



League of Women Voters of Orange, Durham, and Chatham Counties
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Ms. Sally Kost
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Dear Sally:

We are very pleased that you have accepted our invitation to participate in the League of Women Voters candidates forum on Saturday, October 20, from 2 P.M. to 4 P.M., at CCCC. Please arrive at least 15 minutes prior to the start of the forum so that we can review how the microphone works, draw for your speaking order, discuss any last minutes questions, etc.

As I mentioned in the letter of invitation, the forum format will not promote or advance one candidate over another and will allow the candidates to appear concurrently in a medium where ideas and views on particular issues are exchanged. The forum will follow a traditional question and answer with timed responses format. The moderator will explain the rules of the forum to the audience and then invite the candidates to give opening remarks, which should not exceed 30 seconds. The candidates' questions will be developed by the League, and several may be selected from their Facebook page prior to the forum. In addition, the League will select several questions from the audience at the forum to give to the moderator to ask. Sixty seconds will be provided to the candidates for closing remarks. Included with this letter are the League's forum rules in more detail. Please read and let me know if you have any questions.

Press releases about the candidates forum have been sent to media outlets and organizations in Chatham, and flyers will soon be distributed around the community. I have included a copy of the press release and flyer for your information. If you want to make sure that a particular group has received either a press release or flyer, please let me know who they are. I will check to see if one has been sent, and if not, I will ensure that the information go out as you request.

We look forward to your participation in the forum and support in informing Chatham citizens about your candidacy. Again, please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely yours,

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