

2020 - 2021

# ANNUAL REPORT



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The League's own history reflects its periods of shame. The League was founded in 1920 and did not welcome women of color, a subtle judgment the organization maintained for many years. We were late in fighting discrimination, only taking a position in 1966, decades after it was evident the U.S. had a serious problem with discrimination.

With its powerful instruments of voter education, voter registration, and advocacy, the League has the capability to confront the attitudes and practices that perpetuate discrimination, but it's not enough. We must assume racism is everywhere, listen carefully, and prepare to take a stand against injustice.

*Lynne C Stagg*

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# BOARD OF TRUSTEES

THE AMAZING PEOPLE BEHIND THIS ORGANIZATION



**LYNN STAGGS**  
PRESIDENT (2019-2021)



**LACEY CAYWOOD**  
VICE PRESIDENT (2020-2022)



**PATTI MULLEN**  
SECRETARY (2019-2021)



**KARIN LACKEY**  
TREASURER (2020-2022)



**ANNE WILLIAMS**  
TRUSTEE (2019-2021)



**WAYNE GREENE**  
TRUSTEE (2019-2021)



**JUDY DEN DAAS**  
TRUSTEE (2020-2022)



**KATHERINE BRACY**  
TRUSTEE (2020-2022)



**EMILY GAMEL**  
TRUSTEE (2020-2022)



**TANIA GARZA**  
TRUSTEE (2020-2022)



**LINDSAY WHITE**  
TRUSTEE (2021)



**ANDREA PEMBERTON**  
TRUSTEE (2021)

# ANNUAL INCOME STATEMENT

ESTIMATED THROUGH THE END OF THE FISCAL YEAR

## INCOME

MEMBERSHIP .....	\$6,692
DONATIONS .....	\$8,412
GRANTS .....	\$8,375
FUNDRAISING (NET) .....	\$24,467
INVESTMENT .....	\$2,307
OTHER .....	\$11

## TOTAL INCOME

**\$50,264**

## EXPENSES

MEMBERSHIP .....	\$3,478
FUND DEVELOPMENT .....	\$16
BOARD .....	\$180
OPERATIONS .....	\$9,930
STAFF .....	\$21,405
VOTER SERVICES .....	\$9,293
OTHER .....	\$24

## TOTAL EXPENSES

**\$44,326**

## NET INCOME

**\$5,938**

# MEMBERSHIP

AS OF JUNE 14, 2021

ITEM	2019- 2021	2020- 2021
<b>TOTAL MEMBERS</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>115 (↑19.8%!!)</b>
NEW MEMBERS	22 (23%)	25 (22%)
RENEWAL*	66 (69%)	78 (68%)
RETURNING**	8 (8%)	12 (10%)

\* MEMBERS WHO RENEWED THEIR MEMBERSHIP FROM PRIOR YEAR.

\*\* MEMBERS WHO RENEWED THEIR MEMBERSHIP AFTER ONE OR MORE YEARS OF ABSENCE.



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# PROGRAMS

**PATTI MULLEN, CHAIR**

MELISSA ACTON, TANIA GARZA, JENNI GRAY, JULIE GUSTAFSON,  
LYNN STAGGS, ANNE WILLIAMS, LINDA ORTEGA (CO-CHAIR RES. 01/21)

MONTHLY AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS ARE DESIGNED TO ENGAGE MEMBERSHIP IN LEAGUE ACTIVITIES AND ISSUES THAT ARE UPPER-MOST ON THE MINDS OF VOTERS. PROGRAMS ARE THE "HEART" OF THE LEAGUE.

## HIGHLIGHTS

### CONSENSUS

NOVEMBER 2020

Meeting with co-author of the LWVOK study on Health Care, Karen Cardenas. Approx. 20 members attended discussion and our recommendations were offered in February 2021. Facilitated by chair Patti Mullen.

### COVID-19

FEBRUARY 2021

LWVMT welcomed Dr. Bruce Dart, Executive Director of Tulsa Public Health to answer an array of questions regarding vaccine rollout and state outlook. Facilitated by member Jenni Gray.

### STATE BUDGET

MARCH 2021

Chair and Vice Chair of State Budget & Appropriations, State Representative Kevin Wallace (Dist. 32) and State Representative Kyle Hilbert (Dist. 29) addressed the topic of state budget. Facilitated by partner TYPROS' Government Affairs co-chair, Matt McAfee.

### CIVIC EDUCATION

APRIL 2021

Jake Lerner, representing the Civic Learning Coalition (CLC), introduced the CLC's efforts to promote civic education and participation. The meeting was facilitated by chair, Patti Mullen.

# VOTER SERVICES

**LACEY CAYWOOD, CHAIR**

KATHERINE BRACY, JUDY DEN DAAS, EMILY GAMEL, LINDSAY WHITE, LORA MARSHALL, JENNI GRAY, AMANDA SHANKLE-KNOWLTON, COLLEEN COOPER, CONNIE SEIBOLD, KATHLEEN KASTELIC

SUPPORTED BY TRAINED VOLUNTEERS WHO PROVIDE ESSENTIAL SERVICE, THE LWVMT PROVIDED MORE THAN 143 HOURS OF VOLUNTEER SUPPORT PRIOR TO COVID-19 SHUTDOWN.

## HIGHLIGHTS

### VOTER REGISTRATION

Facilitated 30+ drive-up/outdoor voter registration events with over 150 completed forms submitted to the County and/or State Election Board, including coordinated projects with Tulsa Public Schools, Jack and Jill, and YWCA Tulsa. Planned and created a Voter Registration Kit Request package to broaden access for voter registration, with New Citizen Welcome Kits and Voter Registrar Training Kits in progress.

### CANDIDATE FORUMS

Organized and worked with partners to hold online and filmed candidate forums for District 35 Senate Primary, Tulsa Public Schools Districts 5 & 6 Boards of Education, Tulsa City Council, and Tulsa Mayor.

### VOTER GUIDES

Published and promoted online voters' guides for 30+ elections and propositions. Organized and printed 10,000 copies of 2020 Tulsa Area Voter Guide with a 75% distribution rate.

# MADAM PRESIDENT

ANNUAL FUNDRAISER HELD MAY 19, 2021. EVENT ORGANIZED BY CHAIR WAYNE GREENE, ALONG WITH COMMITTEE MEMBERS KATHERINE BRACY, KARIN LACKEY, LYNN STAGGS, LINDSAY WHITE, AND ANNE WILLIAMS.

## 2021 HONOREES

Mariana Aguirre	Rep. Regina Goodwin
Sue Bennett	Deborah Guilfoyle, Ed.D.
Emily Brandenburg	Tina Glory-Jordan
Rev. Andrea Chambers	Janet Levit
Wendy Drummond	Mackenzie Wilfong

## 2021 FUNDING

GOAL .....	\$35,000
CURRENT & PENDING .....	\$36,100

## 2021 SPONSORS

LEVEL I ..... \$5,000

Charles and Lynn Schusterman Family Philanthropies  
Cherokee Nation Businesses  
George Kaiser Family Foundation  
Kathy Taylor\*  
The Anne and Henry Zarrow Foundation

LEVEL II ..... \$2,500 - \$2,000

Blue Sky Bank  
Jon McGrath

LEVEL III ..... \$1,000

Nancy McDonald  
Tulsa Community Foundation

LEVEL IV ..... \$500

Wayne Greene	Connie & John Seibold
Karin Lackey	Susan Singh
Mary Jane Lindaman	Randy & Lynn Staggs

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS ..... \$250 - 100

Karen Cardenas	Jane Mudgett*
Janice Goetzinger	Vicky Simpson Wilcoxon
Carl & Katherine Bracy	Cathy Smythe
Sally F. Frasier	Susan Swatek
Kathleen Kastelic	Deborah Whittaker
Lora L. Marschall	

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# VOLUNTEERS & PARTNERS

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES EXTENDS A HEARTFELT NOTE OF THANKS TO ALL OF OUR MEMBERS, VOLUNTEERS, PARTNERS & ASSOCIATES WHO MAKE IT POSSIBLE FOR THE LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS TO CONTINUE ITS MISSION.

## 2020-2021 PARTNERS & ASSOCIATES

ahha Tulsa	Jack & Jill
City of Tulsa	True Blue Neighbors
Esperance Bakery	Tulsa County Bar Assn.
First Oklahoma Bank	Tulsa Public Schools
Frios Gourmet Pops	YWCA Tulsa

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## 2020-2021 VOLUNTEERS

Jolie Abdo	Carol McNeer
Melissa Abdo	Adam Miller
Caiton Beesley	Michael Mills
Katherine Bracy	Patti Mullen
Emma Braselton	Erma Pregler
Mary Crist	Patty Rizzatto
Matt Crow	Janice Robinson
Judy den Daas	Polly Robinson
Tania Garza	Beth Schmidt
Jenni Gray	Susan Singh
Tatianna Hemphill	Cathy Smythe
LaQuisha Jackson	Susan Swatek
Eileen Kenney	Sabrina Ware
Karin Lackey	Courtney Warren
Mary Jane Lindaman	Anne Williams
Matt McAfee	Kimberly Williams
Kadi McMillan	Wallace Williams

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## 2020-2021 VOLUNTEER HOURS

OFFICE & VOTER SERVICES .....	130+
BOARD & COMMITTEES .....	200+

