MEMBER ACTION POLICY OF LWVSC

Members may act in the name of the League of Women Voters only when authorized to do so by the proper Board of Directors. Prior to making a statement representing the League of Women Voters of Schenectady County and prior to agreeing to co-sponsor a program with another organization, a committee chair must first obtain approval of the committee members, assure that the statement or co-sponsoring organization is not in conflict with State or National League positions and then obtain approval of the Board.

If there is an urgent issue requiring immediate action of the Board (in between regularly scheduled board meetings), a majority of the board members could approve an action by e-mail, which would require ratification by a vote at the next official Board meeting, or it could be approved by phone. Advance approval for decision-making could be given to a committee by the Board during a regularly scheduled meeting.