

# DIVERSITY, EQUITY, & INCLUSION

## 2023 AWARDS

### APPLICATION CRITERIA

- **Demonstrated and sustainable commitment to LWV DEI values.**
- **Evidence of exceptional efforts to promote inclusion free from bias and discrimination.**
- **Quantifiable impact of DEI efforts in League's efforts to strengthen its mission amongst members, leaders, and the work of the League.**

### SELECTION CRITERIA

- **Online nomination form:**  
<https://bit.ly/2023LWVSCDEIAward>
- **300 - 500 Essay including:**
  - **Nominee's summary and rationale displaying League's DEI efforts**
  - **A list of community activities supporting DEI and impacts of such activities toward League goals**

*Submit to DEI Director by March 30, 2023*

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# 2023 DEI Awards FAQ

## Example of Activities

- Activities to increase diversity in the recruitment, retention, and retainment at the state, and local level, and in the leadership and executive roles.
- League Leadership that exemplifies a commitment to diversity.
- Activities to create leadership teams that promote a diverse and inclusive culture.
- Demonstrated commitment to prioritizing equity in the work of the LWV staff, board, and members.
- Recognition of exemplary individual and team behaviors that promote DEI.
- Implementation or active promotion of programs, initiatives, or projects within the DEI scope.
- Innovative approaches, which have demonstrably resulted in a step up from “business as usual.”
- Efforts to promote League Leader development with impact on representation.
- Community outreach including schools, universities and non-profits.

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