

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF GRAND COUNTY

LWV of Grand County Member and Board of Directors Orientation

The League of Women Voters is a Nonpartisan political organization encouraging informed and active participation in government. It influences public policy through education and advocacy. We never support or oppose any political party or candidate.

The League of Women Voters has two separate and distinct roles.

- Voter Service and Citizen Education: we present unbiased nonpartisan information about elections, the voting process, and issues.
- Action and Advocacy: the League is wholeheartedly political and works to influence policy through advocacy. After careful study of an issue, League members decide on positions through consensus. We use our positions to advocate for or against particular policies in the public interest.

Board members are expected to:

- Advance LWV mission, vision, values and goals
- Attend meetings and assist in overall planning, decisions and policy making
- Bring proposals to the board for discussion and decisions
- Support and attend LWV local activities and events
- Maintain a Plan of Work of any specific projects, duties, documents and obtain board approval prior to taking action
- Promote membership growth, involvement and diversity
- Promote leadership development
- Train successor

Review provided documents:

- LWV Mission, Vision, Values and Goals
- LWV Non Partisan and Conflict of Interest Policy
- LWV GRC Local Bylaws
- LWC GRC Officer and Chair Job Descriptions
- LWV GRC Plan of Work Template

LWV links:

LWVUS www.lwv.org

• LWVUTAH www.lwvutah.org including The VOTER newsletter

• LWV-GRC <u>www.grandcounty.ut.lwvnet.org</u>

LWV-Grand County email: lwvgrc@gmail.com