



THE LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF BUTTE COUNTY

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Greetings, League Members & Friends ~

Join us for a "**Lunch & Learn with the League**" next **Wednesday, November 6th, 12 noon-2 pm** as we feature an interesting panel discussion about the **Voting Rights Act**. We will be in the meeting room at the Chico Branch of the Butte County Library, 1108 Sherman Ave.

Our expert guest speakers will address the history of the 1965 Voting Rights Act, complexities of the recent Supreme Court ruling, the Executive Branch response, and what voters may experience next. Panelists will be: **Charles Turner**, Professor of Political Science, CSU Chico; **Candace Grubbs**, Butte County Clerk-Recorder/Registrar of Voters; **Terry Hansen**, Yuba County Clerk-Recorder/ Registrar; and **Robert Tinkler**, Professor of History, CSU Chico.

Learn why this case reached the Supreme Court and how this ruling will affect the nation and Butte County. Bring a friend and your lunch to enjoy. The League will provide beverages and cookies! For more information, please call Margaret at 879-0231.

SAVE THIS WINE TASTING DATE!
SUNDAY, APRIL 27, 2014
Manzanita Place

The League's Annual Wine Tasting is important not only because it is a darned good party, but also because it is our **ONLY** fundraising activity of the year. All of our other events and activities depend on this successful fundraiser.

An often forgotten fact is that we only keep \$1 of your \$55 dues, and the remainder is sent to the State and National Leagues. Hence, the need for successful fundraising.

Most other Leagues spend their time going out to members, friends and businesses for contributions all year long! Lucky for us. we don't have to!

We can focus more on League business when the Wine Tasting is a success!

The Annual Wine Tasting can only happen with the help of all of our members pitching in one way or another. With help from many of you. the workload will not fall so much on just a few, and the whole process can be much more fun for everyone on the team.

Please consider **your skill sets** and interests as we ask for **your participation** in the coming weeks to help on our primary Wine Tasting Committees of:

- Advertising & Sponsorships
- Food & Recipe assignments
- Set up & Decorations
- Volunteer & Kitchen Coordination
- Wine Vendor Supporters & Pourers

LWW Annual Holiday Party
Tuesday, December 10th
Wallace Home @ 2805 Oak Way, Chico

The Holiday Party in early December is our chance to celebrate and honor another League member with our **Mita Markland Award!**

And after the New Year, we will gather again at our January Potluck & Program where you can expect to hear about future "Lunch & Learns," possibly in the areas of Education, Agriculture, Privatization, and Campaign Financing. So, let's stay engaged, learn together, and continue the great work of the League. ~ **See you Wednesday!**