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LWVME & LWVME EDUCATION FUND PRIVACY POLICY (Amended & Re-adopted 3/21/2015)

This policy on privacy is intended to protect League members and donors from undue intrusion from for-profit and non-profit organizations that may wish to solicit money or services from them. To that end, no information about individual League members will be shared electronically or otherwise with any non-League individual or organization. League information on members, their addresses (home, work, and e-mail), phone and fax numbers, and history of contributions will be kept confidential with the following exceptions:

Non-League organizations may be permitted to use our mailing list to convey information that the Board deems of interest to our members. However, while these organizations may be permitted a one-time use of a set of our mailing labels, they are forbidden to copy them, and no blanket permission will be granted. Each request for mailing labels will be considered and acted upon individually.

Contributors to either the LWVME or the LWVME Education Fund may be listed in League publications only by broad categories, not by specific amount donated. Donors will have the opportunity to request that they not be listed if they wish.

Unlimited access to the LWVME data base will be limited to the president, the LWVME board, the Ed. Fund Trustees, and their designees. Local Leagues and/or individual members working on specific projects will have access to the data base including donor information, with the exception of amounts given, which shall not be shared.

When a list of members is published it will be for distribution only to active members for the convenience of those members when they are working on League issues. It is requested that they do not share this list with anyone else. Individual members may ask that any of their information not be listed.

The League Board and Ed. Fund Trustees, in their fund raising activities, may agree by a vote of the Board to exchange donor information with other like-minded organizations for the purpose of expanding our mailing list. In such an exchange, name and addresses may be exchanged. E-mail, phone numbers, and dollar amounts given will be withheld.