

League of Women Voters of Indiana

POSITION REVIEW AND RESTUDY

LWVIN is currently undertaking a major review and restudy of the 23 state positions. This process was authorized by the 2007 LWVIN State Convention. It is being coordinated by Albrecht Holschuh, first vice president. Albrecht created 11 review committees from member volunteers across the state. They have worked diligently for over a year to review their assigned positions and to prepare recommendations to the state board. If no content changes are recommended the state board adjusts text to update and correct language. If content changes are recommended by the committee, the committee members prepare the position to send to the membership for concurrence. After approval from the state board, the concurrence documents are then sent to the local Leagues to discuss and respond.

As of November 23, 2008, there are five positions under concurrence with local Leagues. There may be two or three more coming to the state board for review in spring 2009.

The concurrence due dates for response from the local leagues to the state board are as follows:

Local Government: January 30, 2009

Local Government Finance: January 30, 2009

Juvenile Justice: February 27, 2009

Health Care: February 27, 2009

Property Tax Exemption: February 27, 2009

In addition to the concurrence process, the biennial position review of the eight positions that did not go to review committees is due on December 30, 2008.