

Subject: Training for New Know Your Government Workshops begins February 4

***“Fact or Fake: Exploring the Role of Media in Politics.”***

LWVW, in collaboration with  
the Westchester Library System (WLS)  
launches the second in its series Know Your Government

Facebook, Twitter, CNN, Fox, newspapers, podcasts, blogs...the variety and volume of news outlets can be mesmerizing and overwhelming!

**Fact or Fake: Exploring the Role of Media in Politics is designed to engage our communities in active discussions of how technology is influencing political change like never before and developing strategies for assessing the reliability of media content.**

**These 90-minute non-partisan civics workshops are free, open to all and topics include:**

- **Spotting media biases and fake news**
- **Benefits a comprehensive media diet**
- **Different ways to access news**

**WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TO HELP WITH THE WORKSHOPS AND YOU ARE PERFECT FOR THE JOB!**

Using a prepared presentation, League publications, and suggested small group discussion questions, moderators will be trained to successfully lead a workshop. Training sessions will be offered at WLS branches and to other interested community organizations at their locations.

**Initial 2-hour Training Sessions are scheduled at the WSL Offices, 570 Taxter Rd, #400, Elmsford on:**

- **Monday, February 4, 6pm-8pm**
- **Thursday, February 7, 10am-Noon and 6pm-8pm**
- **Friday, February 8, 10am-Noon**

To register your interest in becoming a moderator or to learn more about this program, email [leaguevote411@gmail.com](mailto:leaguevote411@gmail.com) or call Marjorie Hsu [\(617\) 877-7067](tel:6178777067) or Susan Schwarz at [\(914\) 332-1301](tel:9143321301).  
LVVW is already booking dates and locations for these workshops and will continue to run them through the year.

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