

How the League Takes Action / The Voice of the League

We are a trusted organization that has lasted almost 100 years for good reason. We only speak out on issues that we have extensively studied. We DO advocate on issues, and we DO hold elected officials and governing bodies accountable; we may criticize a policy or action taken by an elected official, but we do so based on clearly stated League positions. We do not employ partisan language, and strive to eliminate any appearance of partisanship. Sometimes, we do not speak out on an issue if there is another organization in a better position to be heard or more effective, or if we deem that our contribution may not be helpful. We are methodical and steady, and we report facts, not opinions or hearsay. Moreover, we speak with one voice, meaning that the positions of local Leagues are consistent throughout their state, and their positions conform to those taken by the LWV of the U.S.