



The Voter

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An invitation to you:

The Board of County Commissioners of Washington County is in the process of organizing the Washington County Salary Study Commission (the "Commission") as mandated by Md. Code Annotated, Local Government §§28-201 to 28-209,. The law requires that a commission of nine (9) members be appointed to evaluate the salaries of the elected officials listed in §28-207. The statute provides in §28-203(b) that "Each member shall be a registered voter of Washington County who in the previous 4 years has voted in at least two elections, at least one of which was in the gubernatorial election year." The Statute also requires that "A member of the Commission may not be an elected official or an employee of an official whose salary the Commission studies."

If you are interested in serving on this committee please contact President Richard Willson by April 15, 2020.

COVID 19 doesn't stop LWVWC!

Primary Election Forums

Your Washington County League is working with Antietam Cable Television to provide a forum for our local elections: Sixth Congressional District, Washington County School Board, and City of Hagerstown. The event will be held in May and still allow opportunities for participants to pose questions if the current social distancing restrictions are still in place. We will send out details as soon as they are available.

10th Annual Story Telling Event to be held September 13.

To celebrate the 100th Anniversary of Women's Suffrage in the United States we've booked beloved storyteller, Judith Black, to perform her renowned and historic portrayal of Abolitionist and Suffragette Lucy Stone (1818-1893). This is the first time Ms Black has performed Lucy Stone in Maryland. Her performance will allow you to meet the public and private person and enter the fights she waged for a better education for girls, the end of slavery and a woman's right to vote.