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Subject: LWVGP Voter: Special New Year Edition

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Grosse Pointe, Grosse Pointe Farms, Grosse Pointe Park, Grosse Pointe Shores,
Grosse Pointe Woods, and Harper Woods

LWVGP Program Planning Meeting

...or commonly referred to as "The
Chinese/Italian Dinner"

Wednesday, 15 January 2014

Cost is \$11.00

Make check to LWVGP and send to
Sharon Riley, 521 Lake Pointe, GPP
48230 by January 8.

Menu: Lasagna, salad, garlic bread and
Italian desserts - yum!

Home of Ann Nicholson

Dinner at 6:00/Meeting to start at 7:00
Refer to your directory for the address
or contact the League at 881-6343

Technology Bond Informational Forum

LWV Grosse Pointe will moderate an
informational forum for the Grosse
Pointe Public Schools on the proposed
Technology Bond Special Election.
After brief presentations by the
panelists, the forum will be open to
questions from the audience, giving
residents the opportunity to ask the
hard questions needed to be informed
voters on February 25.

The forum will be:

Tuesday, January 14, 7:00 p.m.

GP South High School

Wicking Library

44 Grosse Pointe Blvd

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National Positions to Be Reviewed for National Convention, June 2014

LWVGP members: Remember how many of you that attend
this meeting year after year comment on how you love this
particular League meeting? You said you love it because of
the stimulating conversations, BUT THEN-we cut you short and
gather you in one room to highlight each groups' discussion.
That's not fair! You were just getting started!

Well guess what! We hear you! This year we are going to
follow the same basic format but with a twist. The part where
you love to have the stimulating conversation will be held with
more time allowed.

Each group will have a couple of hours to hold the discussion-
ON A DIFFERENT TIME AND DAY OF THE PROGRAM
PLANNING MEETING, commonly referred to as the **Chinese
/Italian dinner meeting**.

The following listed members have agreed to be group
leaders and will host a meeting in their home between January
6 and 14. Read the list and determine the group that you
would like to participate with and contact the leader(s) **AS
SOON AS POSSIBLE** by phone or email listed in the
directory. Or contact me by phone or email.

Group Leaders identified:

1. **Representative Government:** Flo Rhodes
2. **International Relations:** Fran Schonenberg and Lynne

11 Grosse Pointe Blvd
GP Farms, MI 48236

It will include the following panelists:
Dr. Thomas Harwood,
Superintendent, who will present the
technology bond development process.

Christian Fenton, Deputy
Superintendent for Business and
Operations, who will focus on school
finance, your tax bill, and how the
sinking fund has been spent.

Gary Abud, Jr., Michigan Teacher of
the Year, who will concentrate on how
technology impacts students.

Public Hearing on Voting Rights

The National Commission on Voting
Rights is holding a public hearing
January 9 at Wayne State University,
4-8p.m. LWVMI President Sue Smith
will speak as a panelist. The public is
invited; there is no charge but pre-
registration is required. For additional
details, click here

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citizens of all ages. With 800 affiliates
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3. **Natural Resources:** Judy and Gordan Morlan
4. **Social Policy:** Wilhelmina Giblin
5. **Agriculture Study:** Ann Nicholson
6. **LWVMI Education Restudy:** Mary Vitolins, Carol Todd
and Connie Frey

Each subgroup will report the recommendations of the
discussion at the Program Planning meeting on January 15,
with opportunities for questions and further discussions. Our
tallied results will be sent to LWV in Washington to help guide
the program for the National Convention in June.

Sound like fun?

Please make your reservations for the dinner-cost is \$11.00-
with Sharon Riley as soon as you can.

Thank you all very much for your time and efforts.

In League,

Christina

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