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## **AS VOTER REGISTRATION DEADLINE NEARS, LEAGUE LAUNCHES NEW VOTER SUPPORT HOTLINE**

Tallahassee, FL --The countdown clock to Florida's voter registration deadline is ticking, with less than three weeks to go until October 9. That's why the League of Women Voters of Florida Education Fund has moved its already active voter registration and support campaign into even higher gear with the addition of a Voter Assistance Hotline, 1-855-FL-VOTER (1-855-358-6837).

Hotline callers can get answers to their questions about how changes in Florida's election law affect them. They can also learn where and how to register to vote, how to check and verify their voter registration information, how to change a name or address, update their signature, find the location of their polling place, and request a vote-by-mail ballot, along with other vital registration information.

"Registration is the key to ensuring that all voters have the chance to make their voices heard on Election Day. Every single vote counts," said League President Deirdre Macnab. "Our members throughout the state are making renewed face-to-face efforts to boost registration and compensate for lost time, and we're pleased to add this Voter Assistance Hotline to supplement their efforts."

Through the Voter Assistance Hotline, callers can also schedule League speakers who stand ready to provide groups and organizations with information on the amendments and issues that will appear on the November 6 ballot.

The Voter Assistance Hotline is just the latest addition to the League's growing list of resources for voters.

The League's nonpartisan 2012 Florida Election and Voter Guide is available at public libraries and through local Leagues and other organizations in all 67 counties. In the coming week, the Guide (which is available in Spanish) will also be inserted in newspapers across the state.

Also available online for voters, [www.BeReadyToVote.org](http://www.BeReadyToVote.org), a one-stop site packed with information for registered voters and those who want to register.

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