

Program Committee Annual Report 2022-2023

Purpose

The LWVMT Program Committee meets monthly with the goal to provide membership with informational meetings on topics of interest.

Chair

Katherine Bracy

Committee Members

Katherine Bracy, Patti Mullen, Dr. Corinice Wilson, Kassie McClung, and Shannon Yang (Board Intern)

Meeting Schedule (how frequently and when met)

First Wednesday of each month via Zoom @ 4:30 pm

Overview of Year's Activities (goals, activities, events, challenges, etc.)

- **September 20, 2022:** 7:00 pm - 8 pm @ 36th Degree North Event Center, Tulsa, OK. The Program Committee partnered with TYPRO'S 918 Vote to host a panel to discuss the value of returning to standards of politeness during public discussions.
Panelist: Regina Goodwin, OK State Representative, Susan Savage, former Tulsa Mayor, Rodger Randle, former Tulsa Mayor, Jayme Fowler, Tulsa City Councilor-District- 9, Barba Prez, TPS Board Member- District 2. Panel Moderator- Wayne Green and Media Literacy, Nate Morris.
- **October 27, 2022:** 6:00 pm -7:00 pm Program Committee hosted a public webinar title: "How to Improve the Incarceration Experience for Women". Facilitator: Stephanie Henson. Panelist: Kris Steel, Janay Clougherty (Tulsa DA's Office), and two females (prior incarceration experience).
- **April 20, 2023:** 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm Program Committee hosted a public webinar titled: "Inside the Issues of the Oklahoma's Citizen Initiative Process". Lead contact: Prior Program Committee Chair, Patti Mullin.
Participants: David Blatt, Andy Moore, Representative, Amanda Slop and Cole Allen.
- **January 21, 2023:** 9:00 am -12:00 pm. Program Committee members attended a consensus meeting for LWVOK Study. Tulsa YWCA, 21st Lewis Ave.,
- **Program in the planning stage at the writing of this report:** "Youth, Mental Health and Adjudication". Mode: Public Panel, location: 36 Degrees North, Tulsa, OK, Date: TBD, time: 6:00 pm -7:00 pm

Recommendations:

- **Young Students Civic Engagement Networking Program:** To engage young professionals in civic networking. Lead Member, Shannon Yang, LT Intern.
- Continue to seek opportunities to get more involved with the Oklahoma domestic violence legislation and related activities that impact violence survivors.