



Making Democracy Work SC Network

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During the months leading into the 2020 General Election, the LWVSC emailed you periodically as part of the Safe and Secure Elections 2020 Network. That network was intended to communicate about election issues of common interest and encourage related advocacy. The League now intends to expand that network as the Making Democracy Work Network SC, to spread useful and timely information about several of our core issue areas. These include elections and voting, redistricting, and efforts to pass federal constitutional convention resolutions in South Carolina. We believe that if you were interested in the 2020 election you should be interested in all of these as well.

Bills have been pre-filed for 2021 in both the House and Senate and we are already very concerned about what will happen in these areas of crucial concern for all of South Carolina's citizens. We hope you will share our concern and continue to follow our emails and engage in advocacy around those issues. As in the case of our Safe and Secure Election 2020 network, we are not asking you or your organizations to commit to speak as one voice with the group or commit to common messaging through a coalition. We recognize that all of us have different emphases and concerns. At times we may even disagree. The network is intended solely to ensure the distribution of reliable and timely information in hopes that you will choose to engage with advocacy on those issues from your own perspective.

We would like to start by introducing you to an absolutely crucial issue that we believe should concern you greatly. The attached PDF discusses what is intended by the Constitutional Convention resolutions and why they are dangerous to all of us. Whether you are interested in civil rights, racial or gender justice, environmental protection, disability rights, or virtually anything else touched on by the federal government, these resolutions represent a clear and present danger. We hope you will read our summary and share our deep concern.

However, if you do not wish to be included on future emails, please respond with that information to TeagueLynn@gmail.com and you will be removed promptly.

Thank you, as always, for all that you do.

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