

PROVISIONAL LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF KERRVILLE

JUL 19 1983

POLICY STATEMENT

June 1983

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An off board chairman, who holds an appointed League position which may be indistinguishable from a Board position in the eyes of the community, shall be subject, in that position, to the same restrictions as a Board member.

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CALENDAR:

Calendar plans made by the Board at the beginning of the League year shall carry through ~~May~~ of the following year.

CONVENTION AND COUNCIL EXPENDITURES:

If local league funds are available, registration fees and convention meals will be paid to the President or her designated representative. The Board may authorize funds for additional delegates/observers.

DUES:

Dues for this League are \$25.00 per person, payable annually on the first day of the anniversary month the member joined this League. When two members reside at the same address in a common household, dues shall be  $1\frac{1}{2}$  times the per person amount (i.e. \$37.50 for two).

POLICY RESPONSIBILITY:

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LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF GREATER KERRVILLE

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# MEMORANDUM

## LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF TEXAS

1212 Guadalupe, No. 109 • Austin, Texas 78701 • Tel 512/472-1100

April 10, 1984

TO: National Organization Chair  
% Dorothy Niewig, MTS, LWVUS  
FROM: Ethel Sturgis, LWV-Texas  
RE: Kerrville's Application for Recognition as a Local League

Dear Dorothy,

Enclosed is the Greater Kerrville Provisional League's Application for Recognition as a Local League, a statement requesting that they be recognized as the League of Women Voters of Kerrville Area, and a map outlining the area their League will encompass. Also enclosed is the report from their advisor, Rowena Rodgers.

It is with pride that the state board of Texas submits this application for full recognition for this League. Their board has been diligent in efforts to provide their membership with a firm background in League program and structure. The state League will recognize the League of Women Voters of Kerrville Area at state Council on April 13th.

In reviewing their application, we noted that their response to #4 indicates a pattern of eight general meetings a year; their bylaws require "...at least nine meetings of the membership". However, under #14, they refer to an August party for members and prospects. Since part of the party time is devoted to new-member orientation, it does qualify as the ninth meeting, and they have been advised to schedule it with a more appropriate title in the future.

I have reviewed their local government survey which is currently being reviewed by several other state board members. The indication is that we will recommend only a few minor changes in it. As we discussed on the phone today, a final camera-ready draft of the Table of Contents and at least one substantive section will be mailed to you in about a week.

Please call me if there are questions about either the application or the survey. The good news is that their membership is now beginning to grow.

We look forward to the good news that this League will receive full recognition, and that this recognition will be effective prior to national Convention.

Sincerely,

*Ethel Sturgis*

Ethel Sturgis  
Organization Vice-President



MEMORANDUM

TO: League of Women Voters of the United States  
FROM: Provisional League of Women Voters of Greater Kerrville  
SUBJECT: League name as it appears in attached bylaws

After adoption of the bylaws at last year's annual meeting in May 1983, we discovered that a league must retain its name, as recognized by the National organization, during provisional status.

According to present regulations the name Kerrville, by itself, limits the membership to those residing within the city. About forty-five percent of the members live outside the city limits. Kerrville is the natural trade center for the area.

The word Greater was dropped from our name since it designated no specific area and, by common usage in this area, covers more than Kerr County.

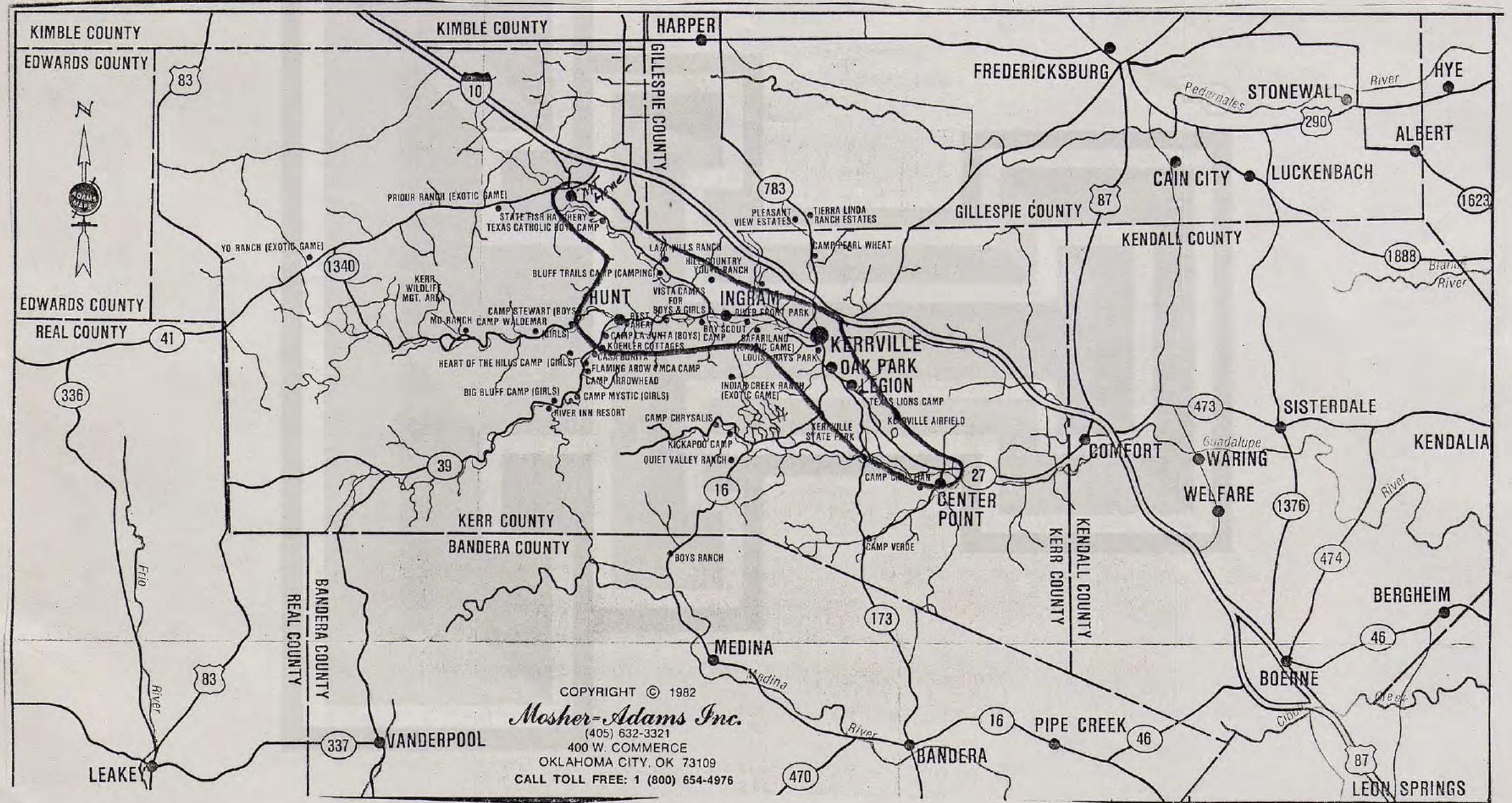
We are proposing the name of the League of Women Voters of Kerrville Area and will officially vote on this at the annual meeting on May 19, 1984.

Please give this your consideration.

*A. Corey, President*



# KERRVILLE AREA







# MEMORANDUM

## LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF TEXAS

1212 Guadalupe Suite 109 • Austin, Texas 78701 • Tel 512/472-1100

March 31, 1984

To: LWVUS

From: Rowena Rodgers, Advisor to Kerrville Provisional LWV

Re: Recognition as a Local League

I am so proud of the Greater Kerrville Provisional League in their efforts to become a full-fledged Local League. They have shown that they fully understand the functions of LWV by their performance in Voters Service activities as noted in the report. Their meeting with Congressman Loeffler on the National Security Item involved not only their members but a good crowd from the community as well, as shown in the number attending (75). The finance drive has been a success and the final draft of their Survey will be in your hands shortly. Therefore, I heartily recommend that they be recognized as a local League.

*Rowena Rodgers*



## INFORMATION NEEDED FOR FINAL RECOGNITION REPORT

1. Date of recognition as a provisional League February 18, 1983.
2. Number of members at time of recognition as provisional 52, number at this time 50, population figure for community 17,500 (area 20,000)
3. Basis of organization: urban \_\_\_\_\_, suburban \_\_\_\_\_, small town X, rural \_\_\_\_\_, county \_\_\_\_\_, area X. If area, describe the area included Kerrville & Ingram (incorporated) and small towns Center Point, Hunt, Mt. Home, Kerrville South, Riverhills and rural areas between.
4. Pattern of membership meetings: number of units, frequency of unit meetings, general meetings, degree of member participation. (See attached sheet)
5. List committee chairmen and size of each committee. (See attached sheet)
6. List board members and their assignments. (See attached sheet)
7. Attach a copy of the bylaws. (Bylaw changes for provisional Leagues need not be included since these will be dropped upon recognition.)
8. Include copies of all budgets adopted since organization as well as reports of all finance drives, giving goal, number of non-member contributions received and the number of workers involved in soliciting funds. **attached - also see attached sheet)**
9. Attach copies of treasurer's reports.
10. Describe activities on local government survey, state program and national program indicating: (See attached sheet)
  - a. Extent of coverage of various aspects of each subject, kinds of meetings, role of resource committee, degree of member participation.
  - b. Effort made to take program information to the community (meetings, distribution of publications etc.).
  - c. Progress on local survey -- attach copy of publication or completed draft.
11. Detail Voters Service/Citizen Information activities. (See attached sheet)
12. To what extent are publications being used by the members? in the community? (See attached sheet)
13. Describe community relations during the provisional period. (See attached sheet)
14. Include any other information or comments that would be useful in processing this request for recognition. (See attached sheet & attachments)

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

(state advisor)

Lois Carpenter  
(state president)

Abbie E. Corey

(provisional League president)

Ethel Sturgis

(state organization chairman)



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ATTACHED SHEET

- Item #4: Pattern of meetings. General meetings are held eight times per year, monthly except for December, June, July and August. These are held on the third Wednesday at 7:30 PM in the meeting room of the public library. A daytime discussion group, reformed in February 1984, meets in the same place on the fourth Thursday from 12 Noon to 1 PM (sack lunch). Plans are to start a second daytime group this coming Fall. Thirty to forty-five percent of members participate in these meetings. Many of our members are elderly with health problems and driving restrictions who wish to support the League but not actively participate.
- Item #5: Committee chairmen and size of committees.
- a. Program Committee - Chr. Helen Sencenbaugh plus 6 members (4 members are chairmen of program study items and 2 are other members)
    - (1) National Security - Chr. Elma Hennies - 4 members
    - (2) Women Under Texas Law - Chr. Hank Evans - 5 members
    - (3) Redistricting in Texas - Chr. Marvell Dell Rehm - 4 members
    - (4) Local Survey - Chr. Helen Sencenbaugh - 8 board members to finalize
  - b. Finance Committee - Co-Chr. Wilma Palmer & Justa Walsh - 4 members
  - c. Membership Committee - Chr. Marjorie Ashley - 5 members
  - d. Budget Committee - Chr. Evelyn Jaeggli - 4 members
  - e. Voters Service - Chr. Donetta Jenkins - 4 members
  - f. Nominating Committee - Chr. Marvel Dell Rehm - 4 members
  - g. Bylaws Committee - Chr. Elma Hennies - 2 members
- Item #6: Board members and assignments.
- a. President - Abbie Corey - Publicity & Public Relations
  - b. 1st. Vice-President - Helen Sencenbaugh - Program
  - \* c. 2nd. Vice-President - Justa Walsh - Project Director for Publication of Survey
  - d. Secretary - Betty Funk - Minutes & Correspondence also VOTER Editor June thru Dec 1983
  - e. Treasurer - Elma Hennies - Publications Chr.
  - f. Directors:
    - Lila Silva - Voters Service
    - Marjorie Ashley - Membership
    - \* Blake Loubet - VOTER Editor since Jan 1984
    - \* Wilma Palmer - Finance
- \* Appointed replacements for 3 board members who resigned during the year
- Item #8: Copies of budgets attached - also Final Report on Finance Drive. Other methods of raising money included:
- Christmas party for members and guests netted \$55.70
  - Christmas Tree Forest (Chamber of Commerce project)
    - Our Tree won third place 15.00
    - Silent auction (members) - March meeting 190.85



Information needed for final recognition report - Attached Sheet (Cont'd)

Item #10 Description of activities: Local government survey, state program and national program.

- a. The local government survey was initiated approximately four years ago as a project of the night discussion group. At that time Kerrville was a State Unit and the survey was in preparation for Provisional Status. Later the day discussion group joined in the project. Using "Know Your Community" as a guide, the city charter, city ordinances, and historical books about Kerrville were studied first. Interest was high in the beginning then began to wane. Deadlines were missed and some areas covered were lost through members moving out of town. Material obtained was gone over in discussion groups and reports were made at general meetings. In the program item accepted at the annual meeting in May 1983, high priority was "Completion of Local Government Survey". The new board agreed to act as the final resource committee to update, finalize, and publish the survey. In November a summary of findings was presented to the general membership. Editing began and typing of the draft followed. An expansion to include county governmental structure and brief information on surrounding towns was recommended by state board members in January. By our name "Greater Kerrville" it was deemed appropriate. Approximately twenty-six present and former members participated in compiling the information, editing and typing.

Status of the survey at this time: Money for publication is available and format, size, etc. has been established. Preliminary investigation with printers has been made. Material is essentially complete and the draft copy is in the hands of state board members responsible for reading and commenting on it. When returned to us, we will make changes necessary, as recommended or due to City Charter amendments voted upon in the April 7th election. Camera ready copy will then be prepared and the survey will be published. Distribution of copies will be free to members, non-member donors of the finance drive, school libraries, and the public library. Also to city council, city manager, county commissioners and chamber of commerce in limited quantities. Additional copies will be for sale in the community.

- b. National program:

National Security - General meetings were held separately on Phase I and Phase II. The resource committee provided a panel presentation on Phase I followed by a discussion period. Phase II was presented by our U.S. Representative, Tom Loeffler, followed by a question and answer period. Seventy-five people attended this meeting - twenty-three were League members and over forty were from the public. It was an exciting meeting! Consensus for both phases was obtained through member questionnaires and results were forwarded to LWV-US. Member participation for the consensus on Phase I was thirty percent. For Phase II it was fifty percent. Three LWV-US publications on National Security were mailed to members prior to the meetings. A substantial amount of the bibliography recommended was obtained through the Public Library and that which could be retained was placed in League files maintained at the Library.



This file is open to members and the community and is publicized.

Our League participated in the survey on National Program items utilizing round table discussion and resource materials to update status of items. Twenty-six members participated.

c. State program:

Women Under Texas Law - Resource committee chairman presented information and members concurred with the Child Support Enforcement statement. In lieu of additional state material another member of the Resource committee presented a program on Domestic Violence. A movie filmed in Texas, "Battered Women" was shown and additional information on the local situation was given. Our speaker has been instrumental in this area in putting together a task force and now a board to start working toward a program and shelters locally. She meets weekly with a women's support group.

Originally the second state item selected was constitutional revision. Following the State Convention the decision was made to adopt the new study item, Legislative and Congressional Redistricting. The resource committee will present the program in April. Publications on the subject have been mailed to members.

At the September 1983 meeting, the State Voters Service Chairman presented the pro's and con's of proposed constitutional amendments voted on in the November 1983 election to the membership and guests.

All our meetings are open to the public and are so publicized in the newspapers and by word of mouth. Our average member attendance ranges from thirty to forty-five percent.

Item #11 Voters Service/Citizen Information. A voters service workshop was held in September 1983. Thirteen members participated. Rowena Rogers, state Voters Service Chair, presented the workshop. In October 1983, three days of voter registration were held in one location. One hundred voters were registered, fifty-seven cards given out and thirteen changes of address made. Sixteen members manned the booth. One thousand Voters Guides were purchased and distributed for the November 1983 election. We had eight members participating as poll watchers. One of our members served as a state inspector for the election.

In February 1984, voter registration was held in three locations. Two hundred twenty voters were registered, one hundred and two cards were given out, thirty-seven changes of address made, and twenty change of address forms were given out. Nineteen of our members participated. March 30th, a one day voters registration will be held by the League and three days by a local AARP group.



- Item #12 This year we purchased four study item publications and sent them to members. We have also referenced the National Voter for pertinent information. Child support fact sheets were purchased for members and a few for community distribution. Voters Guides are purchased and distributed - 1000 last year, 2000 have been ordered for this year. Register & Vote, We Support, and Facts about League have been given to all current and prospective members and made available free at Voter Registration tables. Publications are ordered as requested for members or non-members. New publications are presented at meetings, noted in the local Voter and placed in the League file in the library. Under item #10, distribution of the survey is noted. Board members are provided with copies of In League plus new publications relating to their areas of responsibility. Off-board committee chairmen are provided with publications relevant to committee work. Many other publications are circulated to members.
- Item #13 Community relations during provisional status have improved considerably. Visibility in the community is greater and growing. The finance drive and development of the local survey have contributed.
- Item #14 Information & Comments.  
Membership efforts, program development, and expanded board orientation will be areas for increased activity. The board is gaining in expertise and working together. Since we have staggered two-year terms for our officers, I believe this will help. We offer many opportunities to our members to become involved and active. Having a local study item and school financing on our proposed program for next year will also assist.  
The nominating committee has worked well and brought some fairly new and younger members onto the board. We have a solid core of older League members who have served the organization in many different capacities.  
In August each year we have a poolside party for members and prospective members. A Christmas party is held in December. These are both geared to membership as well as to socialization. Membership also had a very nice tea; of the five guests who came, one joined the League. We shall be trying out ideas we heard from the Counterpart workshop which four of us attended.  
Three members attended State Convention following provisional league status in 1983, two will go to the State Council and two to National Convention this year.  
Our Field Representative has been very helpful. We will be asking for more assistance with problem areas, speakers, etc. from state board members.  
Some newspaper publicity is included with this material  
All Local Leagues in Texas have been added to the mailing list for our Voter as of this month.

submitted March 28, 1984.



## Local Briefs

### Women Voters Begin Fund Drive

In an effort to upgrade the chapter to a full-fledged one, the Provisional League of Women Voters has begun its first fund-raising drive.

"To go from provisional to local league status we must show we have community financial support. Solicitation of League of Women Voters members was done first, then letters were sent out to prospective supporters of the league in the Kerrville area," said LWV President Abbie Corey.

The local league has distributed voter's guides to the November state election and conducted voter registration drives at River Hills Mall. A file of league publications is maintained at Butt-Holdsworth Memorial Library and the league plans to

publish a local municipal government guide next spring.

Other projects the league has on its drawing board are town meetings, public opinion surveys and an expanded list of publications.

The league is a non-partisan organization which works to promote informed participation in government. Membership is open to persons 18 years of age or older. Contributions may be made for the league's operating expenses or, for tax deductions, to the league's education fund.

For contributions or more information write: League Of Women Voters of Kerrville, [redacted] or call Abbie Corey at 257-8241.

## LWV to help voters register Saturday

"Take Your Stand and Vote" say the League of Women Voters of Kerrville as they once again prepare to register voters in Kerr County Saturday from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. LWV members are staffing voter registration booths at Wal-Mart and in the River Hills Mall near K-Mart.

Anyone who has recently moved into Kerr County needs to register and those who have made a move within the county need to fill out a change of address form. 1984 is an important election year and the LWV is out to see that all citizens of voting age have proper registration.

Nationally, the League

is sponsoring debates for the Presidential Primaries. The first of these debates will be held on Feb. 23 in Manchester, N.H. and moderated by Barbara Walters. Watch for local airing time in the newspaper.

The League of Women Voters is committed to fostering and expanding the women's vote. The League is part of the Women's Round Table, a non-partisan cooperating group of approximately 50 women's organizations, all committed to the goal of increasing the electoral participation of women in 1984 and beyond. All eligible citizens are encouraged to register and vote.

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## Loeffler to speak to Women Voters Feb. 15

U.S. Congressman Tom Loeffler will be guest speaker at the League of Women Voters of Greater Kerrville general meeting Wednesday, Feb. 15 at 7:30 p.m. in the Butt-Holdsworth Memorial Library meeting room.

The subject is the relationship between National Defense, the U.S. economy and the U.S. budget. This is the second phase of the national security study item the league has been studying. Representative Loeffler is a member of the Committee on Appropriations: sub-committee on Military Construction and sub-committee on the Interior and a member of the Committee on the Budget.

All LWV members are urged to attend and the public is welcome. The day discussion group will meet Feb. 23 at 12 noon in the same location.

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responsibility through active informed participation of all citizens in their government.

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# Mall Hosts Voter Registration

**BY JUDY BOWYER**  
**Special to the Daily Times**  
 Have you moved recently? Or did you just turn 18 years old? Then it's time for you to register to vote in Kerr County.

The League of Women Voters will be set up near K-Mart at River Hills Mall from 10 a.m.-7 p.m. today through Saturday to assist local residents in their voter registration.

Voting for 11 amendments to the state constitution will be held Nov. 8. The deadline for registration for this election is Oct. 7 and the LWV is

in gear to see that it reaches as many prospective voters as possible.

Rowena Rodgers, who chairs the state LWV committee on voter service and citizen information, came from San Antonio last week to discuss procedures for registering voters and publicity techniques that are helpful.

"Voter service is one of the two main thrusts of the League of Women Voters, the other being the study of selected issues and taking action on the consensus we reach. We encourage informed participation of the

electorate," she said.

The actual registration card required both a mailing address and the physical location of the residence if a post office box is used. Accurate telephone numbers are necessary.

Should the information be incorrect or incomplete, the registrar's office can contact the citizen by phone. The registration card can also be mailed in to the Kerr County Courthouse for your convenience.

1984 will have primary, school board, city council and general elections, so a

valid Kerr County registration is important for the coming year.

League of Women Voters membership is open to citizens 18 years and older. It is non-partisan group that may take a stand on a specific issue, but does not support candidates or parties. Contact local LWV president Abbie Corey if you are interested in joining the local league.

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(Times Photo by Terry Hagerty)

**VOTER REGISTRATION** at River Hills Mall Saturday involved more than 60 registrants. Patricia Peebles of Center Point (right) receives voter registration informa-

tion from Abbie Corey, president of the Kerrville League of Women Voters, the drive's sponsoring organization.



# BYLAWS FOR LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF KERRVILLE

## ARTICLE I

### Name

Section 1. Name. The name of this organization shall be the League of Women Voters of Kerrville. This local League is an integral part of the League of Women Voters of the United States and of the League of Women Voters of Texas.

## ARTICLE II

### Purpose and Policy

Section 1. Purpose. The purpose of the League of Women Voters of the United States is to promote political responsibility through informed and active participation of citizens in Government and to act on selected governmental issues.

Section 2. Political Policy. The League shall not support or oppose any political party or any candidate.

## ARTICLE III

### Membership

Section 1. Eligibility. Any person who subscribes to the purpose and policy of the League shall be eligible for membership.

Section 2. Types of Membership. The membership of the League shall be composed of voting members and associate members.

a. Voting Members. Citizens at least 18 years of age residing within the Kerrville area shall be voting members of the League of Women Voters of Kerrville, the League of Women Voters of Texas, and the League of Women Voters of the United States; those who have been members of the League for 50 years or more shall be life members excused from the payment of dues.

b. Associate Members. All others who join the League shall be associate members.

## ARTICLE IV

### Board of Directors

Section 1. Number, Manner of Selection and Terms of Office. The Board of Directors shall consist of the officers of the League, two elected directors and not more than two appointed directors. One elected director shall be elected by the general membership at each annual meeting and shall serve for a term of two years, or until her/his successor has been elected and qualified. The elected members shall appoint such additional directors, not exceeding two, as they deem necessary to carry on the work of the League. The terms of office of the appointed directors shall be one year and shall expire at the conclusion of the next annual meeting.



Section 2. Qualifications. No person shall be elected or appointed or shall continue to serve as an officer or director of this organization unless she or he is a voting member of the League of Women Voters of Kerrville.

Section 3. Vacancies. Any vacancy occurring in the Board of Directors by reason of the resignation, death, or disqualification of an officer or elected member may be filled, until the next annual meeting, by a majority vote of the remaining members of the Board of Directors. Three consecutive absences from a board meeting of any member without a valid reason shall be deemed a resignation.

Section 4. Powers and Duties. The Board of Directors shall have full charge of the property and business of the organization, with full power and authority to manage and conduct same, subject to the instructions of the general membership. It shall plan and direct the work necessary to carry out the program as adopted by the national convention, the state convention, and the annual meeting. The Board shall create and designate such special committees as it may deem necessary.

Section 5. Meetings. There shall be as least four regular meetings of the board of directors annually. The president may call special meetings of the board of directors and shall call a special meeting upon the written request of six members of the board.

Section 6. Quorum. A majority of the members of the board of directors shall constitute a quorum.

## ARTICLE V

### Officers

Section 1. Enumeration and Election of Officers. The officers of the League of Women Voters of Kerrville shall be a president, a first vice-president, a second vice-president, a secretary and a treasurer who shall be elected for terms of two years by the general membership at an annual meeting and take office immediately. The president, the first vice-president and the secretary shall be elected in odd-numbered years. The second vice-president and the treasurer shall be elected in even-numbered years.

Section 2. The President. The president shall preside at all meetings of the organization and of the board of directors. The president may in the absence or disability of the treasurer, sign or endorse checks, drafts and notes. The president shall be ex officio, a member of all committees except the nominating committee. She or he shall have such usual powers of supervision and management as may pertain to the office of the president and perform such other duties as may be designated by the board.

Section 3. The Vice-Presidents. The two vice-presidents, in the order of their rank, shall, in event of absence, disability, resignation or death of the president, possess all the powers and perform all the duties of that office, until such time as the board of directors shall select one of its members to fill the vacancy. The vice-presidents shall perform such other duties as the president and board may designate.



Section 4. The Secretary. The secretary shall keep minutes of all meetings of the League and of all the meetings of the board of directors. She or he shall notify all officers and directors of their election. She or he shall sign, with the president, all contracts and other instruments when so authorized by the board and shall perform such other functions as may be incident to the office.

Section 5. The Treasurer. The treasurer shall collect and receive all moneys due. The treasurer shall be the custodian of these moneys, shall deposit them in a bank designated by the board of directors, and shall disburse the same only upon order of the board. She or he shall present statements to the board at their regular meetings and an annual report to the annual meeting.

## ARTICLE VI

### Financial Administration

Section 1. Fiscal Year. The fiscal year of the League of Women Voters of Kerrville shall commence on the first day of June each year.

Section 2. Dues. Annual dues shall be payable on the first day of the anniversary month of the member's joining the League. Any member who fails to pay dues within three months after they become payable shall be dropped from the membership rolls.

Section 3. Budget. A budget for the ensuing year shall be submitted by the board of directors to the annual meeting for adoption. The budget shall include support for the work of the League as a whole.

Section 4. Budget Committee. A budget committee shall be appointed by the board of directors at least four months prior to the annual meeting to prepare a budget for the ensuing year. The proposed budget shall be sent to all members one month before the annual meeting. The treasurer shall not be eligible to serve as the chair of the budget committee.

Section 5. Distribution of Funds on Dissolution. In the event of a dissolution for any cause of the League of Women Voters of Kerrville, all moneys and securities which may at the time be owned by or under the control of the League of Women Voters of Kerrville shall be paid to the League of Women Voters of Texas after the board of directors has paid or made provision for the payment of all the liabilities of the League of Women Voters of Kerrville. All other property of whatsoever nature, whether real, personal, or mixed which may at the time be owned or under the control of the League of Women Voters of Kerrville shall be disposed of by any officer or employee of the organization having possession of same to such person, organization, or corporation, for such public, charitable, or educational uses and purposes as may be designated by the then League of Women Voters of Kerrville.

## ARTICLE VII

### Meetings

Section 1. Membership Meetings. There shall be at least nine meetings of the membership each year. Time and place shall be determined by the board of directors.



Section 2. Annual Meeting. An annual meeting shall be held between May 1st and May 31st, the exact date to be determined by the board of directors. The annual meeting shall:

- a) adopt a local program for the ensuing year
- b) elect officers and directors and members of the nominating committee
- c) adopt an adequate budget
- d) transact such other business as may properly come before it.

Section 3. Quorum. Twenty percent of the members shall constitute a quorum at all business meetings of the League of Women Voters of Kerrville.

## ARTICLE VIII

### Nominations and Elections

Section 1. Nominating Committee. The nominating committee shall consist of five members, two of whom shall be members of the board of directors. The chair and two members, who shall not be members of the board, shall be elected at the annual meeting. Nominations for these offices shall be made by the current nominating committee. The other members shall be appointed by the board of directors immediately following the annual meeting. Any vacancy on the nominating committee shall be filled by the board of directors. Suggestions for nominations for officers and directors may be sent to this committee by any voting member.

Section 2. Report of Nominating Committee and Nominations from the Floor. The report of the nominating committee of its nominations for officers, directors and the members of the succeeding nominating committee shall be sent to all members one month before the date of the annual meeting. The report of the nominating committee shall be presented to the annual meeting. Immediately following the presentation of this report, nominations may be made from the floor by any voting member provided the consent of the nominee shall have been secured.

Section 3. Election. The election shall be by ballot, providing that when there is but one nominee for each office, it shall be by voice vote. A majority vote of those qualified to vote and voting shall constitute an election. Absentee or proxy voting shall not be permitted.

## ARTICLE IX

### Program

Section 1. Authorization. The governmental Principles adopted by the national convention, and supported by the League as a whole, constitute the authorization for the adoption of program.

Section 2. Program. The program of the League of Women Voters of Kerrville shall consist of: a) action to implement the Principles of the League of Women Voters of the United States, and b) those local governmental issues chosen for concerted study and action.



Section 3. Action by the Annual Meeting. The annual meeting shall act upon the program using the following procedures:

- a) The board of directors shall consider the recommendations sent in by the voting members two months prior to the annual meeting and shall formulate a proposed program.
- b) The proposed program shall be sent to all members one month before the annual meeting.
- c) A majority of voting members present and voting at the annual meeting shall be required for adoption of issues in the proposed program as presented to the annual meeting by the board of directors.
- d) Recommendations for program submitted by voting members two months prior to the annual meeting but not included in the proposed program recommended by the board of directors may be considered by the annual meeting provided that: (1) the annual meeting shall order consideration by a majority vote and (2) the annual meeting shall adopt the item by a majority vote.
- e) Changes in the program, in the case of altered conditions, may be made provided that: (1) information concerning the proposed change has been sent to all members at least two weeks prior to a general membership meeting at which the change is to be discussed and (2) final action by the membership is taken at a succeeding meeting.

Section 4. Member Action. Members may act in the name of the League of Women Voters only when authorized to do so by the proper board of directors. They may act only in conformity with, and not contrary to, a position taken by the League of Women Voters of Kerrville, the League of Women Voters of Texas, and the League of Women Voters of the United States.

## ARTICLE X

### National Convention, State Convention and Council

Section 1. National Convention. The board at a meeting before the date on which the names of delegates must be sent to the national office shall select delegates to that convention in the number allotted the League of Women Voters of Kerrville under the provision of the bylaws of the League of Women Voters of the United States.

Section 2. State Convention. The board at a meeting before the date on which the names of delegates must be sent to the state office shall select delegates to that convention in the number allotted the League of Women Voters of Kerrville under the provision of the bylaws of the League of Women Voters of Texas.

Section 3. State Council. The board at a meeting before the date on which the names of delegates must be sent to the state office shall select delegates to that council in the number allotted the League of Women Voters of Kerrville under the provisions of the bylaws of the League of Women Voters of Texas.



## ARTICLE XI

### Parliamentary Authority

Section 1. Parliamentary Authority. The rules contained in Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised shall govern the organization in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with these bylaws.

## ARTICLE XII

### Amendments

Section 1. Amendments. These bylaws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the voting members present and voting at the annual meeting, provided that amendments were submitted to the membership in writing at least one month in advance of the meeting.

## ARTICLE XIII

### National Convention, State Conventions and Councils

Section 1. National Convention. The board at a meeting before the date on which the names of delegates must be sent to the national office shall select delegates to that convention in the number allotted the League of Women Voters of Kentucky under the provisions of the bylaws of the League of Women Voters of the United States.

Section 2. State Conventions. The board at a meeting before the date on which the names of delegates must be sent to the state office shall select delegates to that convention in the number allotted the League of Women Voters of Kentucky under the provisions of the bylaws of the League of Women Voters of Texas.

Section 3. State Councils. The board at a meeting before the date on which the names of delegates must be sent to the state office shall select delegates to that council in the number allotted the League of Women Voters of Kentucky under the provisions of the bylaws of the League of Women Voters of Texas.



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PROVISIONAL LWV OF GREATER KERRVILLE

AMMENDED BUDGET

8 Jan. thru 31 May 1983

EXPENDITURES:

A. Operating Costs		
1. Xeroxing (Budget/Program, etc)	\$ 75.00	
2. Bank Charges	20.00	
3. P.O.Box (6 mo. rental)	10.00	
4. Annual Meeting	25.00	
Sub-total		\$130.00
B. Board & Administrative Costs.		
1. President	\$ 15.00	
2. Secretary	10.00	
3. Treasurer	10.00	
4. Administrative Committees		
a. Finance	25.00	
b. Membership	25.00	
Sub-total		85.00
C. Delegates & Travel		
1. State Convention (Observers)		200.00
D. Financial Support for League		
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E. Local VOTER (4 issues)		
		120.00
F. Educational Activities		
1. Voter Service	\$ 20.00	
2. Publications	25.00	
Sub-total		45.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		\$580.00

INCOME:

A. Dues		
1. Renewals (22 @ \$25.00)	\$550.00	
2. New Members (4 @ \$25.00)	100.00	
Sub-total		\$650.00
B. Sale of Publications		
1. Texas Government Handbook		
5 @ \$3.15	15.75	
2. Women Under Texas Law		
10 @ \$2.10	21.00	
3. Other	15.00	
Sub-total		51.75
C. Contributions		
1. January Party	100.00	
2. Febuary Silent Auction	35.00	
Sub-total		135.00
TOTAL INCOME		\$836.75

Approved by Budget Committee 10 Jan 1983

Evelyn Jaeggli  
Abbie Corey  
Beverly Reagan  
Elma Hennies

*Elma E. Hennies*  
Treasurer



## PROVISIONAL LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

OF GREATER KERRVILLE, TEXAS

Proposed Budget, 1983-84 (June 1, 1983 - May 31, 1984)

ExpendituresKey to Budget

<b>A. Operating Costs:</b>		
1. General Supplies	\$150.	Incl. Stationery, postage, etc.
2. Post Office Box Rental	20.	
3. Bank Charges	40.	
Sub-total A	\$210.	
<b>B. Board &amp; Administrative Costs:</b>		
1. President	25.	
2. Board Tools & Expenses	75.	Half the cost of DPMs (3 state & 3 natl), 1 LWVUS Publication Service & misc. expense
3. Treasurer	20.	
4. Secretary	15.	
5. Administrative Committees		
a. Finance	50.	Expenses to raise funds
b. Membership	75.	Recruitment supplies
c. Public Relations	25.	Supplies & postage
Sub-total B	\$285.	
<b>C. Delegates &amp; Travel</b>	\$300.	
<b>D. Financial Support for League</b>		
1. State (2nd yr. Prov. Fee)	\$300.	State proposed 83-84 budget increases Prov. & Local League minimum fee
2. National ( $\frac{1}{2}$ PMP - 60 @ \$6.)	360.	
Sub-total D	\$660.	
<b>E. Local VOTER (Bulletin)</b>	\$230.	Printing, supplies & postage
<b>F. Educational Activities:</b>		
1. Voter Service	\$ 30.	Committee expense
2. Program	25.	Committee expense
3. Publications	30.	Leadership & program publications in addition to those provided by LWV-Tx.
4. Subscription Service (60 @ \$3)	180.	Prov. League provides LWV publications to all members, at a minimum expense of \$3
Sub-total F	\$265.	
<b>G. Special Project:</b>		
Survey		
Publication of Community	\$1200.	
<b>H. Reserve Fund</b>	\$950.	Funds on hand at close of fiscal year, 5/31/83, to be added to this reserve
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<u>\$4100.</u>	

Income

<b>A. Dues (60 @ \$25.)</b>	\$1500.	
<b>B. Publications</b>	100.	
<b>C. Contributions</b>		
1. Member	500.	
2. Non-Member	2000.	Community goal
<b>Total Income</b>	<u>\$4100.</u>	

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PROVISIONAL LWV OF GREATER KERRVILLE  
PROPOSED BUDGET - 1984-85 (1 June 84 - 31 May 85)

EXPENSES:

<b>A. Operating costs</b>		
1. General supplies	\$165	Board & Administrative
2. Postage	55	All except for VOTER
3. Telephone	25	Administrative calls
4. P. O. Box rental	20	
5. State Sales Tax	5	
Subtotal A	270	
<b>B. Board &amp; Administrative Committees</b>		
1. President	25	
2. Secretary	15	
3. Treasurer	15	
4. Board tools & expenses	125	Incl. 2 DPM's
5. Administrative Committees		
a. Finance	75	Fund drive costs
b. Membership	75	Incl. Pub.to prospective
c. Public relations	25	and new members
d. Budget	5	
Subtotal B	360	
<b>C. Delegates &amp; Travel</b>		
1. State convention (1985)	75	
2. Workshops	40	
3. Meetings	35	
Subtotal C		
<b>D. Financial support for League (Based on 1 Jan 84 membership)</b>		
1. State	420	PMP \$8.75
2. National	624	PMP \$13.00
Subtotal D	1044	50 members incl. 8 Hsld
<b>E. Bulletin (Local VOTER)</b>	516	Incl. postage for mailing
<b>F. Educational Activities</b>		
1. Publications		
a. Purchase + distribution costs	100	Incl. items for every
b. Production + distribution costs	25	member
2. Program Committee	25	
3. Voters service	125	Incl. Voters Guides
Subtotal F	275	
<b>G. Position support</b>		
1. Publications on League positions	65	
2. Action activities	10	
Subtotal G	75	
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$2690	

INCOME:

A. Dues @ \$25.00 each	\$1425	Projected 60 members incl.
b. Contributions		12 Household
1. Member	500	
2. Non-member	500	
C. Publication Sales	250	Incl. local Gov. Survey
D. Interest on Savings	15	
TOTAL INCOME	\$2690	

*Elma E. Hennes*  
Treasurer



PROVISIONAL LWV OF KERRVILLE  
Report of 1983 Financial Drive  
1 Oct. - 31 Dec. 1983

Contributions for Operating Funds:

14 members	\$296.18	
8 non-members	<u>215.00</u>	
SubTotal		\$511.18

Contributions to Educ. Fund for local use:

13 members	\$680.00	
9 non-members	<u>405.00</u>	
SubTotal		<u>1085.00</u>
Total Contributions		\$1596.18

Contributors:

25 Members	\$976.18
17 Non-Members	<u>620.00</u>
	\$1596.18

*Elma E. Hennies*

Elma E. Hennies  
Treasurer

NOTE: Goals of Financial Drive:

Non-member contributions	\$1200
Member contributions	500

Members involved in Fund Drive - 5



PROVISIONAL LWV OF GREATER KERRVILLE

TREASURERS REPORT

7 - 28 Feb. 1983

ON HAND LAST REPORT (7 Feb 83)

\$ 361.18

RECEIPTS:

Dues (3 renewal, 1 new)	\$ 100.00
Member donation to Jan. Party	24.10
Member silent auction	210.60
Sale of Publications	<u>27.90</u>

Total Receipts

362.60

On hand and received

\$723.78

EXPENSES:

Publications for members	\$ 39.50
Local VOTER (2 issues)	24.38
Xerox Treas. items for Board	6.10
Registration fees (4) for LWV OF TX Legislative Day(8 Mar)	<u>12.00</u>

Total Expenses

81.98

ON HAND 28 Feb 1983

\$641.80

*Elma E. Hennies*

Elma E. Hennies  
Treasurer



PROVISIONAL LWV OF GREATER KERRVILLE

TREASURER'S REPORT

28 Feb. - 27 Mar. 1983

ON HAND LAST REPORT (28 Feb. '83)

\$ 641.80

RECEIPTS:

Dues (4 renewals)	\$ 100.00
Refund of Tx. Legislative Day registrations	12.00
Contributions to local League Operating Funds(2)	150.00

Total Receipts

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On hand and received

\$ 903.80

EXPENSES:

Local VOTER (#6) Print/Mail	\$ 47.81
Post Office Box Rent (6 mo.)	10.00
Xeroxing of Proposed Budget & Bylaws for Annual Meeting	50.00

Total Expenses

107.81

BALANCE ON HAND 27 March 1983

\$ 795.99

*Elma E. Hennies*

Elma E. Hennies, Treasurer



PROVISIONAL LWV OF GREATER KERRVILLE

TREASURER'S REPORT

27 Mar. - 2 May, 1983

ON HAND LAST REPORT (27 Mar.'83) \$795.99

RECEIPTS:

Dues (Renewal)	\$25.00	
Sale of Publications	3.15	
Member Contributions (2) to Operating Funds	25.00	
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Total Receipts		53.15

On Hand and Received \$849.14

EXPENSES:

LWV-US Publications (for members)	\$ 41.00	
LWV-TX Publications (for new Board)	42.12	
Local Voter (#7 & 8)	84.17	
Treasurer - Postage & Phone	9.38	
Secretary - Postage & Xerox	10.00	
Quarterly Sales Tax	1.00	
Convention Registration (2)	40.00	
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Total Expenses		227.67

BALANCE ON HAND 2 May 1983 \$621.47

*Elma E. Hennies*

Elma E. Hennies, Treasurer



PROVISIONAL LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS  
OF GREATER KERRVILLE (TEXAS)

TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT  
June 1, 1982 - May 31, 1983

INCOME:

Dues (58 @ \$25)	\$1450.00
Publication Sales	206.04
Membership Grant (LWV-US)	100.00
Project Income:	
Summer Picnic	58.25
Christmas Tree Forest Award	25.00
January Party	341.10
Member's Silent Auction	210.60
Member's Contributions (to Operating Funds)	185.00
Annual Meeting (Dinner)	202.50
Miscellaneous	12.00

TOTAL INCOME \$2790.49

EXPENDITURES:

Dues to LWV-TX (34 @ \$25 - State Unit)	\$ 850.00
Dues to LWV-TX (1st year Provisional League	200.00
Publications	381.36
Texas Quarterly Sales Tax	8.86
Local VOTER (Bulletin)	248.46
Membership Drive	100.50
Xeroxing (Budget/Bylaws/Rosters/etc.)	75.95
Treasurer/Publications Chr. Expenses	25.40
Secretary's Expenses	10.00
Post Office Box Rental	10.00
Registration Fees (Convention, etc.)	52.00
Project Expenses:	
Summer Picnic	30.20
January Party	209.00
Annual Meeting (Dinner)	210.00
Miscellaneous	9.56

TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$2421.29

ON HAND June 1, 1982 (Checking Acct.)	\$404.23
Excess income over Expenditures	369.20

BALANCE ON HAND May 31, 1983	\$773.43
(Checking Acct. Chas Schreiner Bank)	

ON DEPOSIT with LWV-TX Education Fund	\$100.00
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*Elma E. Hennies*  
ELMA E. HENNIES  
Treasurer



PROVISIONAL LWV OF KERRVILLE

TREASURER'S REPORT

1-15 June 1983

On Hand 1 June (Start of Fiscal Year)

\$ 773.43

INCOME:

Dues (3 renewals)

75.00

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\$ 848.43

EXPENSES:

None

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Balance on Hand 15 June 1983

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\$ 848.43

*Elma E. Hennies*

Elma E. Hennies, Treasurer



PROVISIONAL LWV OF KERRVILLE

Treasurer's Report

15 June - 14 July 1983

ON HAND LAST REPORT (15 June 83) \$848.43

INCOME:

Dues (2 renewals	\$50.00	
Dues (2 @ Household rate)	37.50	
Interest on Savings Account	<u>1.08</u>	
Total Income		<u>88.58</u>
On Hand and received		\$937.01

EXPENSES:

Herring Printing (Stationery)	\$55.99	
Xerox of Board items	8.08	
Treasurer's Expenses	6.85	
Quarterly State Sales Tax	<u>.30</u>	
Total expenses		<u>71.22</u>

ON HAND AS OF 14 July 1983 \$865.79\*\*

\*\* Checking Account \$364.71  
Savings Account 501.08

Both accounts in Chas. Schreiner Bank.

*Elma E. Hennies*

ELMA E. HENNIES  
Treasurer



PROVISIONAL LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF KERRVILLE

TREASURER'S REPORT

14 July - 1 August 1983

ON HAND LAST REPORT: (14 July 83)

\$865.79

INCOME:

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On Hand and Received

\$865.79

EXPENSES:

LWVUS( $\frac{1}{2}$ PMP for 1983-84)	\$147.00
LWVTX( $\frac{1}{2}$ Provisional League Fee)	125.00
Xerox of Policy Statement	5.95
Stamps for local VOTER	<u>20.00</u>

Total Expenses

297.95

BALANCE ON HAND 1 Aug 83

\$567.84 \*\*

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Checking Account	\$ 66.76
Savings Account	<u>501.08</u>

Total

\$567.84

*Elma E. Hennies*

Elma E. Hennies  
Treasurer

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PROVISIONAL LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF KERRVILLE

TREASURER'S REPORT

1 Aug. - 29 Aug. 1983

ON HAND LAST REPORT: (1 Aug 83)		\$567.84
INCOME:		
Renewal Dues (1)	\$25.00	
Total Income		25.00
On Hand and Received		\$592.84
EXPENSES:		
Herring Printing (VOTER)	\$15.67	
Bank (Printed checks)	5.05	
LWV-TX Publication	2.10	
P.O.Box Rental (6 mo.)	10.00	
Total Expense		32.82
BALANCE ON HAND 29 Aug 1983		\$560.02 **

**Checking Account	\$ 58.94
Savings Assount	501.08
Total	\$560.02

*Elma E. Hennies*  
 Elma E. Hennies  
 Treasurer



PROVISIONAL LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF KERRVILLE

TREASURER'S REPORT

29 Aug. - 3 <sup>Oct</sup>~~Sept.~~, 1983

ON HAND LAST REPORT: (29 Aug 83) \$560.02

INCOME:

Dues (1 new/3 renewal)	\$100.00
Member contribution to Oper. Funds	10.00
Sale of Publication	.75

Total income 110.75

On hand and received \$670.77

EXPENSES:

LWV-US Publications	\$ 36.80
LWV-TX Publications	24.78

Total expenses 61.58

BALANCE ON HAND 3 <sup>Oct</sup>~~Sept.~~ 1983 \*\* \$609.19

** In checking account	\$108.11
In savings account	501.08
Total	\$609.19

*Elma E. Hennies*

Elma E. Hennies  
Treasurer



PROVISIONAL LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF KERRVILLE

TREASURER'S REPORT

3 Oct. - 30 Oct. 1983

ON HAND LAST REPORT (3 Oct 83) \$609.19

INCOME:

Dues (2 new/7 renewal)	\$212.50	
Member contributions (operating funds)	190.00	
Non-member contributions "	30.00	
Interest on Savings (30 Sep)	6.67	
Total income		<u>\$439.17</u>

On hand and received \$1048.36

EXPENSES:

General Supplies (LWV Notes)	\$ 7.35	
Treasurer (Postage/xerox)	6.07	
Board Items (Publication)	1.50	
Membership Drive	24.12	
VOTER expenses	78.60	
LWVUS/TX Publications	12.85	
LWV-TX Voters Guide (1000 copies)	30.00	
Total expenses		<u>\$160.49</u>

ON HAND 30 Oct 1983 \*\* \$887.87

** In Checking account	\$380.12
In Savings account	507.75

*Elma E. Hennies*  
Elma E. Hennies  
Treasurer

51 Members

To local league credit in LWV Educ. Fund - \$595.00



PROVISIONAL LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF KERRVILLE

TREASURER'S REPORT

30 Oct. - 27 Nov., 1983

ON HAND LAST REPORT (30 Oct) \$887.87

INCOME:

Dues	\$ 37.50	
Member Contributions -Oper.Funds	111.18	
Non-member Contributions-Oper.Funds	160.00	
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Total income		308.68
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On hand and received		\$1196.55

EXPENSES:

LWV-US Final PMP for Fiscal 83-84	\$147.00	
Local VOTER expenses	21.65	
President's expenses	15.23	
Treasurer -postage	2.19	
Finance Drive expenses(Printing/Postage)	79.98	
Membership Drive expenses (Postage)	4.60	
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Total expenses		270.65
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ON HAND 27 November 1983 \*\* \$925.90

**In Checking Account	\$418.15
In Savings Account	507.75
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Total	\$925.90

FINANCE DRIVE REPORT (1 Oct - 27 Nov)

FOR OPERATING FUNDS:

13 members	\$301.18	
7 non-members	190.00	
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Total to operating funds		\$491.18

FOR LWV-TX EDUC. FUND(Local League Use)

12 members	\$680.00	
9 non-members	405.00	
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Total to Educ.Fund		1085.00

TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED \$1576.18

Recap:

23 members contributed  
17 non-members contributed

*Elma E. Hennies*

Elma E. Hennies  
Treasurer



PROVISIONAL LWV OF KERRVILLE

Treasurer's Report

31 Dec. 1983 to 31 Jan. 1984

On Hand last report(31 Dec 83) \$1027.60

INCOME:

Dues (3 renewals) \$75.00  
Interest on Savings (31 Dec 83) 6.76

Total Income 81.76

On Hand and Received \$1109.36

EXPENSES:

LWV-TX - Publications \$ 3.00  
LWV-US - Publications 24.70  
Typing paper for Spec. Project 6.66  
Xeroxing of forms/reports 9.03  
Postage(Finance/Membership &  
Publications Chr.) 2.22

Total Expenses 45.61

On Hand this report (31 Jan 84) \$1063.75 \*\*

\*\*In Checking Acct. \$549.24  
In Savings Acct. 514.51  
\$1063.75

NOTE:

On deposit with LWV-TX Educ. Fund (for our use) \$1210.00

MEMBERSHIP: 50

*Elma E. Hennies*  
Elma E. Hennies  
Treasurer



# PROVISIONAL LWV OF GREATER KERRVILLE

## Treasurer's Report

31 Jan. to 29 Feb. 1984

On hand last report (31 Jan 84) \$1063.75

### INCOME:

Dues (6 renewal & 1 new	\$175.00	
Sale of Publications	11.00	
Award - 3rd. Place Christmas Tree Forest	<u>15.00</u>	
Total Income		<u>201.00</u>
On Hand and Received		\$1264.75

### EXPENSES:

Local VOTER - 2 issues	\$ 91.75	
Secretary's Expense	1.20	
P. O. Box rental (6 months)	10.00	
LWV-TX Everymember publication	33.00	
Postage (Treas. & Pub. Chr.)	2.44	
Board Expenses (Xerox)	<u>1.96</u>	
Total Expenses		<u>140.35</u>

ON HAND THIS REPORT (29 Feb 84) \$1124.40 \*

### \* Operating Funds:

Checking Acct.	\$609.89
Savings Acct.	<u>514.51</u>
Total	\$1124.40

LWV-TX Educ. Fund -  
for local league use \$1210.00

Membership as of 29 Feb 84: 50

*Elma E. Hennies*  
Elma E. Hennies  
Treasurer



PROVISIONAL LWV OF GREATER KERRVILLE

Treasurer's Report

29 Feb. - 26Mar., 1984

ON HAND LAST REPORT (29 Feb 84) \$1124.40

INCOME:

Dues: (1 new & 2 renewals)	\$ 75.00
Sale of Publications to members	5.25
Member Contributions(Silent Auction)	190.85

Total Income 271.10

On Hand & Received \$1395.50

EXPENSES:

Herring Printing: Phase II, Nat/1 Security Questions and report	\$ 11.91
Postage: On above questionnaires	9.87
Herring Printing: Proposed budget for 1984-85 & Budget worksheets	6.17

Total Expenses 27.95

ON HAND THIS REPORT(26 Mar 84) \$1367.55 \*\*

\*\*Operating Funds:

Checking Account	\$853.04
Savings Account	514.51
Total	<u>\$1367.55</u>

Note: On Deposit with LWV-TX Educ. Fund  
for local League use \$1210.00

Membership as of 24 March: 50

*Elma E. Hennies*  
Elma E. Hennies  
Treasurer



Order additional free copies of  
forms from the: League of Women  
Voters of the U.S., 1730 M  
Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.  
20036

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Organization Division  
Revised May 1978

*Staple memo  
to this*

### INTERIM REPORT

Provisional League of Women Voters of Greater Kerrville

Halfway through the provisional League period, an interim report is prepared by the provisional League president and the advisor jointly. This should be a complete progress report of all the League's work and activities to date and include projected plans and attached samples of publications, press clippings, etc..

*Prepare this interim report in triplicate -- two copies for the state board, one for local files. Wherever necessary attach extra sheets.*

1. Date recognized as provisional February 18, 1985. Number of paid members at that time 54. Present membership 54.
2. Number of men members 6, employed members 20, members continuing their educations 1.
3. How many members are there on the board at present? 9 List their work assignments (not individual's name). Which chairmen have committees? How many on each committee? Attachment, Page 1
4. Board functioning. Evaluate how the board is functioning in regard to attendance, participation in board decisions, collaboration on membership recruitment and finance drives. Are they using handbooks: *In League* (LWVUS pub. 275, \$2), *Membership Management* (LWVUS pub. #495, \$1.50), *Dollars and Sense* (LWVUS pub. #494, 75¢), *Meaningful Meetings* (LWVUS pub. #319, 40¢), *Ledger-de-Main* (LWVUS pub. #248, \$1.25). See latest catalogs. Attachment, Page 1
5. What is the pattern of meeting for members: number and frequency of discussion units, general membership meetings? What percentage of your membership participates?
6. Report program work on the Interim Program Report form.
7. What is the pattern of distribution of program materials to members? Does the League have a local publications service? What has been done to get publications out into the community? Attachment, Page 2
8. How often is the bulletin published? Are copies sent regularly to the state and national offices? Do they go to anyone else? Attachment, Page 2
9. Voters Service/Citizen Information activities (include both election and non-election). Attachment, Page 2



10. Attach latest budget. Follow *Budget Forms for Local or Prov. Leagues* (LWVUS pub.#220) and *The Local League Budget Item by Item* (LWVUS pub.#150, free).  
*Attached - pg 8*
11. What steps have been taken in planning for a finance drive? If drives have been held, report goals; amounts received from members, non-members; the number of solicitors. Are there other fund raising activities?

Attachment, Page 3

12. Community relations: officials? the public at large? the media?

Attachment, Page 3

13. List state and national meetings at which the League has been represented. List the number in attendance from the League. (This should include state and national conventions, state council, state and national conferences, legislative days, League days, area workshops, etc..) Has attendance at future meetings been budgeted for?

Attachment, Page 3

14. List services supplied by the state board -- visits of advisor(s), of state board or committee members for help in specific areas such as finance, state program, discussion techniques, etc..

Attachment, Page 4

COMMENTS by advisor and/or president: (Use extra sheet if necessary.)

Attachment, Page 9

Date Dec. 3, 1983 Signed Rosemary Rodgers  
(state advisor)

Signed:

Abbie E. Lorey  
(provisional League president)

Ethel E. Sturgis  
(state organization chair)

NOTE TO STATE ORGANIZATION CHAIRMAN: Please forward one copy of this report to the national office with your own and/or state board's evaluation. The Organization Committee of the national board will reply to this report. You will want to share their comments on the progress of this League with your board.



INTERIM PROGRAM REPORT

Provisional League of Women Voters of Greater Kerrville

Date November 9, 1983

Attach calendar of program coverage planned for the League year. In making your report for each subject describe what you have done to involve the community.

Attachment, Page 7

Local Survey

Describe work completed by committee, material prepared, meetings for members, public meetings (if any), go-see tours held and other activities. Report extent of member participation in discussion of the contents of the survey.

Attachment, Page 5

State

Describe, subject by subject, resource committee work, meetings, aspects of subject covered, member participation in discussion, attendance, etc., use of publications by members.

Attachment, Page 5

National

Describe, subject by subject, resource committee work, meetings, aspect of subject covered, member participation in discussion, attendance, etc., use of publications by members.

Attachment, Page 6

EVALUATION of program work: (To be filled out by state leaders.) Use extra sheet if necessary.

Attachment, Page 6A



3. President -Publicity  
First V.P. -Program-National, State and local survey  
Second V.P.- Co-chair for Finance ( for Nov.)  
Legislative chair  
Treasurer -Publication chair and Nat'l. Security chair  
Secretary - VOTER editor  
Director-Voter's Service  
" Membership  
" Voter's Service ( resigning )  
" Finance

The following committees are active at present:

Program - 6 members ( 3 program item chairs, 3 others)  
National item - 4 members  
Local survey- 11 members

Membership - 4 members

Finance - 3 members

Voters Service - 7 members

4. Attendance at board meeting is about 80-85 %. One member who has been absent most is resigning because of illness. All participate well in Board decisions and collaborate well in all activities, particularly in membership recruitment and our current finance drive. All handbooks mentioned are used by board members according to assignment. Every board member has a copy of IN LEAGUE and FUNDAMENTALS FOR LOCAL LEAGUE BOARDS.

5. In the spring of 83, the day and night discussion groups ceased to exist because of lack of attendance. An effort was made to involve membership in resource committees. A local government survey group met until the end of May. General meetings continue on a monthly basis eight months out of the year. On November 12, an organization meeting will be held to establish a day discussion group. Approximately 35-40% of members attend general meetings.



7. All members receive National and State Voters. Other publications are in the Public Library in a special file available to all members and the public. Every member copies have been purchased on Nat'l. Security and distributed with the VOTER. New publications are announced through the VOTER and displayed at general meetings. Orders are taken by the Publications chair.

m. Our League will not publish until the Community Survey is complete, after the first of the year.

At every opportunity in the League's activities publications are on display to the members and the public. This includes booths for Voters Service, membership recruitment efforts, and now with the Finance drive. In several publicity releases, the publications in the Library file have been mentioned as well as purchase possibilities.

8. The bulletin is published monthly except for June and July. Copies are sent regularly to State and National offices. A few extra copies are sent to prospective members at intervals.

9. Voters Service activities.

Sept. 83 Voters Service Workshop held - 13 attended

Oct. 83 Voter registration - 3 days - 17 members participated. 130 registrations and 13 change of address accepted. 57 cards were given out.

Voters Guides---- 1000 Voters Guides ,

Extra copies of Texas Voter inserts on child support enforcement were distributed.

No specific citizen information was undertaken other than the Voters Guides, and public invitations to attend our meetings.



11. We are in the middle of our first Finance Drive. The main objective is to cover publication cost of the Community Survey. Planning began in September with the board as a whole, which was stimulated by the budget submitted to State for this fiscal year.

Our goal is to obtain donations in the amount of \$500 from members and \$2000 from the community by January 1, 1984. Two letters were drafted by the committee and approved by the board. Suggestions for individuals or organizations to be solicited were forwarded to the committee by members, Member letters were mailed in early October and follow up calls started Nov. 1.

Letters to the community were mailed between Oct 15 and Nov. 1. Follow up calls are in progress. The outcome of this effort as of Nov. 9 is reflected in the budget analysis attached. We have 3 main solicitors and 3 helpers. A total of 143 letters, including members, were sent. Contingency plans are being

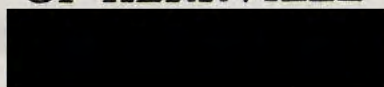
developed should we not meet our goal on our first attempt. *Letters 3a + 3b*

*Outcome of effort as of 11/15/83 - \$1440. AC*  
12. Community relations appear to be fairly good. During the survey we have met with many city officials and received very good cooperation and help. Media cooperation has improved and responses to our donation requests have elicited favorable even when they turn us down. The leaders of one political women's group continue to "bad mouth" the League but their opinion is not shared by all members. *Letters attached - 3a + 3b*

13. The 1983 LWV-T State convention was attended by 3 members and the Counterpart regional workshop in October was attended by four members. Present budget provides for 2 registrations for convention or council meetings. Additional may be granted at board discretion. Budget committee has discussed increasing this next year.



# PROVISIONAL LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF KERRVILLE



October 5, 1983

Dear LWV Member:

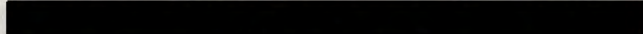
Re: Finance Drive  
Provisional LWV of Kerrville

It takes money to grow and to be more effective. It takes money to grow from a Provisional League to a full-fledged League of Women Voters. The most costly required item is the publication of the local government survey, a very ambitious project on our part. We are aiming for a January 1984 publication date. Estimated cost is \$1,200.00 for a minimum of 500 copies.

The other items in the budget for 1983-1984 bring the total expenses to \$4,100.00. Dues alone support only about one-third of a typical local League operation. Your donation beyond dues and volunteer time is of vital importance, for it is a tangible indication of the value you place on your organization.

The total member donations will be an excellent plus when we go out to the community for support. We think we are important to the community and we want the community to agree--with financial assistance.

We count on you! Your contribution can be made to the League of Women Voters of Kerrville to help with operational expenses or to the League of Women Voters - Texas Education Fund if you wish a tax deduction. Our league can draw on this fund for certain items--such as our survey. For record keeping purposes all moneys should be sent through the local League.

Please mail to: LWVK, 

Sincerely,  
THE FINANCE COMMITTEE  
Wilma Palmer  
Justa Walsh  
Jean Lowry

P.S. We would appreciate hearing from you by November 1st. A member of the finance committee will contact you after that date.



## PROVISIONAL LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF KERRVILLE

October 13, 1983

Dear Friend:

The enclosed folder is one of several educational pieces that the League of Women Voters of Kerrville distributes during the year. We place Voters Guides to local and state elections in locations that are easily accessible to the voting public. We register eligible voters. Timely League publications are in a vertical file in the public library. Our current project is the compilation of a survey of our local city government. Publication date is planned for January 1984, with an estimated cost of \$1,200. for a minimum of 500 copies. These are some of the services the League performs for the community.

The League is nonpartisan and is devoted to the political education of the voting public--our priority for the last 60 years.

We would appreciate your assistance in achieving our goals. While members pay dues, make contributions, and donate time liberally, additional money is required for this one-time project. We will be happy to have a member of our finance committee phone you for an appointment to pay you a visit and answer any questions you may wish to ask about the League and its work.

May we count on you!? Your contribution can be made to the League of Women Voters of Kerrville to help with operational expenses or to the League of Women Voters - Texas Education Fund if you wish a tax deduction. Our League can draw on this fund for certain items - such as our survey. For record keeping purposes all moneys should be sent through the local League. Please mail to:

LWVK, [REDACTED]

Sincerely,

*Justa Walsh*

Justa Walsh, Finance Chairman

*Abbie E. Corey*

Abbie Corey, President



14. From the time Kerrville started discussing Provisional League status our advisor has kept in close contact with us, at her request or ours. Since February we have had several ~~visi~~ visits, a meeting at San Marcos and frequent telephone contacts. She presented a program for us in September and held a Voters Service workshop the same day. The State President attended and spoke at our annual meeting and it is our hope the current President will attend our November meeting. All contacts make it possible for members as well as board to request information or help. Be ready! we may just be learning what we need!



## PROGRAM REPORT

## Local Survey

The survey started in the discussion groups when our League was a state unit. Members took assignments from the guide book and studied first written materials- city charter, minutes of council meetings, ordinances, and a previous study done in 1967 by an outside group. Members of the discussion groups both reported and discussed findings. Interviews with city officials followed. Progress reports were made to the membership when interest began to fade in the discussion groups, a resource committee was formed and met till the end of May, 83. In July or August, it was a board decision that the board members would hold themselves responsible to complete and update materials already gathered to meet a November 15 deadline. At the November Meeting a summary of findings will be reviewed and open discussion will follow. The public is invited. Fifty percent of the material was forwarded for editing and rewriting in October. The rest will be turned over after the meeting. Publication goal is still January 15.

State Items ..... Women under Texas Law - individual study on the child support enforcement issue led to a concurrence vote by 25 members at the Sept. meeting. Domestic violence and intestacy laws are awaiting materials from state.. In the meantime two of our members are working with a local group formed because of community interest in battered families and inadequate help in the immediate area.



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PROGRAM cont'd.

State item ... Constitutional revision was our selected item but has been changed to redistricting as a more vital issue at the moment. The study item chair has been selected and a resource committee is being formed. The Leader's Guide has been received.

National Security Study.... This study began with unit meetings. Cochairmen obtained through the Library almost a complete bibliographical file for all member reading. Discussion was held in the discussion groups. When the groups disbanded in the summer, reading continued. Every member received a copy of "The Quest for Arms Control: Why and How". A panel of five members presented a review of material pertinent to the Phase I consensus. 18 members filled out consensus Questionnaires which were mailed to all members. Future plans for this item include sending each member a copy of "Dollars for Defense", continued reference reading by members, the return to discussion groups for discussion, and a guest speaker- our Congressman Tom Loeffler- at our general meeting in February.



EVALUATION OF PROGRAM WORK:

Work on gathering the data for the local government survey is essentially complete. An editing committee has been appointed to prepare the material for publishing. The community has been made aware of the local survey--through interviews with public officials and personnel, and through contacts with the business community on the finance drive. At the November League meeting, where much of the material was presented and discussed, it was obvious that most members had been involved to some extent in preparing the survey, and were familiar with the material.

Regarding work on state and national program items, this League has been quite active. They have participated in the concurrence process on the child support enforcement issue which is a part of the state League's study of Women Under Texas Law. They also plan to participate in the state League's Redistricting study, and formed the resource committee for this after their last meeting. I do hope that this and other resource committees will include non-board members to expand participation and leadership in the group. Otherwise, there could be a danger of burning out those presently active on resource committees, without new people willing to assume active roles. On national program items they are well informed and, after thorough study, sent in their report on the National Security study, Phase I. In addition, I was visiting their September general meeting when the state Action Alert on the East Texas Wilderness Bill (HR 3788) was explained and thoroughly discussed. The group agreed to take the requested action--to write their Congressman.

*/s/ Rowena Rodgers*

Rowena Rodgers

Advisor



CALENDAR

PROVISIONAL LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF KERRVILLE  
1983-84

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JUNE & Board meetings - Assignment of Portfolios - Planning sessions -  
JULY Orientation of Board members

AUGUST

- 1 - Program Committee meeting - 12 Noon - Fara's Restaurant
- Board meeting - 7 PM - Mardi Ashley's
- 13 - Membership Party - 4:30 PM - Wilma Palmer's
- 29 - Board meeting - 7 PM - Betty Funk's
- Voter materials deadline

SEPTEMBER

- 1 - Voter Registration Drive begins\*\*
- 3 - Voter mailing deadline
- 9 - LWVUS Action Packed Politics - Membership Campaign kickoff
- 21 - General meeting - 7:30 PM - BHML\* - Women Under Texas Law: Child Support enforcement concurrence
- Constitutional Amendments Referendum Information
- Voter Service Workshop - 2:30 PM - Rowena Rodgers
- 30 - Child support enforcement concurrence deadline
- 29, 30 & Oct 1 - Voter Registration booths - River Hills Mall

OCTOBER

- 3 - Board Meeting - 7 PM - Elma Hennies
- 7 - Voter Registration ends
- Membership Tea - (date to be announced)
- 15 - Finance drive begins
- LWV-TX Counterpart Workshop - San Marcos
- 19 - General meeting - 7:30 PM - BHML - National Security (Part I) Consensus - Panel
- 20 - Absentee Voting for November referendum election begins
- 29 - End of Action Packed Politics - Membership campaign LWVUS
- 31 - Board meeting - 7 PM - Abbie Corey's
- Deadlines: Voter materials; National Security Consensus (Part I)

NOVEMBER

- 4 - End Absentee Voting for November Referendum election
- 8 - Constitutional Amendments Referendum - VOTE!!!!
- 10 - Municipal Government Survey - Progress & Rough Draft - to Rowena Rodgers
- Field Representative
- 16 - General meeting - 7:30 PM - BHML\* - Report of Membership - Municipal Government Survey
- 28 - Board Meeting - 7 PM - Helen Sencenbaugh's
- Voter materials deadline

DECEMBER

- 3 - Christmas Party - HCAF, Country Kitchen - Ingram
- Christmas Tree - Christmas Tree Forest
- No General meeting

6<sup>30</sup> & 7.50 catered

JANUARY

- 1 - Report to State and National - Number of local league members
- 2 - Board Meeting - 7 PM - Betty Funk's
- Voter materials deadline
- 15 - Publication: Municipal Government Survey
- Program Committee meeting - Helen Sencenbaugh, VP
- 18 - General meeting - 7:30 PM - BHML\* - ~~Texas Government~~ - National Program and Bylaws
- 30 - Board meeting - 7 PM
- Voter materials deadline



FEBRUARY

- Tentative date*
- 6 - Filing deadline for May Primary - 6 PM
  - 13 - Deadline: LWVUS program & bylaws changes
  - 15 - General meeting - 7:30 PM - BHML\* - National Security (Part II) Consensus
  - 16 - Deadline: submission of emergency State program issues to State for Council

MARCH

- 5 - Board meeting - 7 PM
  - Voter materials deadline
  - Approve recommended local program for presentation to members.
  - Reports of program, budget, bylaws & nominating committees
- 9 - Last day to register for April local election
- 15 - Deadline: National Security (Part II) Consensus
- 21 - General meeting - 7:30 PM - BHML\* - Women Under Texas Law - ~~battered women,~~ *Domestic violence*  
intestacy *laws*
- 19-23 - Absentee voting - Local election

APRIL

- 2 - Board meeting - 7 PM
  - Voter materials deadline: Final bylaws changes, budget, program and slate of nominees to be mailed with Voter
- 6 - Last day to register for May primary
- 7 - Local election - VOTE!!!! - City council (3) and KISD (2)
- 14-15 - LWV-TX Council - Corpus Christi
- 16-May 1 - Absentee Voting - May primary
- 18 - General meeting - 7:30 PM - BHML\* - Texas Government - Congressional redistricting consensus & *discussion*
- 30 - Board meeting - 7 PM
  - Voter materials deadline

MAY

- 1 - Absentee voting for primary ends
- 5 - Primary election - VOTE!!!!!! - County Commissioners Pct. 1 & 3
- 13-17 - LWVUS Convention - Detroit
- 16 - Annual meeting - 7:30 PM (place to be announced)  
Election of officers, Approval budget, program, etc.
- 18 - Deadline: Redistricting consensus  
Send required information to State Board  
Plan with new board
- 31 - End of fiscal year

JUNE

- 2 - Primary election runoff

\* - BHML - Butt-Holdsworth Memorial Library - Downstairs meeting room

\*\* - Prior to each election voter registration activities will be held



PROVISIONAL LWV OF KERRVILLE  
BUDGET ANALYSIS - November 8, 1983

<u>INCOME:</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Still to Come</u>
A. Dues (Based on 60 members)	\$1500.	\$512.50	\$ 987.50
B. Publications Sales	100.	.75	99.25
C. Contributions			
1. Member	500.	244.18 <sup>(1)</sup>	255.82
2. Non-member	2000.	180.00 <sup>(2)</sup>	1820.00
D. Interest on Savings	---	(+7.75) <sup>(3)</sup>	?
Total Income	<u>\$4100.</u>	<u>\$937.43</u>	<u>\$3162.57</u>
<u>EXPENDITURES:</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Left to Spend</u>
A. Operating Costs			
1. General Supplies	\$ 150.	\$ 63.34	\$ 86.66
2. Post Office Box Rental	20.	10.00	10.00
3. Bank Charges	40.	5.05	34.95
4. State Sales Tax	---	(+.30) <sup>(4)</sup>	?
Subtotal A	<u>\$210.</u>	<u>\$ 78.39</u>	<u>\$ 131.61</u>
B. Board & Administrative Costs			
1. President	\$ 25.	\$ 15.23	\$ 9.77
2. Board Tools & Expenses	75.	11.68	63.32
3. Treasurer	20.	12.92	7.08
4. Secretary	15.	--	15.00
5. Administrative Committees			
a. Finance	50.	77.18	(+27.18)
b. Membership	75.	28.72	46.28
c. Public Relations	25.	---	25.00
Subtotal B	<u>\$ 285.</u>	<u>\$ 145.73</u>	<u>\$ 139.27</u>
C. Delegates & Travel	\$ 300.	---	\$ 300.00
D. Financial Support for League			
1. State	\$ 300.	\$ 125.00	\$ 175.00 <sup>(5)</sup>
2. National	360.	147.00	213.00 <sup>(6)</sup>
Subtotal D	<u>\$ 660.</u>	<u>\$ 272.00</u>	<u>\$ 388.00</u>
E. Local VOTER (Bulletin)	\$ 230.	\$ 135.92	\$ 94.08
F. Educational Activities			
1. Voter Service	\$ 30.	\$ 5.04	\$ 24.96
2. Program	25.	18.48	6.52
3. Publications	30.	49.41	(+19.41)
4. Subscription(every member)	180.	37.45	142.55
Subtotal F	<u>\$ 265.</u>	<u>\$ 110.38</u>	<u>\$ 154.62</u>
G. Special Project			
Publication of Survey	\$1200.	----	\$1200.00
H. Reserve Fund	\$ 950.	\$ 773.43 <sup>(7)</sup>	\$ 176.57
Total Expenditures	<u>\$4100.</u>	<u>\$1515.85</u>	<u>\$2584.15</u>

- (1) Does not include \$545.00 member contributions to LWV\_TX Educ. Fund  
 (2) Does not include \$155.00 non-member contributions to LWV\_TX Educ. Fund  
 (3) Item not budgeted.  
 (4) Item not budgeted.  
 (5) Have been notified that we will not need to pay additional State League support for this fiscal year.  
 (6) Only \$147.00 in PMP remains to be paid to LWV-US for this fiscal year.  
 (7) Represents the balance on hand at start of this fiscal year (1 June 83).

Elma E. Hennies  
Treasurer



As advisor to this group, I have had the pleasure of seeing them move from state unit status to that of a provisional league. They have maintained high standards of study of their community and of program material on the state and national levels. High member interest is evidenced by good participation not only at general and board meetings, but for committee meetings and other activities. For instance, in September when I conducted a Voters Service workshop, 13 members actively participated and 17 subsequently worked on the fall voter registration drive. Member contributions to the finance drive have been high, and the finance drive in the community is being well received.

State President Lois Carpenter and I visited their November 16 general meeting when a verbal presentation of much of their local government survey was made by several of the members involved. It is obvious that the members understand their local government; interviews with public officials have served to inform them about what the League of Women Voters is.

One of their great strengths is the previous league experience of many of the members. In fact, two members (one being the president) have helped organize leagues elsewhere before moving to Kerrville. This previous league experience has made orientation into league quite easy so far. They do face a challenge of expanding membership to include all ages and backgrounds making sure the new members are oriented and involved on a continuing basis in all phases of league activity.

As noted elsewhere, I have been in frequent contact with this provisional league and think they are well on their way toward becoming eligible for full local league status. The goal is to be recognized as a local league at State Council in April or by National Convention.

*Rovera Rogers*



BOARD MEETING LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS - KERRVILLE AREA

905 Bow Lane  
Kerrville, TX 78028

Dec. 4, 1989

7:30 p.m.

PRESENT - Ruth Hall, President  
Barbara Lowenthal, 1st V.P./Program  
Georgia Christley, Treasurer  
Ann Sullivan, 2nd V.P./Membership  
Virginia Seidel, Director - Finance  
Pat Jackson, Director - Publicity  
Dot Larimer, Secretary  
Glenna Huntington, Director - Advocate for the Voter  
Gilda Wilkinson, VOTER - Editor  
Excused - None

TREASURER'S

REPORT: Attached

ASSETS ON HAND: Checking Account - \$2328.36  
Savings Account - 978.38  
TEF Account - \$1301.57

Membership - 54

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

CORRESPONDENCE  
AND  
ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Larry Vetter will not serve on the Budget Committee. Edith Kenshaw will serve instead. (Appointment approved by consent.)

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Finance

Virginia Seidel reported on the progress of plans for the Spring Fundraiser, a Wine and Cheese Tasting Party, at Oberhellmann Vineyard on Hwy. 16, 14 miles north of Fredericksburg. The League will be charged \$2.00 per person for the wine served by vineyard personnel and will not be required to guarantee a specific number. In addition the League will provide the cheese and bread. Two dates were discussed, April 21st and 28th. Seidel will check further - April 28th being the preferred date. The time is set for 5:00 -7:00 p.m. - "come and go". A price of \$10.00 per person and \$15.00 per pair was agreed upon. Tickets will be printed.



## Membership

Ann Sullivan suggested that the Membership Tea be moved to February. The date was set for Sunday, February 18, 1990, at 2:00 p.m. at 1604 Susan, Kerrville, the Sullivan residence.

## Publication

Pat Jackson reported that the School Board Candidate Forum is getting good coverage in the media and that Ruth Hall is appearing on local T.V. to discuss the League.

## Advocacy for the Voter

Glenna Huntigton will chair the study. Current plans are to initiate activities/meetings in January. Pat Dye will assist Huntigton will development of plans, etc. Current plans are for daytime meetings.

## VOTER Editor

Gilda Wilkinson reported on the costs of printing and mailing at bulk rates. 250 copies - 2 pages, front and back of both pages will run about \$55.00. Bulk rates will be about 8¢ per VOTER. Motion Passed.

It was agreed by consent that VOTERS will be sent to prospects, contributors, officials and other Texas local Leagues.

Pat Jackson moved that no VOTER issue be sent in December. Motion Passed.

## Program

Barbara Lowenthal reported that the signs announcing the School Board Candidate Forum are adequate for store front exposure but are too small for good visibility as street/road signs.

Each board member was asked to call 10 friends, neighbors, etc. to invite them personally to attend the Forum at 7:30 on December 12th, at the Y.O. Hilton.

Members are asked to observe everything at the Forum and to make suggestions for improvements.

The January General Meeting may be changed to accommodate the program. Pat Dye will conduct the program showing the background of the voting process.

In February, Evelyn Bonavita will come to tell about her experiences as a lobbyist.

Plans are being developed for a visit to the Capitol in March (on a Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday).



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The President. Ruth Hall, reported that questions for the Forum (for School Board Candidates) are coming in from the Community. There is considerable interest in the "overblown" administrative staff. Hall asked the Board to approve a suggested process for reviewing the League Program and giving feedback to the LWV-US in developing the National Program. She will appoint a committee to make a report to a special called meeting. Related articles will be in the January VOTER. (Approved by consent.)

Hall further reported that a tape of the J. C. Penney's Leadership Training had been acquired. The tape will be shown at a Board Social on a Saturday in January or February.

Christley reported that there were 34 reservations in for the LWV-KA Christmas Luncheon to be held at the Riverhills Country Club Dining Room on Saturday, December 9th.

MEETING ADJOURNED at 9:10 pm

Respectfully submitted,  
Dot Larimer, Secretary



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LWVKA BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MEETING DEC. 4, 1989  
Treasurer's Report - Nov. 6 thru Dec. 4, 1989

On Hand Nov. 6

\$3105.71

Income:

Dues 35.00  
Comfort Dinner Th.Fund Rs. 201.50  
Pennies-a-mile fund Rs. 23.45  
Christmas L. Res. 255.00

Total Income

514.95

On Hand & Received

\$3620.66

Expenses:

Brd Administration 5.59  
Local Voter  
Stamps & Printing 122.68  
Education Activities  
Printing for Gen. Meet. 9.00  
Posters for Forum 176.65

Total Expenses

313.92

On Hand this report, Dec.4,'89

\$3306.74

Recap:

In checking Act. \$2328.36  
In Savings Act. 978.38  
\$3306.74

Texas Ed Fund \$1301.57

Membership 54



GENERAL MEETING - League of Women Voters - Kerrville Area

November 27, 1989

The meeting was called to order by the President, Ruth Hall. Announcements included the following:

- Please submit questions for the School Board Candidates to Wanda Cash.
- The League sponsored School Board Candidates Forum will be on Tuesday, December 12th at the Y.O. Hilton at 7:30 p.m.
- The unit studying the Method of Election will meet on Friday, January 5, 1990.
- A brief meeting of the Water/Waste-water Study Unit will follow the General Meeting this evening.
- Please write a note of thanks to SASA for the meeting room.
- Watch Channel 22 from 9 to 10 on Saturday. Ruth Hall will speak about the League.

The meeting was turned over to Barbara Lowenthal, Program Chair. The informational program which followed was a League Update: A Review of Processes and Procedures. Discussion Leaders and Topics are included in the attached materials.



# LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

General Meeting. November 27, 1989

## Discussion Leaders

Background/Highlights	Betty Casey
Structure	Ann Sullivan
Program/Action	Barbara Lowenthal
Citizen Information/Voter Service	Ruth Hall

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Please fill in and return to Ruth Hall.

I wish the League would \_\_\_\_\_

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## LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS KERRVILLE AREA

### BACKGROUND/HIGHLIGHTS

In early 1979 three or four of us who were Members-at-Large of the League of Women Voters began talking about forming a local League. In May of that year three organizational meetings were held inviting people in the community to join with us.

On the 18th of June 1979 the League of Women Voters of Texas recognized us as the "LWV of Greater Kerrville"-a State Unit with 27 members. Over the next three-four years we all worked diligently to compile a Community Survey which was one of the requirements for "Provisional League" recognition, the next step to full Local League status.

During these years we remained Members-at-Large and all dues were sent to LWV of Texas. We depended upon donations from members and friends to operate locally.

On February 13th, 1983 we gained recognition as "Provisional League of Women Voters of Greater Kerrville", with 54 members.

This recognition enabled us to retain part of our dues to meet local operating expenses. We were becoming better recognized as a local nonpartisan organization and were distributing more State Voters Guides in the community, as well as participating in voter registration drives prior to elections.

At the State Convention on April 14th, 1984 we were given full League status as "League of Women Voters Kerrville Area." Our membership was 52 and for the first time we participated with delegates to the convention.

Our community survey had been accepted by LWV of Texas and following a very successful local finance drive it was published in August 1984 as a Survey of the Kerrville Area: a Citizens Handbook.

As part of that successful finance drive we conducted a Tour of Homes and contacted local businesses for financial support.

A "Meet the Candidates Forum" for local candidates was conducted in March 1986 and in November 1986 we co-sponsored a 25th District Senatorial candidate debate.

Members of the local League have served on various community nonpartisan boards and commissions, including the "Goals for the 80s", "Revision of the City Charter" and "Leadership Training."

LWVKA is an integral part of LWV-TX and LWV-US. We do not support any political party or candidate. The League may take action on selected issues after study and consensus of its members. --Elma Hennies



## LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS KERRVILLE AREA

### GLOSSARY

**CONSENSUS** - member agreement is reached through group discussion , a "sense of the group" is achieved.

**CONCURRENCE** - local League members agree with a position taken by another League who has actually done the research and the study. This process is usually used when some action is deemed desirable.

**EDUCATION FUND** - a tax deductible account that allows the League money to publish Voters Guides, other citizen information material, and sponsor candidates forums to educate the public and membership. This is separate from local League operating funds.

**GRASS ROOTS ORGANIZATION** - a type of group that relies on each and every member for input into its action.

**LEAGUE BOARD** - officers elected for staggered terms, who carry on League business. Usually a President, three Vice Presidents, Secretary, Treasurer, and two Directors.

**LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS** - a nonpartisan political organization, encourages the informed and active participation of citizens in government and influences public policy through education and advocacy.

**OBSERVER CORP** - League members who attend local government meetings as uninvolved watchers, then report back to the League.

**OFF BOARD POSITION** - an individual League member appointed by the President to fulfill a limited function, i.e. nominating chairman.

**PORTFOLIO** - a job description for a Board or Off Board position.

**PROGRAM** - all levels (local, state, national) of government issues that the League members consider urgent and **CHOOSE** for study and action.

program - (with a small p) a particular planned meeting.

**PMP** - per member payment. The portion of dues paid to state or to national LWV.

**RESOURCE COMMITTEE** - a group of League members and guests directly involved in the overall coordination of managing a Program issue: from research and study through member decision-making and action.

**UNIT** - a small group which meets on a regular basis for the purpose of discussing issues related to Program or topics selected by the group.



## LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

### PROGRAM/STUDY/ACTION

#### PROGRAM PROGRAM PROGRAM

**WHAT IS PROGRAM?** Program consists of those governmental issues the League members consider urgent and CHOOSE for concerted study and action.

Program includes:

Local \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

National \_\_\_\_\_

#### STUDY STUDY STUDY

**HOW DO WE EDUCATE OURSELVES?** We form Resource Committees to research issues and develop recommendations to present to the general membership.

Example: \_\_\_\_\_

#### ACTION ACTION ACTION

**WHEN DO WE ACT?** We, the general membership, may take action only after we come to agreement through

**CONSENSUS** - Member agreement is reached through group discussion and a "sense of the group" is achieved.

-Or-

**CONCURRENCE** - We, at the local level, agree with a position taken by another League who has actually done the research and the study.

Example: \_\_\_\_\_

1. How do we select Program studies? \_\_\_\_\_

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2. What do I do if I do not agree with the League's position?

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BOARD MEETING LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS - KERRVILLE AREA

905 Bow Lane  
Kerrville, TX 78028

(Date) 11/6/89

(Time) 7:30 pm

PRESENT - Ruth Hall, President  
Barbara Lowenthal, 1st V.P./Program  
Georgia Christley, Treasurer  
Ann Sullivan, 2nd V.P./Membership  
Virginia Seidel, Director - Finance  
Pat Jackson, Director - Publicity  
Glenna Huntington, Director/Advocate for the Voter  
Dot Larimer, Secretary  
Gilda Wilkinson, VOTER - Editor

Excused - None

TREASURER'S

REPORT: Georgia Christly reported the following balance as of 11/6/89.

ASSETS ON HAND: Checking Account - \$2127.33  
Savings Account - 978.38  
TEF Account - \$1301.57

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

CORRESPONDENCE

AND

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The president shared a variety of items with the Board members which included the following:

- 1) An article in the Dallas VOTER, "Profits for Peace".
- 2) Kerrville Daily Times Op. Ed. piece relating to the need for a new Texas Constitution.
- 3) An invitation to attend the Central Texas Seminar sponsored by the U.S. Institute for Peace.
- 4) The J. C. Penney's Leadership Training Workshop, Nov. 18th, to include ideas on how to use available resources - membership, money, time.
- 5) A reminder to vote on Nov. 7.
- 6) A meeting in Austin on Nov. 12 to mobilize for women's issues.
- 7) LWVTX Council Meeting to be held on Saturday and Sunday, April 21 & 22, 1990 in Lubbock, TX.
- 8) LWVUS Convention, June 13-19, 1990, Washington, D.C.



## COMMITTEE REPORTS:

### Finance

Virginia Seidel reported that more tickets need to be sold for the Dinner Theater Party Fundraiser. Currently we are eleven shy.

### Publicity

Pat Jackson reported the Kerrville Daily Times is giving us good coverage.

### Membership

Ann Sullivan made suggestions regarding the possible publication of a yearbook for LWV-KA. There was discussion - no action was taken.

### VOTER Editor

Gilda Wilkinson made a request for articles from various Board members and Committee Chairs.

### Program

Barbara Lowenthal discussed available option for the Christmas Party/Luncheon. By consent, the Board granted her authority to make necessary arrangements for Dec. 9th at a local facility - Riverhill Country Club if available.

A School Board Candidate Forum has been scheduled for Dec. 12th at 7:30. Pat Dye will moderate. Signs are being made at Herring Printers. Cost should be about \$350.00.

The program for the Nov. 27th General Meeting, League Up-Date: A Review of Processes and Procedures, was approved by consent.

Kathy Treadwell, Water/Waste Water Unit Chair, requests a brief meeting following the General Meeting Nov. 27th.

Child Care Unit meetings are going well. They are being held in Room 323 (Sue Dyke's office) at FNB Kerrville.

Requests were made for letter to the Editor regarding the School Board Election.

## NEW BUSINESS

The Board approved by consent the appointment of the following:

Bylaws Committee,  
Georgia Christley  
Elma Hennies  
Dot Laimer



Budget Committee,  
Virginia Seidel  
Larry Vetter  
Georgia Christley

Board Members reviewed League Publications and Handbooks.

There was discussion of the Dress a Live Doll effort of the  
Salvation Army. No action was taken.

**MEETING ADJOURNED** at 9:15 pm

Respectfully submitted,  
Dot Larimer, Secretary





## LWV-KA Board of Director's Meeting Nov. 6, 1989

## Treasurer's Report - Oct. 2 thru Nov. 6, 1989

On Hand Oct. 2nd '89

\$3042.90

## INCOME:

Dues	210.00
Pennies-a-mile Fund Raiser	29.25
Dinner Theater Reservations	938.00
Member contributions to LL	68.00

Total income

1245.25

On Hand &amp; Received

\$4288.15

## EXPENSES:

Operating Cost-stamps	25.00
Board Administration	14.54
2nd Qrt. PMP-National	148.50
Local Voter-Spt. printing	19.40
Education Activities	
Deposit Y.O. Hilton-Forum	25.00
Subscription to League Action	10.00
Comfort Dinner Theater	940.00
(80 Reservations)	

Total Expenses

1182.44

On Hand this Report, Nov. 6, '89

\$3105.71

## RECAP:

In checking Acct.	\$2127.33
In Savings Acct.	978.38
Total	<u>\$3105.71</u>

## Texas Ed. Fund

On Hand Oct. 2, 1989

\$1416.85

## INCOME:

Members contribution	35.00
On Hand and received	<u>\$1451.85</u>

## EXPENSES:

Voters Guides	150.28
On Hand this report, Nov. 6 '89 TEF	<u>\$1301.57</u>

Membership 53



BOARD MEETING LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS - KERRVILLE AREA

905 Bow Lane  
Kerrville, TX 78028

(Date) 10/2/89

(Time) 4:00pm

PRESENT - Ruth Hall, President  
Barbara Lowenthal, 1st V.P./Program  
Georgia Christley, Treasurer  
Ann Sullivan, 2nd V.P./Membership  
Virginia Seidel, Director - Finance  
Pat Jackson, Director - Publicity  
Dot Larimer, Secretary

Excused - Glenna Huntington, Director - Advocate for the Voter

TREASURER'S

REPORT: Attached

ASSETS ON HAND: Checking Account - \$2064.52  
Savings Account - 978.38  
TEF Account - \$1416.85

The report was accepted and filed for audit.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

CORRESPONDENCE  
AND  
ANNOUNCEMENTS:

None.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Budget - Copies of the previously adopted budget were distributed.  
Various entries on the form were explained.

Program - Chair Barbara Lowenthal recommended that the next General Meeting be only a training meeting (no business) to inform participants and provide practice in developing an effective letter writing campaign.

Chair reported that the committee would like commercially made signs to announce the League School Board Candidate Forum. Signs are to be posted where candidates post signs.

Board approved Dec. 12th for the Forum at 7:30 pm at the Y.O. Ranch Hilton.

It was moved that Lowenthal set up a committee to look into the cost of holding the School Board Candidate Forum and that the committee be given authority to complete arrangements at the Y.O. Passed



Membership - A list of new members has been developed. The first pre-meeting social (7:00 - 7:30) was a success. Committee members will greet persons as they arrive at meetings - especially guests.

Publicity - John Ruth will see that meetings are announced in the newspaper. Jan Taylor is handling publicity for the fall fundraiser.

Finance - The dinner theater party has been rescheduled for November 18th due to a community calendar conflict. (Reservations and money are due by Nov. 1st) The "Thought for your Pennies" project is progressing.

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Goals for 89/90 were reviewed prior to publication in the Voter  
No changes were made.

LWV Day at the United Nations is October 21st. Lowenthal will contact John Ruth to get publicity on this event.

MEETING ADJOURNED at 5:10 pm

Respectfully submitted,  
Dot Larimer, Secretary



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LHV-FA Board of Director's Meeting Oct. 2, 1989

Treasurer's Report - Sept. 25th thru Oct. 2nd. 1989

On Hand Sept. 25, 1989

\$2844.33

Income:

Dues \$175.00

Pennies-a-Mile Fund Drive 48.57

Total income

223.57

On hand & received

3067.90

Expenses:

Local Voter - Stamps 25.00

Total expenses

25.00

On hand this report-Oct. 2nd.'89

\$3042.90

RECAP:

In Checking Acct. \$2064.52

In Savings Acct. 978.38

\$3042.90

Balance in TEF Acct. \$1416.85

Membership 51 -

*Georgia H. Christley*  
Georgia H. Christley,  
Treasurer



LWV-KA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING, SEPT. 25, 1989

Treasurer's Report - June 1 thru Sept. 25, 1989

On hand @ start of FY 89-90

\$2787.96

Income:

Dues	\$542.50
Member contribution	2.59
Interest on savings	23.94

Total income

569.03

On Hand & Received

\$3356.99

Expenses:

Postage	\$ 28.75
P.O. Box Rent	28.00
Presidents expenses	35.20
Secretary expenses	2.59
Bank checks	8.50
Membership Com. expenses	10.82
LWVTX (1st & 2nd Qrt. PMP)	165.00
LWVUS (1st. Qrt. PMP)	148.50
Local Voter Printing	70.80
Publications	14.50

Total expenses

512.66

On Hand this report (Sept. 25th, '89)

\$2844.33

Recap:

In checking Act.	\$1865.95
In Savings Act.	<u>978.38</u>

\$2844.33

Balance in our TEF Act.

\$1416.85

Membership 48

*Georgia H. Christley*  
Georgia H. Christley,  
Treasurer



Finance

- Plans are moving well in preparation for the fall fundraiser, the play at the Comfort Dinner Theater. (Concrete report will be given at the General Meeting.)

Program

- Calendars were distributed to Board Members.
- Georgia Christley explained details about the calendar.
- It was moved that LWVKA hold two candidate forums this year using TE Funds for monetary support. Motion passed.
- The yearly program for the League was presented.

NEW BUSINESS:

- It was moved that the LWVK not hold a forum on proposed constitutional amendments. Motion passed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

None

MEETING ADJOURNED at 9:00 pm

Respectfully submitted,  
Dot Larimer, Secretary





COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Membership - New Member Coffee planned for August 27th, 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. at 1604 Susan Drive.

Suggested a social time 30 minutes prior to each regularly scheduled meeting.

Audit - The audit of the 88-89 records is complete. All records are in order. An audit file folder has been initiated in order to have an ongoing record of audit reports.

Finance - Recommends that business by business solicitations not be done this year. Recommended instead (1) a fall fundraiser selling \$14.00 tickets for the Comfort Dinner Theatre and (2) spring fundraiser - perhaps wine and cheese tasting in Fredericksburg. By consent, the committee will go forward with arrangements for the fall fundraiser.

NEW BUSINESS: None

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None

MEETING ADJOURNED at 8:30 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted  
Dot Larimer, Secretary



# LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS KERRVILLE AREA

Treasurer's Reprot - June 1 thru Aug. 7, 1989

On hand @ start of FY 89-90 \$2787.96

## Income:

Dues	297.50	
Interest on Sav. Act.	23.94	
Member contribution	<u>2.59</u>	
		324.03
Total Income		<u>\$3111.99</u>
On Hand & Received		

## Expenses:

LWVTX (1st. Qrt. PMP)	\$ 82.50	
Local VOTER (Printing)	35.30	
Bank Checks	8.50	
Secretary expenses	<u>2.59</u>	
		128.89
Total Expenses		<u>\$2983.10</u>
On hand this report (Aug. 7th, '89)		

## Recap:

In Checking Act.	2004.72	
In Savings Act.	<u>978.38</u>	\$2983.10
Balance in our TEF ACCT.	\$1416.85	
Membership 42		

*Georgia H. Christley*

Georgia H. Christley  
Treasurer



LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS-KERRVILLE AREA

MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING

MAY 24 1989

DATE: May 20, 1989, at Park Inn

President introduced two new members, Dr. Harvey Kornblit and his wife Doris.

As we are celebrating the 10th anniversary of our League, the President proposed a champagne toast to four members who were at the first organizational meeting: Blake Loubet, Mardi Ashley, Hank Evans and Elma Hennies.

After luncheon, President called the meeting to order at 1:00 PM.

It was moved by E. Hennies and seconded that we dispense with the reading of the 1988 Annual Meeting minutes. These minutes were read at the General Meeting in September. Motion passed.

Treasurer gave an interim report, covering period from June 1, 1988 to May 17, 1989. A final report as of May 30 will be sent to members with the next issue of the Voter.

President gave her annual report, citing studies, activities and accomplishments during her tenure.

Committee Reports:

1. By-laws chairman E. Hennies stated after reviewing the by-laws and comparing with State and National, the committee felt there was no need for any revisions this year.

2. Program Chairman, J. Kerper, presented the board recommended study of Water Resources & Waste Water Management. It was moved by Kerper and seconded that we accept the recommendation of the board to continue this study for another year. Motion passed.

President read Article IX, Section 3d of the by-laws concerning non-recommended studies. It was moved by Kerper and seconded that we consider a non-recommended study. Motion passed.

It was moved by Kerper and seconded that non-recommended study, Manner of Selection for City Council be continued. President stated this study will need a chairman. Blake Loubet volunteered to chair the study. Motion passed.

3. Nominating Committee: Mardi Ashley presented the following slate:  
President - Ruth Hall  
1st VP- Barbara Lowenthal  
2nd VP - Ann Sullivan  
Treasurer - Georgia Christley  
Secretary - Nell Johnston  
2 Yr Director - Virginia Seidel  
Nominating Committee for next year: Elma Hennies, Jane Donnelly and Edith Crenshaw



LWV-KA - Annual Meeting 1989 cont'd

It was moved by Ashley and seconded that this slate be accepted. Motion passed.

4. Budget Committee: E. Hennies presented the proposed budget which will cover period from June 1, 1989 to June 30, 1990 which brings our fiscal year in conformance with National. It was moved by Hennies and seconded that we accept this budget. Motion passed.

President then presented a new idea from State called "I wish the League would", asking if anyone had any suggestions. A proposal was presented to consider a future study on garbage collection with reference to separation of certain items for recycling. This will be discussed by the new Board.

President Christley presented a new gavel to President-elect Hall. Hall introduced her board, those just elected, and Gilda Wilkinson as Voter Editor and Kathy Treadwell as chairman of the water study. She cited her goals for the coming year - asking members to work with the board and making contact with government officials to cooperate with them in their decision making. She announced the board will meet Monday at 7:30 PM at her home.

Meeting adjourned at 1:45 PM.

Respectfully submitted

*Edith Crenshaw*

Edith Crenshaw, Secy.



BOARD MEETING LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS - KERRVILLE AREA

JUN 26 1989

905 Bow Lane            May 22, 1989            7:30 p.m.

PRESENT - Ruth Hall, President  
          Georgia Christley  
          Virginia Seidel  
          Gilda Wilkinson  
          Nell Johnston

Excused - Ann Sullivan, Barbara Lowenthal

ASSETS ON HAND:    Checking Account - \$1,798.52  
    *SAV* 954.44  
    *TE* 1,416.85

CORRESPONDENCE:

Ruth Durst - "How to Form A Centennial Chapter" answered 5-23-89 - declined

Bill Sims - Responding to Pres. Georgia Christleys request for delay of  
House Bill 1864

ANNOUNCEMENTS - None

COMMITTEE REPORTS - None

NEW BUSINESS:    Pres. Hall: Considering committee directors for Finance, Voter's  
    Service, Publicity; and New Secretary.  
    New Meeting place - S.A.S.A 4th Monday at 7:30 p.m.  
    Board meets 1st Monday at 7:30 p.m., next meeting August 7, 1989.  
    Board training for new officers and league in August.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS - None

MEETING ADJOURNED at 8:35 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted  
Nell Johnston, Secretary



LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS-KERRVILLE AREA

MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING

MAY 7 1989

DATE: May 1, 1989 - home of President

CALL TO ORDER: 7:30 PM by President

Present: Christley, Crenshaw, Donnelly, Hennies, Lowenthal,  
Sullivan, Wilkinson

Absent: Hall (excused)

Minutes of last meeting were approved as read.

Treasurer's Report:	On hand 3 April	\$1666.06
	Income	+ 227.33
	Expenses	- 110.18
	On hand this date	\$1783.21

Communications & Announcements:

1. Duplicate Presidents Mailings must be ordered. President receives one free. Our league to order two, one for 1st VP and one for Treasurer. Cost \$27.50 each. Anyone else wanting a DPM notify the treasurer and pay the \$27.50.
2. President read excerpts from State Action Alert chair regarding community alternatives to prisons. Local leagues are urged to write to State representatives re HB 1854. President stated she will write a letter for the board. Information on this subject will be placed in next Voter so individuals may also write if desired.

Committee Reports:

1. Nominating Committee, Sullivan reported Ann Davenport withdrew her nomination for 1st VP. Barbara Lowenthal agreed to take the position.
2. Program: As we are celebrating the 10th anniversary of our league, it was agreed to have a champagne toast for the four 10 year members at the annual meeting.

President outlined the agenda for the Annual Meeting. Voter Editor will repeat notice of this meeting and the deadline for reservations.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 PM.

Respectfully submitted

*Edith Crenshaw*  
Edith Crenshaw, Secy.



MAY 7 1989

**LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS - KERRVILLE AREA** - *General Meeting*

**DATE:** April 24, 1989

B.H.M.L.

Call to order 7:30 p.m. by President

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved

Treasurers report given and recorded.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- 1) G. Christley presented copies of Texas Government Handbooks, which are available.
- 2) Thank you letter was read for the League's contribution to the State Capitol fund drive.
- 3) City Council candidates forum set for April 27 7:30 p.m. at Schreiner College.
- 4) Annual meeting and luncheon will be held May 20 11:30 a.m. at Park Inn. Deadline for reservations will be May 12<sup>th</sup>. Guests are invited. Contact treasurer Hennies for reservations.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

Observer - M. Ashley - City Council discussed sale of alcoholic beverages in city parks. It was recommended no sale be permitted.

Program Chair - Kerper - reported studies of water management and waste water control are in process.

Christley, Kerper and Lowenthal discussed program for the state convention in Houston.

Georgia Christley explained delegate responsibility and expenses incurred, which are mostly personal.

The meeting, which lasted 3 days was well planned, informative, and conducted in a professional manner.

250 delegates and observers attended.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:55 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

*Nell Johnston*

Nell Johnston

Acting Secretary for Edith Crenshaw



LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS-KERRVILLE AREA  
MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING

MAY 3 1989

DATE: April 3, 1989 - home of President

CALL TO ORDER: 7:30 PM by President

All members present

Minutes of March meeting were approved.

Treasurer's Report:	On hand last report	\$1574.81
	Income	+ 175.03
	Expenses	- 83.78
	On hand this date	<u>\$1666.06</u>

Membership: 41

Announcements:

1. Texas Government Handbook has been received. Individuals wanting copies may order.
2. Member Jill Kerper is moving to Mexico in August. She plans on writing a book, and has other plans to pursue. She will be missed.

Committee Reports:

1. Nominating Committee, chaired by Ann Sullivan, presented the following slate.  
  
President - Ruth Hall  
1st VP - Ann Davenport  
2 yr Director - Virginia Seidel  
Treasurer: Georgia Christley  
Secretary - Nell Johnston  
2 VP- Ann Sullivan (replacing Hall)  
Nominating Committee for 1990-91 Edith Crenshaw, Elma Hennies and Jane Donnelly.

It was moved by Hennies and seconded that the slate be approved to be presented at the Annual meeting for vote. Motion passed.

2. Local Program Planning Committee: Propose to continue Board recommended study "Water Management-Waste Water Control", and non-recommended study "Method of election for city council".

It was moved by Lowenthal and seconded to accept the recommendations of the Program Committee, to be presented at the Annual Meeting for vote. Motion passed.

There are no changes in our by-laws to be considered.

Hennies stated the need for by-laws to be edited next year after the State Convention.



LWV-KA = Minutes of Board Mtg. cont'd

Program Chair, Kerper, announced the Annual Meeting and luncheon will be held at the Park Inn, May 20. Lunch will be \$7.00. Meeting at 11:30 AM and Lunch at 12 Noon. Deadline for reservations will be May 12, by check sent to Treasurer. Guests are invited.

April meeting will be report from delegates on the State Convention.

Publicity: A Letter to Editor of Kerrville Daily Times will be sent by President Christley, concerning LWVUS concerns about the electoral procedure and simplifying voter registration.

Jane Rommel, a columnist for Kerrville Daily Times has requested information on our League for her column for newcomers.

Plans for publicity of our League's tenth anniversary are being made.

Membership: Hall reported a new member, Madeline Neely, 601 Cardinal Dr. Kerrville.

Suggestion was made to have a forum for City Council candidates. Cost to rent Dietert Auditorium, Schreiner College, is \$50.

It was moved by Donnelly and seconded that we hold a forum for City Council Candidates on April 25, at Schreiner College. Motion passed. Hennies announced shewill donate the \$50 for the rent. Kerper will contact all candidates, and will moderate. It was agreed to use the same format - no questions in advance, and have a time keeper.

Suggestion was made to make a donation to LWV-TEF as costs for programs such as this forum can be obtained through the TEF.

Meeting adjourned at 8:50 PM.

Respectfully submitted

*Edith Crenshaw*

Edith Crenshaw, Secy.



LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS-KERRVILLE AREA

MINUTES OF GENERAL MEETING

APR 3 1989

DATE: March 27, 1989 - BHML

CALL TO ORDER: 7:30 PM by President

Minutes of last meeting were approved as read.

Treasurer's Report:	On hand last report	\$2529.25
	Income	+ 115.53
	Expenses	- 84.58
	On hand this date	<u>\$2560.20</u>

TEF Balance \$1326.85

Membership: 40

Announcements:

The Nominating, Budget and Local Program Committees have met. Their reports will be in next Voter. President asked members to read these reports carefully as they will be presented for vote at the annual meeting.

Committee Reports:

Observer Corps, Ashley, reported on City Council, stating nothing special to report; resume of the meeting is reported in the local newspaper. She suggested members who are teachers might want to attend the KISD Board meetings.

Program Chair, Kerper, introduced the speaker, Carol Moffett, Superintendent of Ingram ISD. Ms. Moffett outlined some of the requirements of HB 72, how the teachers and students are affected, and cited some issues being considered for reform to be presented to the State Board of Education. She stated several organizations in the state are examining some needed revisions of the requirements, and that there are several bills under consideration on some of the problems.

Members of our league agreed that a prospective non-recommended study of education reform be pursued at State Convention.

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 PM.

Respectfully submitted

*Edith Crenshaw*  
Edith Crenshaw, Secy.



APR 3 1989

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS-KERRVILLE AREA  
MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING

DATE: March 6, 1989- home of President

CALL TO ORDER: 7:30 PM

Present: Christley, Crenshaw, Hall, Hennies, Kerper, Lowenthal  
Sullivan and Wilkinson

Absent: Donnelly (unexcused)

Minutes of last meeting were approved as read.

Treasurer's Report:	On hand last report	\$1636.54
	Income	+ 255.53
	Expenses	- 317.26
	On hand this date	<u>\$1574.81</u>

Membership: 41

Announcements:

1. President will be responsible for locking up at the Library after each General Meeting.
2. All board members are to present a written report of their activities during the past year, to be presented at the annual meeting.

Communications:

President read a resume of an Action Alert from National regarding the electoral procedure and simplifying voter registration. Our Activist is Jesse Lindenberg, Action Alert Chairman, and coordinator with news media is Ann Sullivan, Publicity Chairman.

Committees:

Nominating Committee will meet in March to prepare slate of nominees for presentation to the membership at the annual meeting.

Program committee will also meet this month to make recommendations to the board for next year's studies. Two requests for local studies have been submitted. Program committee is Kerper, -Chair, Debra Vetter, and K. Treadwell.

Budget: Hennies presented the proposed budget. It was moved by Hall and seconded to adopt the 1989-90 proposed budget. Motion approved.

Audit of treasurer's books will be made in mid-June.

Voter Editor: Statement read by President regarding contributions to the TEF to be placed in next Voter.

Information on new members and renewal dues will be placed in next Voter.



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Program Chairman, Kerper, stated letters of thanks have been sent to the mayors of Kerrville and Ingram, for their presentations at our general meeting.

Kerper will contact D. Vetter for a report of her committee's study of local issue, Method of Election for City Council.

Kerper is investigating the possibility of having a guest speaker at the March general meeeing to speak on the testing in schools.

April program will be a summary of actions at the State Convention.

Regarding the invitation from the Kerrville Republican Women's Club, it was determined there is a conflict with dates. Therefore, we will try for sometime next year.

Membership Chairman, Hall, said she has about 50 prospects, the tea was successful with approximately 20 there, and five new members signed up.

Meetingadjourned at 9:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted

*Edith Crenshaw*

Edith Crenshaw, Secy.



LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS-KERRVILLE AREA  
MINUTES OF GENERAL MEETING

MAR 9 1989

DATE: February 27, 1989 - Butt Holdsworth Library

CALL TO ORDER: 7:30 PM by President

Minutes of last meeting were approved as read.

Treasurer's Report:	On hand last report	\$2367.67
	Income	+1435.03
	Expenses	-1273.45
	On hand this report	<u>\$2529.25</u>

TEF Balance: \$1352.88

Membership: 41

Announcements:

1. Two advocacy papers:
  - (a) Services for People with serious illness
  - (b) Financing State Government
2. Guide to 71st Legislature  
Anyone wanting copies of these items may sign up.-
3. Registration forms for the State convention, to be held April 14-16 are available. Anyone interested in going are to see Elma Hennies for registrations and hotel information.
4. Suggestions for proposed local studies for next year are to be submitted to the board by the board's March meeting.

Committee Reports:

1. Membership Chair, Hall stated the meeting for prospective new members was successful. Five new people have joined.
2. Observer Corps, Ashley stated she had no specific reports from observers, but stated most information can be obtained from the newspaper reports. She also urged those interested can attend meetings of the city council, Kerrville ISD or County Commissioners as they can be very interesting.
3. Chairman of local study on water issues, Treadwell, reported five topics are being studied. Waste water management, Quality, Conservation, Providing for the future, and the Guadalupe River. Next meeting will be at 6:45 PM just prior to the next general meeting. All interested are urged to attend.

Program Chair, Kerper, introduced Mr. Edd Turner, Mayor of Kerrville who spoke on the water issue. He explained the source of Kerrville's water and some of the problems being investigated for future supply. Regarding waste water, he stated the decision was made in July of 1986 to build the new waste control plant, and that some old sewer lines are being replaced due to deterioration.

She then introduced Mr. Donald Oehler, Mayor of Ingram <sup>WHO</sup> ~~he~~ stated he advocates treating water so that it can be returned to the river. Several alternatives are being discussed such as Ingram building its own treatment plant, and use of surface water. Ingram does



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not own the water system - it is privately owned. It is possible  
Ingram may have to purchase the water system.

Meeting adjourned at 8:50 PM.

Respectfully submitted

*Edith Crenshaw*

Edith Crenshaw, Secy.





LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS-KERRVILLE AREA

MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING

MAR 9 1989

DATE: February 13, 1989 - home of President

CALL TO ORDER: 7:30 PM

Present: Christley, Crenshaw, Donnelly, Hennies, Kerper,  
Lowenthal, Sullivan, Wilkinson

Absent: Hall, excused

Minutes of last meeting were approved as read.

Treasurer's Report:	On hand last report	\$1462.30
	Income	+ 1490.50
	Expenses	- 1316.26
	On hand as of Feb. 6.	\$1636.54

TEF account \$1352.85

Membership: 36

Communications:

1. Letter was read from State Rep. Hilderbran thanking us for having him at our meeting.
2. Letter from State re Capital Fund Drive. President asked how board felt about giving to this drive from our TEF account. It was moved by Sullivan and seconded that we use money from the TEF account toward the Capital Fund Drive. It was moved by Hennies and seconded to amend the motion to state we take \$50.00 from the TEF account for this drive. Motion was passed as amended.

Announcements:

1. Copies of Guide to the 71st State Legislature are available. Lowenthal will order 25 for our members.
2. Notice of a planned League tour to Ecuador and the Galapagos was read.
3. Texas Government Handbook - as soon as we receive a copy decision will be made as to how many to order.
4. Information on the State League Convention. Dates are April 14-16. Place. J.W. Marriot Hotel in Houston. Our league is entitled to four delegates. Delegates are Christley, Kerper, Hennies and Lowenthal. League will pay registrations for delegates. Any observers will pay \$25 registration. Reservations must be in by March 15. Hotel reservations are due by March 31. President reviewed the schedule. Registration forms plus checks should be sent to Hennies by next general meeting.



Committee Reports:

1. Program, Kerper.  
As part of our local study on Water Resources and Waste Management, Edd Turner, Mayor of Kerrville and Donald Oehler, Mayor of Ingram will be present to inform our membership on plans regarding sewage and waste water management. Each mayor will speak to the issues of concern for his respective community, shared concerns and negotiations over the treatment plant in Ingram.  
Kerper also stated we have been invited to the Republican Women's Club meeting on March 20 to speak to them about the League.
2. Membership:  
There will be a membership tea at the home of Ruth Hall on Thursday, Feb. 16, 4:00 PM. Any board members attending were asked to bring some refreshments.
3. Finance Drive, Donnelly  
Donnelly stated the dinner theater at Comfort was a success. She asked that a letter of thanks be sent to Harold Duke, of the Comfort Theater.

New Business:

1. Budget Committee will meet Thursday, February 23, at 7:30 PM at home of Elma Hennies, to prepare budget for consideration for next year. Committee members are Hennies, Christley, Kerper and Donnelly.
2. Nominating Committee: Members are Sullivan, chairman, Lindenberg, Murnane, D.Vetter and Donnelly. Chairman Sullivan will set date and time. Positions to be filled for 1989-90 are President, 1st VP, Secretary, a Director for 2 yrs. and Treasurer for one year.
3. Program Chair will select a committee and present to the board their suggestions at the April board meeting. Notice will be in next Voter concerning regulations for suggesting new non-recommended studies.

Hennies stated there was a good turn-out for the Comfort Theater fund raiser and our net profit was \$345.00.

Meeting adjourned at 9:10 PM.

Respectfully submitted

*E. Crenshaw*  
Edith Crenshaw, Secy.



LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS-KERRVILLE AREA

FEB 1 1989

MINUTES OF GENERAL MEETING

DATE: January 23, 1989 - Butt Holdsworth Library

CALL TO ORDER: 7:30 PM by President

Minutes of last meeting were approved as read.

Treasurer's Report: On hand last report	\$2333.43
Income	+ 575.49
Expenses	- 541.25
On hand this date	<u>\$2908.92</u>

In acct. with LWV-TEF \$1352.85

Membership: 36

Program Chairman Kerper introduced guest speaker, State Rep. Harvey Hilderbran. Mr. Hilderbran gave a brief statement on the make-up of the current State Legislature and presented some of his goals. He stated he has been appointed to the budgeting committee for MHMR and said he will do all he can to help the Kerrville State Hospital. He then fielded questions from the audience on a variety of subjects.

Announcements:

President announced the 27th State Convention is to be held April 14-16 at the Intercontinental in Houston and urged as many as can to register for this event.

Committee Reports:

Membership chair Hall will have a membership tea at her home on February 16, at 4 PM.

Finance Chair Donnelly urged members to get names and payments to Elma Hennies immediately for the dinner theater at Comfort Theater on February 4.

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 PM.

Respectfully submitted

*Edith Crenshaw*

Edith Crenshaw, Secy.



LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF TARRANT COUNTY

JAN 30 1989

BOARD MEETING: Tuesday, January 3, 1989

Place: Home of Beth Corcoran, 6013 El Campo Terrace, Fort Worth

PRESENT: Reed Bilz, Mary Ellen Bock, Christie Campbell, Betty Card, Beth Corcoran, Debbie Evans-Young, Laura Gooch, Linda Hanratty, Sally Hollemon, Marty Kissinger, Charlotte Landis, Mary Strom.

Absent: Rachel Gooch, Edith Pewitt, Mary Weathers.

The meeting was called to order by President Bilz at 7:15 PM.

Minutes: The minutes of the November 28, 1988, board meeting were approved as submitted.

TREASURER: Hollemon reported a checkbook balance on Dec 31, 1988, of \$4,543.91; six people paid dues in Dec. She distributed a balance sheet and budget analysis as of Dec 31, 1988; with 7 months of the fiscal year gone just slightly more than half the budgeted amount for the year has been spent. She also did an analysis of the direct cost of each member; this indicates each member requires a subsidy of \$6.76. Hollemon also reported that the Political Action Account has been closed.

PRESIDENT: The results of a survey on financing the League were given in the President's Report mailed with the agenda. Discussion of fundraising ideas was postponed because the finance drive is about to begin. Bilz and Frances Nichols have already gone through the list of past contributors and prospects and selected 20 to 30 names each to contact with a personal letter. All members will be asked at late January unit meetings to take as many names as they can for the same purpose; letters with space for personal notes and other supplies such as stamps and return envelopes will be available at unit meetings. Unit finance chairs will be asked to contact members who aren't at the unit meetings. There will be no finance advisory board, no finance brochure. It was decided to order from 300-500 copies of the finance letter for personal notes and signatures, 1000 finance envelopes for the return of contributions, plus 500 regular League-letterhead envelopes.

All legislative interviews, except for Bill Carter, have been assigned. Some have already been returned.

Bilz reminded the board of the details of the Feb 13-14 Women's Legislative Days in Austin; she should be contacted about car pooling and room sharing.

PROGRAM: January unit and committee meetings are set, the schedule is in the January Voter. February unit meetings will be the week of the 20th and will deal with housing in Tarrant County. A list of consensus questions was submitted and discussed. They dealt with types of transitional housing, kinds of people to be served and how to finance the housing. The question on permanent housing provoked the most discussion and was the most modified. Additional questions addressed the desirability of support services and a housing clearing house. Kissinger moved, it was seconded and passed that the modified consensus questions be approved. They will appear in the February Voter. It was also recommended that 2 unit meetings be devoted to



housing.

A joint meeting for those League members and other organization members who are going to Women's Legislative Days is arranged for Feb 6, 7-9 PM, at the Haltom City Library Meeting Room. This is to plan co-ordinated lobbying efforts by all interested groups based on issues. Bilz read a list of local women's organizations to whom invitations had been sent.

ORGANIZATION: Sign-up lists for February Voter articles and January unit announcements were circulated.

COMMUNITY RELATIONS: Landis reported that it was very likely the Star Telegram would print Your Elected Officials. She is continuing her efforts to accomplish this. She wondered about the desirability of a Spanish language version; Hanratty said there is a free Spanish publication (El Informador) that might print the information and that she would check. It was decided that judges should continue to be included in the list, not so much to enable citizens to write to them but in order to provide information such as salary and types of courts not readily found elsewhere.

Kissinger has been submitting publicity releases to the newspaper; she suggested efforts to get League public meetings taped for broadcast over Fort Worth's city cable channel. Hanratty agreed to contact Sue Winters, the city cable person, to see if the January 12 housing meeting could be taped.

The meeting was adjourned at 9 PM.

Christie Campbell, Secretary



FEB 1 1989

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS - KERRVILLE AREA  
MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING

DATE: January 2, 1989, home of the President  
CALL TO ORDER 7:30 P.M.

PRESENT: Christley Wilkinson, Kerper, Hennies, Lowenthal, Hall

ABSENT: Donnelly and Sullivan (both excused) ALSO CRENSHAW (EXCUSED)

Minutes of the last meeting were approved as read.

TREASURER'S REPORT: On hand last report: \$1276.88  
Income 464.42  
Expenses 279.00  
On hand this report \$1462.30

MEMBERSHIP: 34

On account with TEF \$1352.85

Communications

Women's Legislative Day, Feb. 13-14. Reservations by Jan. 20.  
Bed and Breakfast will be available in League members' homes at \$15.00.

President Nancy Neuman's request for the League's drive to restore campaign integrity in national elections was noted by Board members.

State LWV Convention, Houston, April 14-16.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Jill Kerper reported that all 5 school board candidates plan to attend the LWV candidates forum, Schreiner Campus, Jan. 10. They are Carl Browning, David Hunt, Garry Crozier, Scott Monroe, Patricia Parker.

According to LWV policy, candidates will not be given questions in advance. (However all candidates will know in advance that they are to give brief background, why they are running, and hoped for accomplishments.)

Gilda Wilkinson will moderate the forum

A League member contributed the \$50.00 fee for the Schreiner College Chapel.

Jill Kerper announced that Harvey Hilderbran will speak at the General Meeting, Jan 23 - topic "The 71st Legislative Session"

Barbara Lowenthal will host a dinner for League members and Rep. Hilderbran at 5:30, her home. Purpose - State Legislative Interview. League members who will conduct the interview: Lowenthal,



Seidel, Wilkinson, Kerper, Treadwell, Hall, and Pres. Georgia Christley.

Kerper reported that the Board has approved the 1989 program as arrived at through consensus of LWV members.

Christley reported for Finance Chair that LWV dinner theater at Comfort will be Feb 4 - 6:45, \$13.00 p/person. Reservations due no later than Jan 12, to Hennies.

Membership Chair Ruth Hall will plan a tea for prospective members on Feb 16, (after the dinner theater, which, hopefully will stir interest in joining the League.)

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 PM.

Submitted by

Ruth Hall, in absence of  
secretary



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JAN 2 1989

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS KERRVILLE AREA

Membership - January 1, 1989

ASHLEY, Marjorie

CHADDERDON, Mary Frances

CHRISTLEY, Georgia

CRENSHAW, Edith

DAVENPORT, Ruth Ann

DOBIE, Martha

DONNELLY, Jane

DYE, Patricia

EVANS, "Hank" (Mrs Roy)

EVANS, Roy

HALL, Ruth

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HITCH, Robert

HUNTINGTON, Glenna

JOHNSTON, Nell

KERPER, Jill

LINDENBERG, Jessie

LOUBET, Blake

LOWENTHAL, Barbara

MARBERRY, Mary Lucy

MURNANE, Marie

NICKLES, Bethel

RENSHAW, Pat

ROBERTS, Victoria

RUTH, John

SEIDEL, Virginia

SPENCE, Joyce

SULLIVAN, Ann

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LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS KERRVILLE AREA

Membership - August 18, 1988

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ASHLEY, Marjorie	LINDENBERG, Jessie
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CHADDERDON, Mary Frances	LOWENTHAL, Barbara
CHRISTLEY, Georgia	MacDONALD, Dorothy
COREY, Abbie	MARBERRY, Mary Lucy
CRENSHAW, Edith	MORRIS, Rosemary
DAVENPORT, Ruth Ann	MURNANE, Marie
DOBIE, Martha	NICKLES, Bethel
DONNELLY, Jane	PATTON, Laura
DYE, Patricia	PRICE, Laura Lee
EVANS, "Hank" (Mrs Roy)	RENSHAW, Pat
EVANS, Roy	ROBERTS, Victoria
HALL, Ruth	RUTH, John
HATHAWAY, Janice	SEBRING, Georgia
HENNIES, Elma E.	SEIDEL, Virginia
HITCH, Robert	SPENCE, Joyce
HOLMAN, Maria	STRAUB, Carol
HUNNICUTT, Carolyn	SULLIVAN, Ann
JENKINS, Donetta	TERRELL, Katharine
KERPER, Jill	TREADWELL, Kathy

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CAMPBELL, Biddie	LINDENBERG, Jessie
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COREY, Abbie	MacDONALD, Dorothy
CRENSHAW, Edith	MARBERRY, Mary Lucy
DAVENPORT, Ruth Ann	MORRIS, Rosemary
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DONNELLY, Jane	NICKLES, Bethel
DYE, Patricia	PARKER, Linda
EVANS, "Hank"(Mrs Roy)	PATTON, Laura
EVANS, Roy	PRICE, Laura Lee
HALL, Ruth	RENSHAW, Pat
HATHAWAY, Janice	ROBERTS, Victoria
HENNIES, Elma	RUTH, John
HITCH, Robert	SEBRING, Georgia
HOLMAN, Maria	SPENCE, Joyce
HUNNICUTT, Carolyn	STRAUB, Carol
JENKINS, Donetta	SULLIVAN, Ann

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LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS KERRVILLE AREA

FEB 4 1986

Membership - January 1, 1986

ASHLEY, Marjorie	[REDACTED]	LARIMER, Dorothy	[REDACTED]
AULTZ, Rose	[REDACTED]	LINDENBERG, Jessie	[REDACTED]
BOWMAN, Jeanne	[REDACTED]	LOUBET, Blake	[REDACTED]
CAMPBELL, Biddie	[REDACTED]	LOWENTHAL, Barbara	[REDACTED]
CHRISTLEY, Georgia	[REDACTED]	MARBERRY, Mary Lucy	[REDACTED]
COREY, Abbie	[REDACTED]	MARSHALL, Janice	[REDACTED]
CRENSHAW, Edith	[REDACTED]	MAVOR, Billie	[REDACTED]
DOBIE, Martha	[REDACTED]	MORRIS, Rosemary (H)	[REDACTED]
DYE, Patricia	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED] (W)	[REDACTED]
EVANS, Hank	[REDACTED]	MURNANE, Marie	[REDACTED]
EVANS, Roy	[REDACTED]	NOGUES, Valerie	[REDACTED]
FUNK, Betty (H)	[REDACTED]	PALMER, Wilma	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (W)	[REDACTED]	PARK, Sheila Ann	[REDACTED]
GODWIN, Mary	[REDACTED]	PARKER, Linda (H)232-5775	[REDACTED]
GRIMES, Billie	[REDACTED] or	PATTON, Laura	[REDACTED]
HALL, Ruth	[REDACTED]	PERRY, Marjorie	[REDACTED]
HATHAWAY, Janice P.	[REDACTED]	SALTER, Town (H)	[REDACTED]
HENNIES, Elma E.	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED] (W)	[REDACTED]
HITCH, Robert	[REDACTED]	SCHROEDER, Jean	[REDACTED]
HOPSON, Georgia	[REDACTED]	SEBRING, Georgia	[REDACTED]
HURST, Diana M.	[REDACTED]	SENCENBAUGH, Helen	[REDACTED]
JENKINS, Donnetta	[REDACTED]	SILVA, Lila	[REDACTED]
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WALSH, David C., Jr.

WALSH, Justa

WEISS, Florence

WISE, Barbara



JUN 8 1987

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS KERRVILLE AREA

Membership - June 1, 1987

ASHLEY, Marjorie

BAKES, Caroline

BASKETTE, Bill (Judge)

BOWMAN, Jeanne (H)  
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CAMPBELL, Biddie (H)  
(W)

CHADDERDON, Mary Frances

CHRISTLEY, Gerogia

COREY, Abbie

CRENSHAW, Edith

DAVENPORT, Ruth Ann

DOBIE, Martha

DYE, Patricia

EVANS, Hank (Mrs Roy)

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FUNK, Betty (H)  
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HALL, Ruth

HATHAWAY, Janice

HENNIES, Elma

HITCH, Robert

HOLMAN, Maria

HUNNICUTT, Carolyn

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LOUBET, Blake

LOWENTHAL, Barbara

MARBERRY, Mary Lucy

MORRIS, Rosemary (H)  
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MURNANE, Marie

NICKLES, Bethel

PARKER, Linda (H)

PATTON, Laura

RENSHAW, Pat

ROBERTS, Victoria (H)  
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League of Women Voters of Texas  
1212 Guadalupe, #107 • Austin, Texas 78701 • Tel. 512/472-1100  
April 30, 1988

Ms. Edith Crenshaw, Secretary  
League of Women Voters of Kerrville

MAY 4 1988

Dear Ms. Crenshaw,

This letter is in reply to your letter of April 22 in which you asked about reducing the number of VOTERS you mail to addresses outside of Kerrville. We can certainly understand your concern about the postage costs imposed by first class mail because you do not mail to enough people to qualify for bulk mailing rates. VOTERS are valuable to many League leaders because they give ideas for improving the local League newsletter, contain program ideas which other Leagues may find useful, and keep all of us in the League network posted on what your local League is doing.

Here is the compromise that I would suggest to help you reduce your mailing costs:

1. Mail 7 copies to the State Office (address at the top of this page) which the office staff will distribute via the weekly mailing to state board members Diane Sheridan, Louise Cummins, Barbara Swartz, myself, Frances McIntyre, Ruthann Geer, and Rachel Gooch. This means that the state president, the three vice presidents, the two field service directors, and your field service representative will receive your VOTER. You would not then mail copies directly to any members of the state board or your field service rep.

2. Your suggestion that you mail VOTERS to one-third of the other Leagues each month on a rotating basis is acceptable. That way other Leagues are not totally cut off from knowing about the activities of the Kerrville League. I hope that is not too difficult to implement, but I certainly urge you to give it a try.

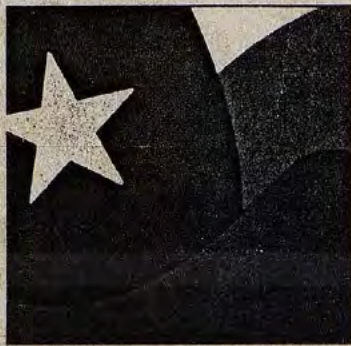
I would like to see this arrangement renegotiated periodically. As your membership grows, it would be appropriate for you to reconsider your policy on the mailing of VOTERS. But we can certainly agree to follow this pattern for a year at least.

Sincerely,

Sondra Ferstl  
Organization Vice President

cc: State Office, Diane Sheridan, Rachel Gooch





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January 13, 1984

TO: Dorothy Nieweg, MTS, LWVUS  
FROM: Ethel Sturgis, LWV-Texas  
RE: Interim Report for Greater Kerrville Provisional League

Dear Dorothy,

The Greater Kerrville Interim Report is enclosed. Following my conversation with you, Rowena Rodgers, their advisor, talked with them about the name of their League. Their concern was only that the "League of Women Voters of Greater Kerrville" would be a mouthful. However, they will retain the "Greater Kerrville" for now, and will request a change in name only--probably to Kerrville Area--on their application for full League Status.

Much as I would like to, I cannot add much to the reports from Rowena which are included in the enclosed. As you know, I have not been working with either state units or provisional Leagues until just recently. Beth Brown, former organization vice-president who died recently, worked closely with this group, along with Rowena, during the time they were a state unit, and was responsible for moving them along to provisional League status. Because of the distances in Texas, I have not visited this League: my only real contact with them has been at Councils and Conventions. However, I am aware of their enthusiasm and eagerness to be a recognized local League, and hope this report will put them well on their way.

Please let me know if there is any further information you need.

I truly thank you for all the assistance you gave me when I was in Washington, and I look forward to hearing from you.

Best wishes,

Ethel Sturgis  
Organization Vice-President

cc: Rowena Rodgers  
Lois Carpenter  
State Office

ES:djm





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February 23, 1983

Ms. Diana Clark, President  
League of Women Voters of Texas  
1212 Guadalupe, No. 109  
Austin, Texas 78701

Dear Diana:

Here are copies of the letter of recognition of the new Provisional League of Women Voters of Greater Kerrville. We are delighted!

I want to recap here, for you and for them, the way we have to handle the reporting of member numbers for per member payment purposes.

Since the reporting date is January 1, 1983, a date on which the provisional League was not in existence, the Texas state League has reported the 50 members-at-large living in the Kerrville Area on the state report form. These numbers are being used in the preparation of the national League budgets.

The Provisional League comes into existence February 18, 1983 and becomes responsible for PMP as of the quarter following their recognition (the first quarter of fiscal 1983-84). We will accordingly subtract 50 members from the state's reported 178 members-at-large when we add the 50 "new" members of the Kerrville League.

Your PMP invoice should then reflect 128 members-at-large for fiscal '83-'84 and the Kerrville Provisional League 50 members.

We look forward to working with you and the Leaguers in Kerrville.

Sincerely,

Dorothy L. Nieweg  
Management and Training Services

cc.: Beverly Reagan, LWV (Prov.) Greater Kerrville





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Ms. Beverly Reagan, President  
Provisional League of Women Voters of Greater Kerrville

Dear Beverly:

It gives me great pleasure to welcome the Provisional League of Women Voters of Greater Kerrville. Your approved application for recognition has been filed with the national board by the Texas state League. The national board has, in turn, approved it and fully endorses your change in status from member-at-large unit to that of provisional League.

Nancy Neuman tells me that you used the "Action Packed Politics" incentive grant to good advantage in increasing your visibility in the community. You seem also to have used the opportunity to conduct the Texas Secretary of State's voter registration drive for your local Chamber of Commerce both to get citizens to register and to cement good relations with the Chamber. We congratulate you!

You have worked closely with your state League during your existence as a member-at-large unit and it is, of course, essential that you continue to do so. Remember, too, that the national board and staff are also here to serve you. We hope you will call on us whenever you feel a need.

Under separate cover we are sending you materials to help you as your League's work goes forward. If some of these duplicate what you already have been sent, we hope you'll still find use for them. As President of a provisional League you will now begin to get the president's mailing, which you did not as MAL unit chair.

This is what we are sending you:

- Grow. The basic guide for provisional Leagues.
- Sample bylaws for local Leagues. These reflect some recent changes in suggested wording.
- A copy of the interim report form filed by the provisional League about half way through the provisional period. Your



state advisor will help you fill it out. Once the state board has added its comments, the report is forwarded to the national office. A member of the national board then reads it in detail and makes suggestions to you on completing preparations for recognition as a local League. We find this procedure helps new Leagues ready themselves for the privileges and responsibilities which accompany local League status.

- Prospectus: A Planning Guide for Local and State Leagues (#1, '82-'84). As you may know, Prospectus appears periodically and is intended to keep you abreast of current League issues. We encourage you to subscribe so you may receive it on a regular basis.
- The President's Packet. Sent annually to all provisional and local Leagues. The Packet contains information on communications, subscription services, and copyrighting; a publications guide for local Leagues; and samples of some forms to be completed and returned to the national office as requested.
- Catalogs (three of the catalog for members and of the catalog for leaders). We suggest that you talk over with your state advisor which services listed in the catalog would best keep your League supplied with needed materials.

And, we are sending you also 25 copies each of the following:

- "Action Packed Politics" membership campaign leaflets.
- Membership cards.
- The National VOTER (the most recent issue).
- Facts about The League of Women Voters.
- Sixty Years of a Great Idea.

In addition to a subscription to Prospectus we recommend one to the Duplicate President's Mailing (DPM), which includes a copy of everything, except some routine administrative material, sent to the League president. Having a DPM greatly facilitates circulation of materials and information to appropriate board members and committees.

The enclosed copy of a letter to your state League is sent to help everyone keep track of the administrative details of the change in status from MAL unit to provisional League.



Ms. Beverly Reagan, President  
Provisional LWV of Greater Kerrville

February 18, 1983  
Page Three

We share the enthusiasm of your state board for your "graduation" from member-at-large unit to the Provisional League of Women Voters of Greater Kerrville, and we wish you well as you continue the fine work you have begun.

Sincerely,

Dorothy S. Ridings  
President

Enclosure

cc.: LWV of Texas, Diana Clark  
LWV of Texas, Beth Brown





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FEB 23 1983

February 15, 1983

To: Beverly Reagan, Chair, Greater Knoxville State Unit  
From: Eleanor Sutherland, Membership Chair  
Re: Duplicate President's Mailing (D/M)

Your correspondence with Nancy Newman, national Membership Chair, was forwarded to the state league office, as a courtesy.

Your memo to her about D/M's president's mailing is something I hope to clear up. The president's mailing goes to local league presidents, and as a unit chairman of a state unit, it is not automatic that you will receive it. The state league orders it for you, and pays for it from the dues received, along with other material supplied to you and your members.

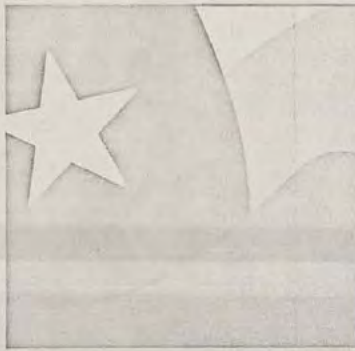
I am checking with Jeanette Vandewater, state league treasurer, as to what has been done to transfer your name to the subscription. In general, she is the one who has records of state unit purchase orders from national, and will remain in the name of the current chairman until notified otherwise by state office of any change in officers.

As president of a Provisional League, you will then receive a president's mailing from both state and national. State league shares one half the cost of three additional D/Ms (from state and national leagues), along with one national Publication Subscription Service.

I hope this clarifies the situation somewhat. If not, please let me know any questions you have.

BCC: Rowena Rodgers  
Beth Brown  
Diana Clark  
File/Membership





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February 8, 1983

League of Women Voters of the United States  
Management and Training Services  
1730 M Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20036

Re: Application for Recognition as a Provisional League  
by the Greater Kerrville State Unit, LWV of Texas

On January 12, 1983, the board of directors of the League of Women Voters of Texas voted to recognize the Greater Kerrville State Unit as a Provisional League, and to recommend to the national Organization Committee that recognition be granted.

We are enclosing their application for recognition. The steps defined in Qualifying as a Provisional League have been completed, and their advisor's evaluation is attached.

It is our sincere hope that their recognition will be in time for their group to be recognized at the LWV-T State Convention, April 15 - 17, 1983.

Sincerely,

*Diana Clark*  
Diana Clark  
President

*Beth Brown*  
Beth Brown  
Organization Vice President

Encl.

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Last fall your League was awarded an incentive grant to help you carry out the Action Packed Politics membership campaign in your community. As part of our evaluation of the campaign, we would like you to help us assess how beneficial the incentive grants program was to your League's membership development efforts.

In looking ahead and planning for continued membership growth, it would be very helpful if you would take a few moments to write me about your League's experience with the incentive grant. Did it make a difference to your League's membership campaign? Are there recruitment strategies that worked well for you and that other Leagues could use? Please send your comments to me at the national office, c/o the Management and Training Services Department.

With all best wishes for a satisfying and successful year.

Sincerely,

Nancy Neuman  
Membership Chair

NN/pbs



February 3, 1983

FEB 8 1983

To: Nancy Neuman, Membership Chair  
From: Beverly Reagan, Chair, Kerrville SU

Dear Nancy:

In re: incentive grant

The incentive grant was very beneficial to our membership development. We planned our drive in Aug. '82 when our membership total was 37, down from 43 in January '82. As we were a two year old state unit, we were eager to build our membership and apply for provisional status. Receiving the grant of \$100 was itself a moral booster for our organization and an encouragement to put our best effort into the drive. We have an excellent Org. V.P., Abbie Corey, who headed up the drive along with a membership committee willing to work.

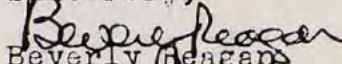
The membership committee mailed out and handed out the Action Packed Politics flyers to prospective members. A post office box was rented that the flyers could be returned to. Seventeen letters to local organizations requesting an opportunity to speak about the League were sent. Four clubs responded with the Chairman (myself) giving a talk on the League, its background, purposes, the community analysis that was currently being done by the local group. As our organization is still new to our area (which is very conservative), the contact was very helpful in getting over the non-partisan policy and the educational aspects of the League.

We also conducted a voter registration drive in September which tied in well with our membership drive in giving us visibility. We had booths set up in five locations and also handed out membership flyers and "Facts". We also sold copies of "Women Under Texas Law". During September we got good coverage from the Kerrville papers plus the ads we ran in the paper and on the radio. It made enough of an impact that the Executive Director of our Chamber of Commerce called us to take over their registration drive. (Note: The Texas Secretary of State had a state-wide registration drive underway in which he had contacted each Chamber of Commerce across the state asking them to be responsible for the drive in their area and sending them poster and other materials-which were given to us. We registered 103 and handed out over 200 cards to be mailed in. Population of our county is about 29,000 and we had about 15,000 registered voters at that time.) We are now known in this area as the group to depend on for voter registration drives.

Our grant money was spent on postage, post office box, newspaper ads, promotional material and educational material. We feel it made a difference to our membership campaign.

It is difficult for me to say that any one strategy worked well that was different from any other League's efforts as this was our first real drive. We now have 53 members and our application for provisional status has been passed by our State Board and is on its way to National

Sincerely,

  
Beverly Reagan  
LWV of Greater Kerrville



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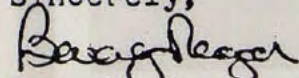
Feb. 3, 1983

To: Nancy Neuman, Membership Chair  
From: Beverly Reagan, Kerrville SU Chair

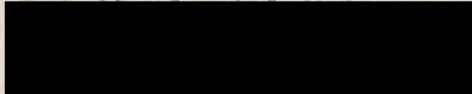
Nancy:

I am not getting the President's mailing from LWV US. I have requested this mailing earlier and have not heard anything. Could you please pass on this request for me or advise me what the correct procedure is to get on the mailing list?

Sincerely,



Beverly Reagan  
LWV of Greater Kerrville



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FEB 26 1982

Feb. 23, 1982

To: Blake Loubet, Kerrville Unit cc: Brown, Sutherland, Price, SO  
From: Helen Hunter  
Re: League program

Dear Blake:

As I told you on the phone, the first program of the LWV "was to impress upon the new voters the importance of paying poll taxes so they could vote in the 1920 elections.

The first lobbying efforts were for a minimum wage for working women, an appropriation to match federal funds for maternity-infance care, and reorganization of the educational system.

However, for your purpose, if I understood you right, what you want is a list of some League "successee" or changes that League worked for. Some important ones are:

Voting Rights Act of 1965 and amendants in 1970 & 75 that banned state an local laws imposing literacy tests and poll taxes, required cettain jurisdictions to obtain governement approval of any changes in voting procedures, etc.

Clean Air Act

Clean Water Act

Equal access to education

Equal access to employment

Equal access to housing

On the state level:

4 year term for governor

The right to a secret ballot

Improved procedures for registering voters in Texas

Creation of a single state juvenile justice ~~system~~ agency

I hope this helps. If this is not what you want or if you need further information please let me know and I'll se what I can find for you. Success to you with your banner!

Will I see you in Houston at National Convention?

Sincerely,



Loana, If you have not sent Hank the four-month supply of report forms, would it do so? Thanks much. B,

June 4, 1979

JUN 8 1979

TO: Martha cc: SO, file  
RE: Kerrville SU  
FROM: Beth

I talked with Hank Evans, temporary chair, yesterday afternoon. The unit will meet again tonight. Hank plans to review the history and organization of the League at all three levels. Then she wants permanent officers elected, a name chosen, and the area defined. I began by suggesting that they be the Kerrville Area State Unit, rather than trying to be countywide. She thinks that countywide is the only way to go. I gather that, while there are several widely separated small communities in Kerr County, Kerrville is really the hub and that the county government will be most important. I allowed as how that was fine, that she and the unit members would know better than I do. As to name, she asked if Kerr Country State Unit would be all right, rather than Kerr County. Kerr Country is apparently a much-used phrase by chamber of commerce, tourism, etc. Some of the unit members had already suggested this; I said it was all right, as long as they understood what the defined area is.

We discussed the troublesome member that ~~Maxine Price~~ Nancy Price referred to. The woman was apparently so upset that the group was not going to be a provisional League that she asked for her dues check to be returned. Hank has not done this yet, but will send the remaining checks to SO and wait to see what happens with Betty Whoever. Beyond that, Hank does not propose to let this person ruin either her life or the life of the unit. Hank wounds like a steady head indeed.

She thinks that the unit will be relatively quiescent during the summer, but hopes to schedule at least a meeting or two before fall to keep the momentum going. She hopes that a Voters Guide kind of thing can be done for a Nov. election. She is very hesitant about finance possibilities and will probably not emphasize this just yet--she doesn't want to "scare" people so early in the game. I think that Hank herself is a little scared.

May I suggest that you talk with Hank soon after you receive this memo? ~~It would be good for you two to get acquainted.~~ It would be good for you two to get acquainted. She may need considerable hand-holding regarding the community analysis. I suggested that they wait until fall or until the analysis is done before selecting a state and a national item for study. Here again, she wants to go slow so as not to "scare" people. They may do o.k. for the summer, but they do need an adviser who will track them pretty closely during this start-up period. I think you will enjoy talking with Hank and learning what really happened at tonight's meeting.

Cheers.

B.



June 18, 1979

TO: Martha, Beth, Nancy P. 50 ✓

FROM: State office

RE: "Howdy" mailing to Kerrville SU members

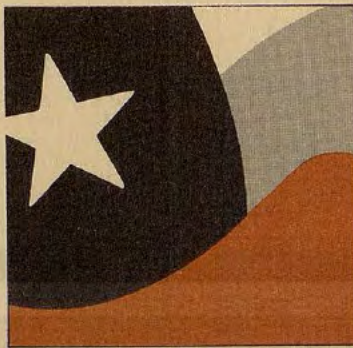
Contents: Welcome letter (sample attached)  
Pick a Candidate  
We Support  
Annual Report  
LWV-T Publications Catalog  
March Texas VOTER (they'll get the June issue)  
Name of the Game  
When You Go To Austin  
The Politics of Energy  
Update on Texas Ground Water  
Courts, Trials, Sentencing)  
Enforcement & Prosecution ) since they'll be getting the Adult  
Corrections material

Postage came to \$11.88, which is more than I'd planned .

Next time (!!) we do this, postage will be kept at \$ 40¢/envelope.







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June 18, 1979

Welcome to the League of Women Voters of Texas. We are proud to number you among the Kerrville State Unit members. We wish we had a local League in every community in Texas; but since this is impossible, we especially treasure our members-at-large and state units.

Members are important to the League whether they perform large or small tasks or simply support the goals of the League through membership, providing a "cheering section" in the community. We are dedicated to the concept that people in a democracy must be involved in their government, or there is no democracy. You can help us involve people in government by encouraging voter registration, distributing Voters Guides, or other citizen information in your community. We also encourage you, acting as an individual, to express League positions at public hearings, through letters to the editor, etc.

I think you will find League membership gratifying, for it is both a learning experience and a satisfying one when you can observe significant improvements being made.

Again, welcome!

Sincerely,

*Diana Clark*

Diana Clark  
President

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JUN 8 1987

BYLAWS  
LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF KERRVILLE AREA

ARTICLE I

Name

Section 1. Name. The name of this organization shall be the League of Women Voters of the Kerrville Area. This local League is an integral part of the League of Women Voters of the United States and of the League of Women Voters of Texas.

ARTICLE II

Purpose and Policy

Section 1. Purpose. The purpose of the League of Women Voters of the United States is to promote political responsibility through informed and active participation of citizens in Government and to act on selected governmental issues.

Section 2. Political Policy. The League shall not support or oppose any political party or any candidate.

ARTICLE III

Membership

Section 1. Eligibility. Any person who subscribes to the purpose and policy of the League shall be eligible for membership.

Section 2. Types of Membership. The membership of the League shall be composed of voting members and associate members.

a. Voting Members. Citizens at least 18 years of age residing in the Kerrville Area shall be voting members of the League of Women Voters Kerrville Area, the League of Women Voters of Texas and the League of Women Voters of the United States;

- (1) those who reside outside the Kerrville Area may be League of Women Voters of Texas Members-at-Large;
- (2) those who make a lump sum life membership payment to LWVUS shall be paid life members and those who have been members of the League for 50 years or more shall be honorary life members excused from payment of dues.

b. Associate Members. All others who join the League shall be associate members. Those residing outside the United States shall be members of LWVUS.

ARTICLE IV

Board of Directors

Section 1. Number, Manner of Selection and Terms of Office. The Board of Directors shall consist of the officers of the League, two elected directors and not more than two appointed directors. One elected director shall be elected by the general membership at each annual meeting and shall serve for a term of two years, or until her/his successor has been elected and qualified. The elected members shall appoint such additional directors, not exceeding two, as they deem necessary to carry on the work of the League. The terms of



office of the appointed directors shall be one year and shall expire at the conclusion of the next annual meeting.

Section 2. Qualifications. No person shall be elected or appointed or shall continue to serve as an officer or director of this organization unless she/he is a voting members of the League of Women Voters of the Kerrville Area.

Section 3. Vacancies. Any vacancy occurring in the Board of Directors by reason of the resignation, death, or disqualification of an officer or elected member, may be filled, until the next annual meeting, by a majority vote of the remaining members of the Board of Directors. Three consecutive absences from a board meeting of any member without a valid reason shall be deemed a resignation.

Section 4. Powers and Duties. The Board of Directors shall have full charge of the property and business of the organization, with full power and authority to manage and conduct same, subject to the instructions of the general membership. It shall plan and direct the work necessary to carry out the program as adopted by the national convention, the state convention, and the annual meeting. The Board shall create and designate such special committees as it may deem necessary.

Section 5. Meetings. There shall be at least four regular meetings of the Board of Directors annually. The president may call special meetings of the Board of Directors and shall call a special meeting upon written request of six members of the Board.

Section 6. Quorum. A majority of the members of the Board of Directors shall constitute a quorum.

## ARTICLE V

### Officers

Section 1. Enumeration and Election of Officers. The officers of the League of Women Voters of the Kerrville Area shall be a president, a first vice-president, a second vice-president, a secretary and a treasurer who shall be elected for terms of two years by the general membership at an annual meeting and take office immediately. The president, the first vice-president and the secretary shall be elected in off-numbered years. The second vice-president and the treasurer shall be elected in even-numbered years.

Section 2. President. The president shall preside at all meetings of the organization and of the Board of Directors. The president may in the absence of or disability of the treasurer, sign or endorse checks, drafts and notes. The president shall be ex officio, a member of all committees except the nominating committee. She/He shall have such usual powers of supervision and management as may pertain to the office of the president and perform such other duties as may be designated by the board.

Section 3. The Vice-Presidents. Two vice-presidents, in the order of their rank, shall, in event of absence, disability, resignation or death of the president, possess all the powers and perform all the duties of that office, until such time as the board of directors shall select one of its members to fill the vacancy. The vice-presidents shall perform such other duties as the president and board may designate.

Section 4. The Secretary. The secretary shall keep minutes of all meetings of the League and of all the meetings of the board of



## ARTICLE VII

### Meetings

Section 1. Membership Meetings. There shall be a least four general meetings of the membership each year. Time and place shall be determined by the board of directors.

Section 2. Annual Meeting. An annual meeting shall be held between May 1st and May 31st, the exact date to be determined by the board of directors. The annual meeting shall:

- a. adopt a local program for the ensuing year
- b. elect officers and directors and members of the nominating committee
- c. adopt an adequate budget
- d. transact such other business as may properly come before it.

Section 3. Quorum. Twenty percent of the members shall constitute a quorum at all business meetings of the League of Women Voters of the Kerrville Area.

## ARTICLE VIII

### Nominations and Elections

Section 1. Nominating Committee. The nominating committee shall consist of five members, two of whom shall be members of the board of directors. The chair and two members, who shall not be members of the board, shall be elected at the annual meeting. Nominations for these offices shall be made by the current nominating committee. The other members shall be appointed by the board of directors immediately following the annual meeting. Any vacancy on the nominating committee shall be filled by the board of directors. Suggestions for nominations for officers and directors may be sent to this committee by any voting member.

Section 2. Report of Nominating Committee and Nominations from the Floor. The report of the nominating committee of its nominations for officers, directors and members of the succeeding nominating committee shall be sent to all members one month before the date of the annual meeting. The report of the nominating committee shall be presented to the annual meeting. Immediately following the presentation of this report, nominations may be made from the floor by any voting member provided the consent of the nominee shall have been secured.

Section 3. Election. The election shall be by ballot, providing that when there is but one nominee for each office, it shall be by voice vote. A majority vote of those qualified to vote and voting shall constitute an election. Absentee or proxy voting shall not be permitted.

## ARTICLE IX

### Program

Section 1. Authorization. The governmental principles adopted by the national convention, and supported by the League as a whole, constitute the authorization for the adoption of program.



directors. She/He shall notify all officers and directors of their election. She/He shall sign with the president, all contracts and other instruments when so authorized by the board and shall perform such other functions as may be incident to the office.

Section 5. The Treasurer. The treasurer shall collect and receive all moneys due. The treasurer shall be the custodian of these moneys, shall deposit them in a bank designated by the board of directors, and shall disburse the same only upon order of the board. She/he shall present statements to the board at their regular meetings and an annual report to the annual meeting.

## ARTICLE VI

### Financial Administration

Section 1. Fiscal Year. The fiscal year of the League of Women Voters Kerrville Area shall commence on the first day of July each year. (Effective July 1, 1989. There will be no change in FY 78-88; FY 88-89 will cover 13 months).

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### National Convention, State Convention and Council

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Adopted May 1983

Revised May 1984

Revised May 1985

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BYLAWS  
LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF KERRVILLE AREA

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Section 1. Name. The name of this organization shall be the League of Women Voters of the Kerrville Area. This local League is an integral part of the League of Women Voters of the United States and of the League of Women Voters of Texas.

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Section 1. Purpose. The purpose of the League of Women Voters of the United States is to promote political responsibility through informed and active participation of citizens in Government and to act on selected governmental issues.

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Section 1. Number, Manner of Selection and Terms of Office. The Board of Directors shall consist of the officers of the League, two elected directors and not more than two appointed directors. One elected director shall be elected by the general membership at each annual meeting and shall serve for a term of two years, or until her/his successor has been elected and qualified. The elected members shall appoint such additional directors, not exceeding two, as they deem necessary to carry on the work of the League. The terms of office of the appointed directors shall be one year and shall expire at the conclusion of the next annual meeting.



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Section 1. Membership Meetings. There shall be at least four general meetings of the membership each year. Time and place shall be determined by the board of directors.



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- d. transact such other business as may properly come before it.

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## ARTICLE VIII

### Nominations and Elections

Section 1. Nominating Committee. The nominating committee shall consist of five members, two of whom shall be members of the board of directors. The chair and two members, who shall not be members of the board, shall be elected at the annual meeting. Nominations for these offices shall be made by the current nominating committee. The other members shall be appointed by the board of directors immediately following the annual meeting. Any vacancy on the nominating committee shall be filled by the board of directors. Suggestions for nominations for officers and directors may be sent to this committee by any voting member.

Section 2. Report of Nominating Committee and Nominations from the Floor. The report of the nominating committee of its nominations for officers, directors and members of the succeeding nominating committee shall be sent to all members one month before the date of the annual meeting. The report of the nominating committee shall be presented to the annual meeting. Immediately following the presentation of this report, nominations may be made from the floor by any voting member provided the consent of the nominee shall have been secured.

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### Program

Section 1. Authorization. The governmental Principles adopted by the national convention, and supported by the League as a whole, constitute the authorization for the adoption of program.

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Adopted May 1983

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LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF KERRVILLE AREA

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2 June 1984

League of Women Voters of Texas  
1212 Guadalupe, #109  
Austin, TX 78701

Subject: Change in local League bylaws.

At our annual meeting, May 19, 1984, we formally adopted the change in name to correspond to the name under which we were recognized as a local League effective April 18, 1984.

Bylaws adopted May 18, 1983 are changed as follows:

ARTICLE I, Section 1. Name. The name of this organization shall be the League of Women Voters of Kerrville Area. This local League ..... governmental issues.

There were no other changes in the bylaws except to remove the cover sheet pertaining to our provisional status, and to editorially insert the word Area after the League of Women Voters of Kerrville wherever it appears in the bylaws.

*Elma E. Hennies*  
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Bylaws Chairman



MAY 25 1983

BYLAW NOTATIONS FOR PROVISIONAL LEAGUES

Until such time as a provisional League is recognized as a local League by the board of the League of Women Voters of the United States, the following changes in the bylaws shall be in effect:

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*Adopted  
May 18, 1983*



# BYLAWS FOR LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF KERRVILLE

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Section 4. Member Action. Members may act in the name of the League of Women Voters only when authorized to do so by the proper board of directors. They may act only in conformity with, and not contrary to, a position taken by the League of Women Voters of Kerrville, the League of Women Voters of Texas, and the League of Women Voters of the United States.

## ARTICLE X

### National Convention, State Convention and Council

Section 1. National Convention. The board at a meeting before the date on which the names of delegates must be sent to the national office shall select delegates to that convention in the number allotted the League of Women Voters of Kerrville under the provision of the bylaws of the League of Women Voters of the United States.

Section 2. State Convention. The board at a meeting before the date on which the names of delegates must be sent to the state office shall select delegates to that convention in the number allotted the League of Women Voters of Kerrville under the provision of the bylaws of the League of Women Voters of Texas.

Section 3. State Council. The board at a meeting before the date on which the names of delegates must be sent to the state office shall select delegates to that council in the number allotted the League of Women Voters of Kerrville under the provisions of the bylaws of the League of Women Voters of Texas.



## ARTICLE XI

### Parliamentary Authority

Section 1. Parliamentary Authority. The rules contained in Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised shall govern the organization in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with these bylaws.

## ARTICLE XII

### Amendments

Section 1. Amendments. These bylaws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the voting members present and voting at the annual meeting, provided that amendments were submitted to the membership in writing at least one month in advance of the meeting.

*Adopted May 18, 1983*

## ARTICLE XIII

### National Council, State Conventions and Councils

#### Section 1. National Convention. The board at a meeting before the

date on which the names of delegates shall be sent to the national office shall select delegates to that convention in the number allotted the league of women voters of the United States.

Section 2. State Conventions. The board at a meeting before the date on which the names of delegates shall be sent to the state office shall select delegates to that convention in the number allotted the league of women voters of the state.

Section 3. State Councils. The board at a meeting before the date on which the names of delegates shall be sent to the state office shall select delegates to that council in the number allotted the league of women voters of the state.



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OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS  
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OFFICERS:

Mrs. Roy (Hank) Evans: President  
[REDACTED]

Catherine Wahrmund: 1st V.P. - Program  
[REDACTED]

Georgia Sebring: 2nd V.P. - Membership  
[REDACTED]

Edith Crenshaw: Secretary  
[REDACTED]

Elma Hennies: Treasurer/Bylaws/Publications  
[REDACTED]

DIRECTORS:

Justa Walsh: Voter Service/Citizen Information  
[REDACTED]

Georgia Christley: National Security  
[REDACTED]

Dorothy Stephen: Local VOTER Editor  
[REDACTED]

Marjorie Ashley: Publicity/Public Relations  
[REDACTED]

OFFBOARD ASSIGNMENTS:

Roy Evans: Finance Drive Chairman  
[REDACTED]

Petty Funk: Domestic Violence  
[REDACTED]

Helen Sencenbaugh: Unit Coordinator  
[REDACTED]

NOMINATING COMMITTEE:

Marjorie Ashley: [REDACTED]

Flake Loubet: [REDACTED]

Rosemary Morris: [REDACTED]

Cathy Wahrmund: [REDACTED]

Mary Godwin: [REDACTED]



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1983-84 LOCAL LEAGUE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND LOCAL PROGRAM

Please complete and return this form to the state office by May 15. If your board is not complete by that date, please inform the state office of later appointments.

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF KERRVILLE (Provisional)

PRESIDENT'S TELEPHONE: [REDACTED] ; (     )  
Home Work

LOCAL LEAGUE ONGOING PHONE NUMBER (if applicable) (     )

PLEASE TYPE -- OR PRINT VERY LEGIBLY!!

<u>PORTFOLIO</u>	<u>NAME (please use 1st name)</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>ZIP</u>	<u>PHONE</u>
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President:	Abbie Corey	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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Secretary:	Betty Funk	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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Treasurer:	Elma Hennies	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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Prog. VP:	Helen Sencenbaugh	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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Items & Chmn:

NATL:

NATL SECURITY ELMA HENNIES

STATE

WOMEN UNDER TX LAW HANK EVANS

CONST. REV. LATER

LOCAL GOVT Survey LATER

Legislative Chmn:	JUSTA WALSH	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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Org. VP:	Beverly Reagan	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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Membership:	LATER	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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Unit Org.:	NOT APPLICABLE THIS YEAR	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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Finance:	LATER	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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Comm. Rel. VP:	BEVERLY REAGAN	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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VOTER:	BETTY FUNK	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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Pub. Rel.:

LATER

Voters Service:

LILA SILVA  
JEAN SCHROEDER

Publications:

Elma Hennies

Budget Chmn:

later

Nom. Com. Chmn:

MARVEL DELL REHM

Bylaws Chmn:

TO BE APPOINTED IF NEEDED

Other

ORIENTATION CHM. HANK EVANS

BOARD APPTD. DIRECTORS: Assignments to be sent later

1. SANDRA LEE ELLIOTT

LOCAL PROGRAM ITEMS: (e.g., School District Study, Mass Transit Study, etc.)

LOCAL GOVT SURVEY



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1982-83 LOCAL LEAGUE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND LOCAL PROGRAM

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LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF GREATER KERRVILLE

PRESIDENT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED]

LOCAL LEAGUE OFFICE (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address ZIP

LOCAL LEAGUE PHONE NUMBER (if applicable) ( )

PLEASE TYPE -- OR PRINT VERY LEGIBLY!!

PORTFOLIO	NAME (please use 1st name)	ADDRESS	ZIP	PHONE
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President:	<u>Beverly Reagan</u>	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Secretary (Corresponding)	<u>Wilma Palmer</u>	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Treasurer:	<u>Elma E. Hennies</u>	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Prog. VP:	<u>Hank Evans</u>	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Items & Chmn:				

Prog. Comm. Chmn.	<u>Marvel Bell Rehm</u>	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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Legislative Chmn:	<u>Justa Walsh</u>	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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Org. VP:	<u>Abbie Corey</u>	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Membership:	<u>Abbie Corey</u>	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

Unit Organiz.:				
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Finance:	<u>not assigned yet</u>			
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Comm. Rel. VP:	<u>Hank Evans</u>	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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VOTER:	<u>Blake Loubet</u>	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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Pub. Rel.:	<u>not assigned yet</u>			
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Voters Service: Abbie Corey, [REDACTED]

Publications: Elma Hennies, [REDACTED]

Budget Chmn: not assigned yet

Nom. Com. Chmn: Billie Grimes, [REDACTED]

Bylaws Chmn: Elma Hennies, [REDACTED]

Other

Recording Secty - Cathy Wahrmond [REDACTED]

Publicity Chairman - Lila Silva - [REDACTED]

Day Study Group leader - Lila Silva - [REDACTED]

Night study Group Leader - Abbie Corey, [REDACTED]

Appointed board members to be assigned positions at July 5<sup>th</sup> Board meeting:  
Marti Ashley and Jean Lowry

LOCAL PROGRAM ITEMS: (e.g., School District Study, Mass Transit Study, etc.)

School district financing

Planning and zoning

I can be reached by phone at my business but prefer  
to be called at home before 9:15 AM or after 6:00 PM

Beverly Reagan, President



## BYLAW NOTATIONS FOR PROVISIONAL LEAGUES

Until such time as a provisional League is recognized as a local League by the board of the League of Women Voters of the United States, the following changes in the bylaws shall be in effect:

1. The word "Provisional" shall be inserted before the word "League" wherever the name League of Women Voters of Kerrville appears.
2. Article II, Section 1, first sentence regarding action -- the provisional League can take action only upon approval of the state League.
3. The two year term of office as prescribed in Article IV, Section 1, and Article V, Section 1 shall not take effect at the time of the first election of officers for the provisional League.
4. Article VII, Section 2(a) and Article IX (local program) shall be inoperative until the provisional League achieves full recognition.
5. The word "observer" shall be substituted for "delegate" in Article X, Section 1, 2, and 3. Note: The observer of a provisional League has the right to speak but not vote at national convention and state conventions.

*Adopted  
18 May 1983*



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The organization share of the  
Beth Brown Memorial Fund  
will be used to subsidize in part  
the expenses of the two day  
legislative workshop in February  
for one representative from  
each local League and state  
unit. ~~Moreover~~ In addition,  
a portion ~~of the fund~~ will be  
used to fund a one-day  
workshop for state unit chairmen  
and advisors. Please ~~refer~~  
refer to reports elsewhere from  
Evelyn Bonavita and Myrtle  
McMahon for the details



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Joann - re the attached -

this material should be kept in the SO. for a reasonable length of time. a letter of recognition from national will be along soon & should be added to this file.

of this material, the letter of recognition and the map should remain permanently in SO; the balance can go to the archives or in file 13

Ethel



LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS KERRVILLE AREA  
POLICY STATEMENT - Adopted June 5, 1985

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POLITICAL POLICY: The League as an organization does not endorse candidates or political parties. The League may, after study and consensus, take action on issues.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: Every League member, including board members, is encouraged to attend precinct conventions - but members of the Board of Directors may not serve as delegates. No Board member may actively campaign, engage in conspicuous political activity, or serve in an official capacity in partisan organizations. When Board members comment on political candidates it shall be made clear that the opinions expressed are their own. A Board member may attend political rallies and functions for candidates if it is in order to learn more about the candidates. Before a Board member becomes a candidate for public office, she/he shall submit a written resignation from the Board in sufficient time for the League to publicly announce the change in status. Resignation from the Board does not mean resignation from the League.

NON-BOARD MEMBERS: Every non-board member is urged to work in the party of her/his choice. Members are encouraged to attend local governmental meetings and to fully participate as private citizens. However, they may not speak in the name of the League. Only the President speaks for the League or specifically designates another to do so for a particular time or purpose.

OFF BOARD CHAIRMEN: An off board chairman, who holds an appointed League position which may be indistinguishable from a Board position in the eyes of the community, shall be subject, in that position, to the same restrictions as a Board member.

ROSTER: Membership lists are not made public. Any use of the list by other organizations must be approved by the Board. "FOR LEAGUE USE ONLY" shall appear on the first page of each roster printed.

CALENDAR: Calendar plans made by the Board at the beginning of the League year shall carry through May of the following year.

CONVENTION AND COUNCIL EXPENDITURES: If local League funds are available, registration fees and convention meals will be paid to the President or her designated representative. The Board may authorize funds for additional delegates or observers.

DUES: Dues for this League are \$25.00 per person, payable annually on the first day of the anniversary month the member joined this League. When two or more members reside at the same address in a common household, full dues shall be paid by the first member and  $\frac{1}{2}$  dues by each additional member.

IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT is ipso facto a member of the Board for one year.

POLICY RESPONSIBILITY: The Board shall review the policy annually and may alter, eliminate or retain any or all parts. Upon Board approval the Policy Statement shall be sent to every member.