 evening	Home of LWV Director Pam Maupin	Wine, Women and Wisdom - LWVCC Observer Corps.

Thursday, October 17, 2013 11:30am-1p m	Hibachi Grill Staples & Williams Corpus Christi, TX 78413	Membership lunch - Destination Bayfront concept. J.J. Hart, CEO of the Coastal Wave, will be our speaker and will share the facts surrounding the development of the Destination Bayfront concept. \$12 lunch, including gratuity. Bring a friend!
Tuesday, September 24, 2013 9am-3pm	Texas A&M University - Corpus Christi University Center 6300 Ocean Drive Corpus Christi, TX 78412	National Voter Registration Day. Local League members and partners will assist students, faculty, and all other eligible citizens to become registered voters. October 7th is the last day for voter registration prior to the November 5 election.
Thursday, September 19, 2013 11:30am - 1pm	Hibachi & Supreme Buffet 5274 S. Staples Corpus Christi, TX 78411	Membership Meeting - Voter Registration & Deputizing. Ms. Nuri Rodriguez, Voter Registration Supervisor, for Nueces County will attend for questions and answers regarding voter registration after which she will deputize all in attendance who want to assist with voter registration events coming up.
Friday, August 23, 2013 6-9pm	Corpus Christi Country Club 6300 Everhart Road Corpus Christi, TX 78413	Women's Equality Day CELEBRATION. The Corpus Christi League of Women Voters invites members, sponsors, and the public to join in a celebration of the ratification of the 19th amendment giving Women the right to vote. The honorary chair for the event is Barbara Canales, recently appointed Port Commissioner. The program features a "Challenge" competition similar to the popular program on PBS; a silent Auction, cash bar, great food and networking opportunities. Please RSVP (361-445-4436) or send payment to LWV PO Box 8276, CC 78468 before August 19th. Seating is limited. \$80 for individuals; \$600 to sponsor a table for eight.
Tuesday, August 20, 2013 11:15am	Corpus Christi City Council Chambers	Proclamation recognizing 19th Amendment ratification and establishment of LWV. All are invited and welcome to attend.

Thursday, July 18, 2013 11:30am-1p m	Hibachi & Supreme Buffet 5274 S. Staples Corpus Christi, TX 78411 (Staples & Williams, former Golden Corral)	Membership Meeting - Focus on Redistricting. An update on Redistricting and the work of LWV will be presented by Bryan Bode and Sandra Heatherley. Meeting room is located to the left of the main entry and front desk. Lunch cost is \$10 paid to our treasurer.
Friday, May 17, 2013 6-9pm	Citrus Bayfront Bistro 100 N Shoreline Boulevard Corpus Christi, Texas	2013 LWV-CC Annual Meeting. Hors d-oeuvres served beginning at 6pm, event speaker Mayor Nelda Martinez begins at 6:45pm, followed by a live auction fundraiser, bidding for "An Hour with Our Mayor." Dinner served beginning at 7pm. Tickets \$50. RSVP to 361-880-6501 by May 9, 2012. See April 2013 Voter for details! Visit About LWV-CC to review proposed changes to the bylaws that will be voted on at this meeting.
Thursday, April 18, 2013 11:30am - 1pm	Dos Comales Cafe Y Cantina, 227, N. Water Street, Corpus Christi, TX	April 18 - Citizens United. Luncheon will begin at 12 noon. Our speaker is Dr. Jim Klein, Associate Professor of History at Del Mar College, who will present on the mission and advocacy efforts of Citizens United. Presentation will begin at 12:30 p.m. at Dos Comales Café Y Cantina, 227 N. Water Street. Please arrive early to place your orders. The menu selection is available at the following: www. doscomales.com/menus/. We hope to see you there
Thursday, March 21, 2013 11:30am - 1pm	Silverado, 4522 Weber, Corpus Christi, TX	Monthly Membership Program and Luncheon. March 21 meeting at Silverado. Suzette Chopin, Ph.D., will give a presentation on "Women in Science." Join us to hear from a 2010 winner of the National Science Foundation's Presidential Award for Excellence in Science, Mathematics, and Engineering Mentoring (PAESMEM). Lunch starts at 11:30, speaker at noon. See March VOTER for details.

Thursday, February 21, 2013 11:30-1:00p m	Luciano's Italian Restaurant 1821 South Alameda at Six Points	Monthly Membership Luncheon and Program. Our presenter is Claudia Jackson, Executive Director of Community and Legislative Relations at Del Mar College. She will share with us a legislative update and identify top issues for Del Mar College in the current legislative session. We will also hear an update by Debbie Lanz, CCISD, Director of Strategic Iniatives, on the Education Task Force formed by Representative Todd Hunter. Peggy Banales and Coretta Graham will bring us up-to-date the progress on the Educational Attainment goal set by the LWV-CC last year.
Thursday, January 17, 2013 11:30am - 1pm	Silverado Smokehouse 4522 Weber Road (Weber & Gollihar) Corpus Christi, Texas	Sustainable Mobility Planning. Luncheon meeting presenter will be Andrew Dimas, City Planner and League member speaking about mobility planning projects related to sustainability. Lunch is barbecue, buffet style with prices starting at \$9/ plate and dependent on menu selection. Attendees can pay by cash or debit card directly to the cashier; guests should plan to leave an appropriate tip in the meeting room
Thursday, December 13, 2012 5:30-7:30pm	Dos Comales - 225 Water Street, Corpus Christi, Texas.	An Evening Event in December. Mingle with members & guests and salute elected officials. Help grow the League by bringing a prospective member! Enjoy seasonal refreshments and a cash bar. All are welcome!
Thursday, November 15, 2012 11:30am-1:0 0pm	Jin's Asian Buffet The Orchid Room 4938 So. Staples Corpus Christi, TX	Monthly Lunch Meeting. Our meeting will feature a presentation regarding the city's efforts in sustainability to date and what's on the horizon. Our presenter is Jeffrey Pollack, Environmental Scientitst and Project Manager with HDR Engineering, Inc. Mr. Pollack developed the city's first sustainability plan. Cost for the luncheon is \$10.00 Come at 11:30 amd make your selection from the buffet. The meeting begins at noon and is open to the public.
Thursday, October 18, 2012 11.30am-1:0 0pm	Jin's Asian Buffet 4938 So. Staples Corpus Christi, TX	Monthly Membership Meeting. Mr. Dan Biles, P.E., Director of the Engineering Department for the City of Corpus Christi will present an overview and explanation of the 8 city propositions which are on the ballot for November 6th, leaving time for questions and answers. Lunch through the Buffet is \$10.00. Arrive early to make your buffet selections prior to the program's beginning at noon.

Wednesday, October 17, 2012 6-9pm	City Hall City Concil chambers 1201 Leopard Street	Second Candidate Forum. This will be the second and final candidate forum prior to the Joint General Elections. Candidate races include; US Representative District 27, City Council District Candidates, State Board of Education, Del Mar Regents, County Court at Law #3, District Attorney Nueces County, Tax Assessor-Collector, and Nueces County Sheriff
Monday, September 24, 2012 6-9:00pm	City Hall Council Chambers	First Candidates Forums prior to the November elections. Candidates Forums September 24 and October 17. 6pm to 9pm, Corpus Christi City Hall. Formulate your questions now! Same times, different set of candidates and races. See the Elections Page for more details.
Thursday, August 16, 2012 6-8pm	The Havana Club 500 North Water Street Corpus Christi, TX	Celebration of Women's Equality Day. All league members and their friends are invited to join in a celebration and remebrance of the 92nd anniversary of the passage of the 19th amendment to the U.S. Constitution. There will be remarks by 2 league members who are candidates for the position of Mayor of Corpus Christi, a cash bar and tapas(appetizers) provided by a generous donor. The cost is \$10.00.
Thursday, July 19, 2012 11:30-1:00	Jin's Asian Buffet 4938 S Staples (across from La Palmera Mall)	Monthly Membership Meeting. This meeting will provide an opportunity for networking and to welcome our new membership. You can also get to know the new board members and discuss upcoming dates for this election year related to the Candidates Forum, the Voters Guide,and planned fund-raising events. The cost of the Buffet is \$10.00. Any interested citizen is welcome to join us. Arrive early to enjoy selecting from the buffet choices!
Tuesday, June 19, 2012 4-8:00pm	YWCA 4601 Corona	Executive Board Meeting. The new Board of Directors elected at the May annual meeting will have their first planning session of 2012-13. It will be a 4 hour sesson devoted to planning for coming municipal, state, and federal elections as well as an all-important fund-raiser to allow our work to continue. The session is open to all members.
Friday, May 18, 2012 6-9pm	6300 Everhart Rd Corpus Christi, TX 78413	2012 Annual Meeting. 2012 Annual Meeting. RESERVATIONS REQUIRED. Call 361-880-6501 to make your reservation. Making the Case for Education - A Bi-Partisan Approach to an Essential Non-Partisan Issue. More details HERE

Monday, April 30, 2012 6:00 PM	CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS	Candidates Forum. The Candidates Forum hosted by LWV-Corpus Christi is free and open to the public. Many of the contested candidates seeking to be elected in the May 29th primary are invited and will be available to answer questions from the audience. All voters are welcome and encouaged to attend.
Thursday, April 19, 2012 11:30am	Del Mar College, Coles Building, Room 32y6	Tax Assessor-Collector Forum. The League's April luncheon meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 19, at Del Mar College. LWV-CC and Collegiate High School, located at Del Mar, will co-sponsor a Tax Assessor-Collector Candidate Forum therein the Coles Building Room 326 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.
		A box lunch plus drink (cost \$10) will be served upon arrival and the candidates will address the league members and students from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m The collegiate high school students are described as well informed on issues and we are looking forward to questions and responses from those in attendance.
Thursday, April 19, 2012 11:00-1:00 PM	Del Mar College Coles Building Room 326	Forum of Candidates seeking the Tax Assessor-Collector Office for NUeces County. The League's April luncheon meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 19 at Del Mar College. The LWV-CC and Del Mar College Collegiate High School will co-sponsor a Tax Assessor-Collector Candidate Forum at Del Mar in the Coles Building Room 326 from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM. A box lunch plus drink (cost \$10.00) will be served upon arrival and the Candidates will address the league members and students from 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM. The collegiate high school students are described as well informed on issues and we are looking forward to questions and responses from those in attendance. It is important that members arrive early enough to pick up their lunch, pay, and be seated so the Forum is able to start at 11:30 AM.

Friday, April 13, 2012 State Convention Begins	Hilton San Antonio Airport Hotel	LWV-TX Convention. More details in the March Voter Optional events for delegates and observers include: \$30 for the Saturday luncheon at the hotel; \$50 for the Saturday evening banquet featuring remarks by Nina Perales of MALDEF; and \$10 for Friday night chartered bus transportation at 6 p.m. to the Japanese Tea Garden and the San Antonio Riverwalk, with return to the hotel about 9 p.m. Convention ends April 15
Tuesday, April 10, 2012 11:00am-2:0 0pm	Texas A&M University Corpus Christi University Center Food Court	Register to vote. Students at TAMU-CC can register to vote at the League of Women Voters' table which will be set up from 11:00am until 2:00pm in the University Center near the food court. Students can register to vote anywhere in the United States and instructions on voting by mail will be available. Time required is less than 10 minutes. There is no cost.
Friday, March 30, 2012 2-4:00pm	Texas A&M University Corpus Christi Student Union	Voter Registration. The LWV has been invited to register the eligible members of the Kappa Sigma fraternity and their friends to vote.
Thursday, March 15, 2012 11:30-1:00	Russo's Restaurant 6418 South Staples In the Kohls' shopping center	Monthly General Membership Meeting. Our program will be a candidates forum with those who are running for District 2 of the State Board of Education: Laurie Turner (R) from Corpus Christi, Veronica Anzaldua (R) McAllen, Celeste Zepeda Sanchez (D) San Benito. There ar 4 choices for lunch: #1 is a green salad and soup #2 is a giant slice of pizza and soup #3 a giant slice of pizza and a green salad #4 is a pasta dish. Call the LWV answering service at 880-6501 to reserve your chair and choice of lunch. Cost is \$12.00

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Thursday, February 16, 2012 11:30-1:00p m	First Baptist Church Recreation Center 3115 Ocean Dr. Corpus Christi, TX	February Membership Luncheon. Election/Precinct changes and Vote 18 Project scheduled for February First speaker - Diana Barrera, Nueces County Clerk in Charge of Elections who will discuss the latest election/precinct changes. Our next speakers will be Peggy Banales, Co-Chair of Vote 18 plus Bryan Bode and Alicia Benn, Committee members; they will address the Vote 18 Registration Project in the Corpus Christi area. The Board will then solicit the membership for suggested program topics; issues for further study and action. These topics will be reviewed at the March Board Meeting and the membership will vote their selections at the leagues' Annual Meeting in May.
Thursday, February 2, 2012 2:15pm	Calallen High School	VOTE 18 Senior Assembly. An assembly of government classes presented by the League in conjunction with our community partner, the Alunae chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority. The the event will illustrate the importance of voting and the consequences of not voting. This is intended to impress the young voter with the single most vital activity of citizenship!!
Thursday, January 19, 2012 11:30-1:00p m	First Baptist Church Recreation Center	Monthly Membership Meeting and Lunch. January 19th is the date of our first meeting in the new year. Dr. William Burgin, Jr.,M. D., the Health Authority for Nueces County and the medical director of the City/County Public Health District will be our featured speaker and guest. He will give us information related to the "kick off" of our study "The Role of the Health Department in Public Safety". Dr. Burgin is a world renowned pulmonologist and a long-time resident of Corpus Christi.

Monday, January 9, 2012 5-6:00 PM	LWV-CC Offices 3565 S. Alameda Room 305	Special Called Meeting regarding LWV-TX Position Statements. Chris Garcia will facilitate a meeting on Monday, January 9th, 5:00 PM at the LWV-CC offices at the corner of Alameda and Doddridge, Room #305. Every two years, the LWV-Texas gives local leagues the opportunity to look at State League positions and become familiar with these positions and see if any changes in wording or expansion of local positions including new legal aspects, warrant additions or tweaking. This information will then be available at the annual state convention in April at which time a vote is taken on the State League positions. Our meeting will take about an hour of your time and we hope to see you there. Please RSVP Pam Maupin 949-8708 or pammaupin@sbcglobal.net if you plan to attend. The special session will be preceded by the monthly Board of Directors meeting at 4:00 pm which is always open to members.
Thursday, December 15, 2011 10:00am-1:0 0 pm	First Baptist Church Recreation Center	December 15 Membership Holiday Coffee. Our monthly meeting will be a change of pace from the past!! It will be held from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM at the First Baptist church recreation center located at 3115 Ocean Drive. There will be no charge with board of directors providing light hors d'oeuvres and holiday cakes and cookies. A "come and go" event and every member is expected to bring a prospective new member. Your board will visit with these new prospects by providing intermittent short presentations focused on the work of the League and future events and projects such as the "VOTE 18 Initiative". Support you local chapter by bringing a friend or colleague.