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A HAZARDOUS PROBLEM ?

The Huntington League of Women Voters is sponsoring a public meeting on Hazardous Waste/Materials. The public meeting will be held at the Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church, 5th Ave. and 10th St., on Thursday April 17. Ron Shipley, Hazardous Waste Coordinator for West Virginia, will be the principal speaker. League Members will also present information related to local hazardous waste/materials issues.

HAZARDOUS MATERIALS are commercial substances in a form or quantity that poses unreasonable risks to health and safety or property. They are products which have market value and which, if spilled or lost, will result in an economic loss.

HAZARDOUS WASTES are by-products of commercial processes and have no further usefulness or value to the producer or owner. Because of their quantity, concentration, or physical, chemical, or infectious characteristics, they may cause or significantly contribute to mortality or illness or pose a hazard to health or environment when they are cared for improperly.

Hazardous substances may be poisonous, corrosive, combustible, flammable, explosive, radioactive, etiological, reactive or toxic.



Voters Service

VOTING INFORMATION - Election Day May 13, 1986:

Cabell County is divided into five Magisterial Districts.

Board of Education - No more than two members may serve from the same magisterial district, and voting is at-large. Two schoolboard members will be elected this time.

A Board Member from District 1 will continue to serve until the 1988 election. Three people from District 1 have filed for the Board of Education, but only one can be elected if he/she receives enough votes. There is one candidate from District 2; there are two candidates from District 3, and two from District 5. However there are no members of the board from these districts who have unexpired terms.

Greater Huntington Park and Recreation Committee - No more than two members may serve from the same magisterial district and voting is at-large. We will elect three committee members this time. District 1 has a member who will serve until 1988. There are two Democratic candidates from District 1 but only one vacancy. Only one Democratic candidate has filed in District 5 and there are two vacancies.

VOTE VOTE VOTE!! Have you seen the state League-produced VOTE poster? Thank you to Ashland Coal for providing funds for the posters!

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Financing the Federal Government study

FINANCING THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT. The final stage of the League's Financing the Federal Government Study focuses on the funding of entitlement programs; particularly Social Security and Medicare. The method used for determining consensus is by direct member agreement. Study articles and a member response form will be in the April National VOTER.

Members who recently joined the Huntington League will not have been placed on the mailing list for the April VOTER. If you wish to participate in this consensus, contact Helen Gibbins, 736-3287. She can share a VOTER with you and sign a photocopied response form to affirm your membership status.

Postmark deadline for members' tear-off response forms is May 19, 1986.

Membership

Membership lists are available at League meetings or by contacting Lila Thompson, 522-3792. Thank you to Margaret Gerke for arranging for the typing of this list.

NOTE: since the list was typed, a couple of changes have come to our attention. These are:

1. Betty Barrett's phone number should be 525-5909
2. Ruth Sullivan has moved. Her new address is:
1 Lafayette Circle
Hurricane, WV 25526
pn. 757-8549

WANTED: Volunteers to county out recreation flyers (in May) for distribution to area Schools. Contact Susan Ray, 522-0235.

Board Resignation: Linda Rowe is resigning from the Board in order to do political campaign work. She will continue to serve as Bulletin editor in an off-board capacity.

Join the League of Women Voters of Huntington Area. Today.

To Join the Huntington Area League of Women Voters, mail this coupon and dues check (payable to Huntington LWV) to Lila Thompson, Treas., 2738 Washington Blvd., Huntington, WV 25705. Dues are \$25 individual and \$37.50 for two members in the same household.

Name(s) _____

Address _____ Phone _____

The League of Women Voters is a non-profit, non-partisan organization open to all men and women of voting age.



***** CALENDAR *****

APRIL, 1986

Friday-Saturday, 11-12

LWVWV State Council, Fairmont, WV.

Wednesday-Friday, 16-18

WV Human Resources Conference, Pipestem State Park.

Thursday, 17 7:30pm

Hazardous Waste Materials & Management. LWV public meeting. Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church, 10th St. & 5th Ave, Huntington. Use 10th St. Entrance.

Tuesday, 22, 7:30pm

School Board Candidates Meeting, Sponsored by the Junior League of Huntington. Junior League Community Center, 617 9th Ave.

May, 1986

Friday, 9 10:30-11:30pm

Board of Education Candidates Forum, WPBY-TV, Channel 33. (Taped at 7pm May 1)

Saturday, 10 9:00am-4:00pm

"Breaking Into Politics", Seminar for people interested in getting into politics. Co-sponsored by LWVWV and Soroptimist Int'l. Morgantown, WV. Cost - \$20. Flyers and regis. materials avail. at public libraries.

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Don't forget to VOTE Tuesday May 13, 1986

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and keep politics a process
for the people.**