



LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF ILLINOIS 2017 CONVENTION-IN-BRIEF

PLEASE NOTE: ALL VOTING WILL OCCUR ON SUNDAY, JUNE 11th

LOCATION

**Hilton Garden Inn Chicago O'Hare
Des Plaines, Illinois**

REGISTRATION

Friday, June 5th beginning at **12:00 noon until 9:30 p.m.**

Saturday, June 6th and **Sunday, June 7th** beginning at **7:30 a.m.** but closed during plenary sessions.

PRE-CONVENTION PROGRAM

Group I 1:00 - 2:30 pm

- Environmental Justice: Past, Present, and Uncertain Future
- Using Social Media Effectively
- Discussing Controversial Topics – Civics Education Lesson For Our Time

Group II 2:00 - 4:30 pm

- Engaging New Members/Developing Tomorrow's League Leaders
- Advocacy Through Alliances and Collaboration – Two Examples
- Consolidation of Governmental Units Local Program Toolbox

CAUCUSES & CHATS

Saturday and Sunday

PLENARY SESSIONS

Plenary sessions will begin at 9:30 a.m. on both Saturday & Sunday mornings

The convention should adjourn by 12:30 p.m. on Sunday afternoon

Saturday Morning

- Roll Call of Leagues
- Budget, PMP and Bylaws Motions
- Nominating Committee Report
- Discussion and debate begins

Saturday Afternoon

- Recommended program motions
- Introduction and consideration of non-recommended program items
- Introduction of concurrence motions
- Introduction of Will of Convention motions
- Discussion and debate continues

Sunday Morning

- Discussion and Votes on all motions
- Election of the 2015-2017 Board of Directors
- Directions to the Board

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Throughout the Plenary Sessions

- Executive Director's, Member Services, Development, Communications, Voter Service and Issues Committee Reports and Updates
- President's Report

EVEN IF YOU'RE NOT A DELEGATE,

YOU ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US FOR ONE OR ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

Friday Evening June 9th

Pre-convention Dine Around opportunities

Saturday Luncheon June 10th

Speaker: Wylecia Wiggs Harris, PhD, Chief Executive Officer, LWVUS

Saturday Dinner June 11th

Speaker:: Kyra Kyles, Editor-in-Chief, *Ebony* Magazine

Carrie Chapman Catt Leadership Award

Silent Auction

Silent Auction Bidding

All-day Saturday