

LWVC GOALS FOR 2015-2016 and HIGHLIGHTS OF 2014-2015.

CONVENTION DETERMINATIONS FOR THE UPCOMING YEAR:

- Adopt as Issues for Education and Advocacy are **Money in Politics, Protecting California's Environment, Election Reform and Voting Rights and Minimum Living Wage.** (Our National LWV also chose **Voting Rights and Election Administration** as Legislative Priorities, and **Climate and Environmental Protection** as a second tier issue. So there will be good interaction between federal and state/local League work.)
- **Update the Agriculture position** on Agricultural Land Preservation as recommended by the Water Committee.
- The study of **Public Higher Education in Cal.** is continuing. Local Leagues will be getting materials early 2016, with consensus due in spring of 2016.
- **Increase PMP (PER MEMBER PAYMENT) DUES BY \$2.50 IN EACH OF THE UPCOMING 2 YEARS.** The last increase was 2010.

LWVC's 2014- ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

- Closed the "dark money" loophole by passing SB 27.
- Ensured Covered California and the California DMV offer voter registration in compliance with National Voter Registration.
- Reached over quarter million voters in five languages with the Easy Voter Guide project.
- Produced statewide candidate interview, with The Cal. Channel.
- Produced Best Practices Manual for Official Voter Info Guide and held trainings.
- Published "Voting Is as Easy as 1-2-3" flier in 5 languages.
- Passed SB 1253 for a clearer, simpler initiative process. (Remember our study on this?)
- A new partnership with Voter's Edge between Smart Voter and Maplight.

