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### November 2008

- 4 Tuesday Topics—Topeka and Shawnee County Public Library, 11:30.  
**Speaker** - Dr. Bob Beatty, "The 2008 Election"  
**MENU:** Vegetable soup with deli meats, condiments, homemade buns, cookie

4 **VOTE TODAY**

- 11 **LWVT?SC Board Meeting—Celtic Fox**, 118 SW 8th, Upstairs meeting room, all members welcome, 11:30-1:00.

- 11 **Veterans Day. Remember** Our veterans.

- 19 **Government Issues Dinner**, 4133 SW Gage Center, Make your reservations, See details in VOTER.

28 Happy Thanksgiving

### December 2008

- 2 Tuesday Topics—Topeka and Shawnee County Public Library, 11:30.  
**Speaker**—Sharon Mayo, MSW, LCSW, "Election/Holiday/Economic Stress"

**MENU:** Quiche with tossed salac, rolls, butter and cookie

- 9 **LWVT/SC Board Meeting-Topeka and Shawnee County Public Library**, upstairs meeting room, all members welcome 11:30-1:00.

12 **VOTER DEADLINE**

Send articles to Lois Cox (lois5510@hotmail.com) or 910 SE 43rd Street 66609

25 Happy Holidays

The League of Women Voters, a nonpartisan political organization, encourages the informed and participation of citizens in government, works to increase understanding of public issues and influences public policy through education and advocacy.

# Prez Sez



**Georgia Sandlin**  
**President LWVT/SC**

As October 2008 ends most of the people I know have become weary of the charges, the ads, the hyperbole associated with the election. While we may want to change the process by

making it shorter or more civil, elections are what we do in this county. The League has been working to make the elections more meaningful here in Shawnee County. Anita Epps has been organizing voter registrations for months. Bob Harder has, once again, brought the reality of elections to elementary students at Lowman Hill School. Maryanna Quilty helped us partner with KTWU to present a candidate forum between Lynn Jenkins and Nancy Boyda. All of these activities were successful because of the involvement of our membership. Thank you to all.

In November we will host our local government officials at our Government Issues Dinner. If you are particularly in-

terested in speaking with your own council person or county commissioner I would suggest a phone call as a personal invitation. The invitation from the LWVTSC has been mailed. This is a perfect opportunity to speak to those who make the decisions we live with. The first announcement reported the date as November 20 but the date has been changed to Wednesday, November 19. We need reservations.

We have been working to get our data updated. If you have not been receiving email information perhaps the address we are using is incorrect. Please let us know of any changes. You may email me at

[gsandlin@cox.net](mailto:gsandlin@cox.net). We want to keep you informed.

## GOVERNMENTAL ISSUES DINNER

**MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS!**  
**GOVERNMENTAL ISSUES DINNER**  
**CITY AND COUNTY ELECTED OFFICIALS ARE**  
**INVITED**  
**NOVEMBER 19, 2008**

## November Program Election Day Thriller!

Dr. Bob Beatty, Associate professor of Political Science at Washburn University and well known Kansas political analyst will present insights on the election on November 4, Election Day at the Tuesday Topics. Bob is highly respected for his teaching, his international affairs and diplomacy credentials, and his great interest in Kansas politics. He has hosted a series of television programs that have aired on WUCT and KTWU TV and has served as the political analyst for KSNT TV in Topeka. He is working on a project that analyses the "Kansas politician". The League is indeed very lucky to have Profession Beatty (between Washburn University classes) on Election Day. Join us at 11:30AM for lunch and the election day talk from 12-1 at the Topeka Shawnee County Public

## December Program Sharon Mayo

Sharon grew up in Indiana and moved to Kansas in 1970. She first lived in Lawrence and after graduating from KU with a master's in social work, she moved to Topeka in 1970. She obtained her BS from Purdue in 1969.

She worked as a social worker for the State of Kansas and then worked for the Menninger clinic for 15 years. Since 2001, she has had a private practice providing counseling for adults and families. A special area of interest is providing grief therapy for pet owners who have suffered a loss. Her secret is she is a Home Ec major who doesn't like to cook, happily her husband does like to cook.

## League Membership Event

Is scheduled for October 23, 2008

4:00 to 6:00 p.m.

Topeka Collegiate School

2222 SW Eveningside Drive

**BRING A FRIEND**

## Reflections On The Proceedings Of The Topeka City Council For August And September 2008 By Joe Sargent

"Budget Night 2008" was August 21<sup>st</sup>. It was an evening filled with drama; the session ended at 1:15am after a 6pm start. The city council by a five to four vote approved a 2009 budget of 185 million dollars. The property tax levy increased by 0.1 mill or \$1.15 annually on a home valued at \$100,000. Meanwhile, the budget removed \$1.2 million dollars that city manager Bonaparte had allocated in his proposed budget for a cost of living raise for city employees as well as step increases in their salaries. Further, there was a 20 percent decrease in funding for social services and a 10 percent cut for community centers. TPAC lost its \$300,000 subsidy and support for the Topeka Cemetery was reduced to \$80,000 or \$20,000 below its requested \$100,000..

One week later the council voted in favor a proposal submitted by Mayor Bunten to move \$250,000 to TPAC and \$19,000 to the Topeka Cemetery from the police budget, money not needed because of grounding the helicopter unit. That same night three proposals to put increases in the city sales tax on the ballot went down to defeat; at the same session the council approved an expenditure of \$291,000 as their share in building a \$400,000 parking lot in the College Hill redevelopment project.

In the early part of August appointments to the city planning commission occupied the council's attention because of two resignations. The nine member board needed seven members to have a quorum. Since they lately had only six members present at their meetings, they had not been able to conduct any official business. On September 10<sup>th</sup> the council rejected the mayor's nominee for the planning commission while electing two others to fill the vacated positions. Meanwhile, the state legislature had recently passed a law

stating that a mayor's appointee must be given a specific reason for why he or she was unfit or unqualified to serve when rejected by the governing body. If the governing body did not respond to the nomination in 45 days, then the nomination was officially considered approved.. The city administration contemplated a lawsuit to make the city exempt from this rule but apparently no further action has been taken on this matter

The city administration continues to have a simmering problem with the firemen as evidenced by the appearance of the firemen in mass from time to time at the council meetings. The recent hiring of a deputy fire chief from outside the local ranks inflamed the continued controversy between the firemen and the fire department leadership.

With passage of the 2009 city budget city employees did not receive any wage increases. This has complicated negotiations between the city and some its employees regarding a 2009 union contract. Members of the Kansas Association of Public Employees accused the city of bargaining in bad faith and planned to file a complaint with the Kansas Public Employee Relations Board.

What to do with Sumner  
School continues to remain on the council's agenda .

The Chief of Police indicated in a recent Topeka Capital-Journal article that he would like to have a police helicopter unit and provided a persuasive argument for retaining this capability.

## Candidate Forum

On Wednesday October 1, 2008, the League of Women Voters partnered with KTWU public television to bring viewers in Kansas a live political forum between incumbent Nancy Boyda and challenger Lynn Jenkins. The candidates are vying for a seat in the US House of Representatives 2nd Congressional District. The forum opened with local league President Georgia Sandlin giving a brief overview of the League's mission to educate voters on the issues so they can make informed choices at the polls. Nick Haines, KCPT public television, served as the lively moderator for the forum.

Each candidate was asked the same question and was given equal time to state their position on the issue. Questions for the candidates came from the league and members of the general public. Four League members, 2 Democrats and 2 Republicans reviewed all questions from the public. Questions ranged from foreign policy, the economy, health care to same sex marriage.

The League was pleased to have the Washburn Student Government Association participate in the studio audience and answer the phones. There was much community interest in this forum as this was the first of the two candidates to debate the issues.

The League wishes to thank all its members who volunteered their time to make the candidate forum such a success. A special thank you needs to go to the people at KTWU for their support and technical assistance.

## Replay of Candidate Forum

OCTOBER 28, 2008

9:00 pm

KTWU-TV, CHANNEL 11 WILL REPLAY THE

OCTOBER 1 CANDIDATE FORUM

BETWEEN LYNN JENKINS AND NANCY BOYDA

CO-SPONSORED BY

KTWU AND LEAGUE WOMEN VOTERS OF TOPEKA/SHAWNEE

# Government Issues Dinner

**MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS!  
GOVERNMENTAL ISSUES DINNER**

**McFarland's Restaurant**

**4133 Gage Center**

**NOVEMBER 19, 2008**

**Cost of \$16.00 includes tax & gratuity**

**CITY AND COUNTY ELECTED OFFICIALS ARE INVITED**

## **Special Note**

McFarland's will allow wine to be brought in by the League, but you also must bring in your own plastic glasses and serve it yourself. McFarland's is not allowed to handle it at all so no McFarland's server can legally help you.

**The League needs a head count by November 17.**

## **LWVUS STUDY: NATIONAL POPULAR VOTE COMPACT**

As much as we like to believe that each vote counts in this country, in reality, the Electoral College has distorted our idealistic view of democratic elections. The current League position supports abolishment of the Electoral College which would require a constitutional amendment. Realizing the difficulty in passing a constitutional amendment, a movement has been underway in this country to achieve the national popular vote with a compact between states. Under the NPV Compact all of the electoral votes of each member state would go to the presidential candidate receiving the most popular votes in all 50 states and the District of Columbia. This interstate compact would not go into effect until enough states have joined to guarantee the 270 electoral votes required to elect a president. Thus far, it has been

adopted in four states: Maryland, New Jersey, Illinois and Hawaii. Legislation has passed one or more chambers in another 9 states.

Because of the busy election season this fall and to give Leagues a maximum amount of time to study the issue and take consensus, the deadline for submitting consensus forms will be May 1, 2009. The LWVTSC Board has determined there is enough interest to pursue this study. Watch for information in 2009.

This information was taken from The National Voter, Oct. 2008

# Board Briefs

## Mary Kopp, secretary

September 9, 2008

**12 BODs were present for the Directors meeting. Treasurer, Sybil Weigman report was approved and filed for audit.**

**President's announcements:**

Mary Kopp has agreed to fill in as secretary until the end of this Board's term in April. Teresa Stambaugh will take notes when Mary cannot attend a Board meeting.

President Sandlin discussed use of undesignated funds and convened a task force for further exploration.

**Membership Event- Nancy Shaughnessy**

This year's new member event will be held at Topeka Collegiate School on Evening Side Drive on Thursday, October 23rd. 4-6:30 p.m. The event will be a movie regarding the Suffragette Butterfly with Hillary Swank. A recent movie regarding the Suffragette Movement. Reminder cards were mailed to membership. Bring a guest.

**KTWU candidate forum**

Maryanne Quilty has arranged for the 2<sup>nd</sup> District representative political forum to be held at KTWU station on Washburn University cam-

pus at 8p.m.

**Governor's Issue Dinner**

Gwen Elliott and Brenda Guilfoyle have arranged for the Governor's Issue Dinner on Wednesday, November 19<sup>th</sup> at 5:30- 8:30 p.m., McFarland's Restaurant

Reservations in advance, dinner is \$16.00 (includes tax and gratuity), make checks payable to LWV

**Voter Registration**

Kids Voting Kansas will be held at several locations on November 4<sup>th</sup> election day.

Naturalization ceremony will be Friday, September 12<sup>th</sup> at the Federal Courthouse

October 14, 2008

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**President's announcements**

The candidate forum in partnership with KTWU went well. Maryanne Quilty was acknowledged for her work on the project as well as all the board members who helped by answering phones, screening questions or timing the responses.

**Setting of annual meeting**

After much discussion regarding Saturday vs. Tuesday

annual meeting a motion was made to convene the LWVT/SC annual meeting on Tuesday Topic April 7, 2008.

Topic for annual meeting is LWVT/SC local position issues

**Budget Committee**

A budget task force was convened.

The budget will be published in the Mar/Apr Kansas Voter, 30 days before the April general membership meeting.

The budget committee will consist of BOD treasurer, 1 BOD member and two off BOD members.

**Program planning committee**

Committee will select local topic issues for the Voice Meeting, Thursday Jan 15th.

Topics of interest should be sent to Marg Ahrens prior to Jan 15th.

**LWVUS Study on National Popular Vote**

National LWV/USA has embarked upon a one year study on the issue of National Popular Vote.

The local study committee members are Maryanne Quilty, Georgia Sandlin, and Gwen Elliott. Please contact them if you are interested in participating.

# County Commission Meetings

By Georgia Sandlin

## **August 14, 2008**

It is gratifying to see democracy at work and this morning at the County Commission meeting it was working. There were three Public Hearings on the agenda. Some gentlemen from the Urish Road neighborhood came to the commission meeting to find out what the proposed resolution "was all about". They seemed satisfied with the answers they received.

Signs used by the parks and Recreation Department are open for bids. The advertising placed on the signs is expected to save the tax payers money.

Work on the budget for Shawnee County government continues. Department heads were at the meeting to answer questions and justify the need for the funds they needed. The corrections department wants to hire 15 more employees because the prison population is growing and they are mandated to have a certain number of personnel for the number prison residents. Overtime costs more than hiring more people. There were happy faces when Anne Freeze of the health department withdrew a request for \$381,000 in tax support. Final action was not taken on the budget at this meeting.

## **August 18, 2008**

The 2009 budget is still on the table at the commission meeting this morning. Some differences of opinion are cropping up between commissioners themselves and Marti Leisinger, county financial administrator. The three areas of disagreement today are the budgets for the Shawnee County District Court, the district attorney's office and the sheriff's salary. Cognizant of the fact that the tax payers do not want the taxes raised, Commissioner Miller made a point of repeating his philosophy on budget stating his goal is to appropriate only what is necessary to operate regardless of whether it increases or decreases the mill levy. Commissioner Buhler noted that taxpayers are interested in what they are required to pay. Final budget decisions are still pending.

## **August 25, 2008**

The commissioners learned "National Seat Check Saturday" will be September 20 this year. Cindy Sleeper informed the commissioners that attaching a safety seat for children in a vehicle is not easy, hence, the need for a check.

Sometimes the county commissioners authorize a contract with towns in the

county to provide services for a price. The commissioners approved a contract with Silver Lake for services from the planning department for \$50 an hour.

Although they may not have the authority to act, the commissioners demonstrated sympathy for one couple's problem. In the past, residents with property along 46<sup>th</sup> street were paid to not have access to 46<sup>th</sup> St. in anticipation of 46<sup>th</sup> St. being a major thoroughfare around Topeka. Whether this restriction continues to apply was left to Tom Vlach to resolve.

## **August 28, 2008**

This mornings county commission meeting opened with one of those heart-warming ceremonies. Commissioner Ensley was honored by the Native Americans of Shawnee county for his help in getting access to Lake Shawnee, beginning 18 years ago, for the annual Pow Wow.

A chunk of time was devoted to the plans for improvement of the pump system for Lake Sherwood. Engineers brought diagrams and data to enlighten those at the meeting. The engineers explained the preliminary study findings as only engineers can. The selling points seem

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to be that people would no longer have backup sewer in their basements and the cost of \$3,500,000, as managed, would not raise the ire of residents.

John Knight, parks and recreation, was given permission to submit a proposal to the city of Topeka for management of the Cypress Ridge Golf Course. Mr. Knight has been successful managing Lake Shawnee Golf Course and Forbes Field Golf Course and said he felt confident he could do another.

#### **September 4, 2008**

When a department doesn't come to the commission for several months requests get back logged. This was the case when the Expo-centre administrators requested 10 items ranging from paint sticks to insurance claims. Other requests were approved from the health department, appraiser, corrections and information technology. Approvals came to a halt when a request was made to waive the bidding process for a trenching project. If there are no time constraints the commissioners prefer to take bids.

Barry Beagle of the planning department, brought two recommendations from the planning commission. One request involved a small Medical Care Facility and the

other was for a community center and fire district annex.

#### **September 8, 2008**

This meeting lasted only 10 minutes with business taken care of with few questions. Anne Freeze Health Agency, very often finds grant money to support her programs. This morning the commissioners approved a contract to be funded by grant money to convert electronic equipment. The commissioners approved the purchase of a Blackberry for Eric Theel, new head of Information Technology. It is interesting that Public Works couldn't find a qualified person for the Survey Technician position that was advertised. They will attempt to fill a Survey Assistant position and train that person. Last on the agenda, a resolution was approved that would allow a medical facility in a residential area. The facility would house 8 people in need of supervised nursing care.

#### **September 11, 2008**

The bulk of this meeting was spent discussing a proposed plan for DUI offenders. According to the plan, first or second time offenders, at the discretion of the judge, would be required to participate in the "Intervention Program" instead of being sent to jail. The rub came when commissioners were told the people would be locked in at the Ramada Inn since there is no other available facility at this

time. Even though Judge Conklin spoke in favor of the program and it was reported that Wichita and Johnson housed their similar programs in motels the commissioners were not comfortable with the perception of "a weekend at the Ramada." No action was taken.

Other less interesting requests and contracts were approved (3-0) with few or no questions.

#### **September 15, 2008**

Commissioners approved the low bid to replace the roof at the Shawnee North Community Center. Dr. Erik Mitchell, County Coroner, came requesting out-of-state travel for an investigator and petty cash funds for his department. Both were granted. However, the bidding process for purchase of trash containers was not clear enough to the commissioners so more information will be brought to the next meeting before purchase is approved.

#### **September 18, 2008**

The bidding process for trash containers was addressed under Unfinished Business. Apparently, different size containers are bid on separately and the last purchasing was done in 2006. Mr. Bolton of the refuse department told the commissioners it was confusing. They looked confused as they perused the papers he gave them but they approved the purchases.

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Anne Freeze did not get approval for the contract with KDHE to monitor air quality in the county. Although she contended that the county does a better job than the state the commissioners took no action until they received more information. The vote was 2-1, Commissioner Miller voted no, for a speaker and trainer for Workforce Development Day.

Commissioner Miller abstained from voting on the purchase of land that would provide access from East Shawnee Estates to the trail around Lake Shawnee. The commissioner lives in that area.

Elizabeth Ensley was granted travel money for out-of-state travel. Ms Ensley is secretary of the International Association of Clerks, Records, Election Officials and Treasurers and this will be their planning meeting.

Under Administrative Communications Anne Freeze and Gianfranco Pizaano reported on "Flu Vaccination Focus 2008-2009 Season." An immunization project for all the county school districts is underway by the Shawnee County Health Department. Dr. Gianfranco Pizzano, Shawnee County Health Officer, reported the need to immunize the children in the county as it has been established they are the principal carriers. The goal is to immunize at least 6,000 school aged children.

### **September 22, 2008**

The Downtown Optimist Club presented \$1,000 to the Shawnee County Juvenile De-

tention Center for reading material and equipment. This Optimist organization has conducted a reading program, reading with the kids at the detention center for 10 years.

Anne Freeze of the health agency reported to the commission that the organization of health services is moving toward 'regionalization'. Many of the contracts for funding having to do with such programs as WIC, Medicare, and others with KDHE will cover more than one county.

After approving other purchases the commission approve the establishment of an EPR oversight committee to replace the transition committee which assisted with the implementation of the new ERP system from SunGard BiTech. The Oversight Committee will have nine voting members and four advisory members.

### **September 25, 2008**

This meeting began with the honoring of two retiring county employees. These events bring forth some heart-warming stories, light-hearted jibes and a plaque. Deputy John Barber served in the Sheriff's office since 1979 and Sheila Hodges in the County Clerk's Office since 2001.

Commissioner Buhler was not at the meeting but a large bear occupied her chair. Commissioner Miller conducted the meeting with his distinctive flair. The commissioners voted to award a bid for a bridge that is not a bridge but a culvert. They also approved requests from Anne Freeze of the health agency with few questions.

### **September 29, 2008**

There was standing room only at the Shawnee County Commission meeting. Requests from the county treasurer, D.A.'s office, ExpoCentre, parks and recreation, and health agency were approved quickly. The business of a new fire station for Shawnee County Fire District #1, was addressed by hearing reports from both sides of the issue. Barry Beagle, planning director and Tom Vlach, public works director of Shawnee County, gave evidence that would indicate that the sight chosen was reasonable. The fire chief of Silver Lake gave the history of the search for an appropriate building site and the reason this location was chosen. However, the residents of the area (at least 30 in the room) were convinced that the location was not suitable for a fire station and their opinion prevailed. suitable for a fire station and their opinion prevailed. A vote of 3-0 was needed and Commissioner Buhler indicated she would not vote for the resolution so further discussion was suspended and it was not approved.

### **October 2, 2008**

Marti Leisinger, county audit finance director, was appointed as chair of the Tax Exemption Review Committee for the application of Del Monte Foods. The commissioners also approved a contract that would provide in-home nursing services for developmentally delayed children 0-3. This contract is funded by a grant.

Mark Hixon, county appraiser, requested approval for a contract for Web hosting services. From the county's Web site peo-

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ple will be able to bring up aerial views of property in Shawnee County. I guess it would be useful if you want to know what is in your neighbor's backyard. It was also touted as useful for those interested in economic development. This was approved 3-0.

Some time was spent discussing the upcoming goat milking contest between the commissioners. Apparently, each commissioner will be working with a partner and would need to get the milk from the goat into a baby bottle. All this fun is for charity.

#### **October 6, 2008**

This Monday's meeting was not long enough for this observer to finish her coffee. The commissioners approved contracts for "as needed" nursing services and an investigator for the coroner's office. They also approved new software for the health agency. Some time was spent congratulating Commissioner Ensley for being the best goat milker. The meeting was adjourned.

#### **October 9, 2008**

Tom Vlach, of public works department, is getting ready for winter. At this meeting he requested actions regarding de-icing salt, sand, and liquid calcium for snow and ice control. The cost of salt has risen dramatically, due to hauling costs. Mr. Vlach reported that last year the county paid \$41.51 a ton, the best price he could this year was \$65.12 a ton. With the amount the county has on hand and the new purchase Mr. Vlach expects it to be sufficient for an average winter.

The commissioners are

reluctant to waive the bidding process for purchases. Steve Bolton, of the refuse department, reported there was no choice because the parts he needed came from only one source.

Commissioner Buhler will represent Shawnee County as a voting delegate at the annual Kansas Association of Counties Conference.

#### **October 13, 2008**

Boy Scouts were in attendance today to meet requirements for a Scout badge. When the commissioners asked what one characteristic the scouts would consider important in an elected official the one reply was "Thrift". All three commissioners nodded their heads.

When Mark Hixson requested the purchase of folding table to replace old ones Commissioner Buhler suggested he look for some that were not being used in other county departments first. However, the commissioners did agree to the purchase of a personal property appraisal system to be compatible with the new computer system for the county.

#### **October 16, 2008**

The Shawnee County Commission meeting was filmed for broadcast at 7:00PM on the city channel, CITY 4.. From now on each meeting will be broadcast Monday and Thursday evenings at 7:00 PM except for the third Monday when the Planning Commission meeting is filmed live.

Anne Freeze of the health agency asked the commission to solicit bids for carpet

cleaning services because, in her opinion, the current services were too high. That was approved.

Rich Davis requested \$9300 for additional costs to a construction project that was approved in June. Part of the extra costs were incurred because the contractor didn't know the new building codes. Commissioner Miller wondered why a contractor wouldn't know the building codes and the commission went into executive session. When the meeting was reconvened part of the request was denied. Can you guess which part?

### **CONTRIBUTION**

A contribution has been received from Linda Hughes of Duncanville, Texas to honor the memory of Debby Shaler. Linda wrote that Debby "...cared deeply about how our society might best work. I present this small gift to an organization that supports and active citizenry as a tribute to Debby, her legacy of friendship, and her commitment to the future." Thank you, Linda, for inspiring us to continue our work in the LWV.

**ADDRESS CORRECTION REQUESTED**

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