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LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS ASKS STUDENTS: HAVE YOU DONE IT YET?

Have you done it yet?

That's the question the League of Women Voters of Florida is asking college and university students.

Have you registered to vote?

If you haven't, the countdown clock is ticking. The deadline for voter registration is October 9. If you haven't registered by then, you're out of luck. You won't have a voice on Election Day, November 6. And you won't have a say on decisions that will shape your future.

Even if you're already registered, check your voter status. Florida's voting laws have changed, and you don't want to risk being turned away on Election Day. If you've moved recently, you need to be sure that you're registered at your current address and know your precinct location.

The League's one-stop voter website, www.BeReadyToVote.org, guides you through the process of registering to vote as well as checking your voter status.



Scan to visit www.BeReadyToVote.org.

When you register or update your status, you have an important choice to make: Where you'll vote. Deciding whether you want to vote based on a hometown address or a college address, if they differ, is important, since it determines which offices and issues you'll vote on.

"Students may want to register at their college address for convenience," says League President Deirdre Macnab. "They won't have to leave town to vote. And if they vote early or on Election Day, they won't have to depend on family or friends to forward their absentee ballot from home."

She adds, "This year's ballot, with 11 constitutional amendments, is complex, and the League is encouraging all voters, including students, to study the candidates and issues in advance so they'll

be ready to vote this election season."

BeReadyToVote.org also contains the League's nonpartisan 2012 Election & Voter Guide, which includes nonpartisan information on national and statewide candidates as well as the proposed constitutional amendments that will appear on the ballot.

Additionally, the League has a toll-free voter assistance hotline, 1-855-FL-VOTER (1-855-358-6837), to answer students' questions. Local Supervisors of Elections offices also stand ready to help students register to vote.

The League urges you: Be ready to vote.

You'll never forget your first time.

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The League of Women Voters of Florida, a nonpartisan political organization, encourages informed and active participation in government, works to increase understanding of major public policy issues, and influences public policy through education and advocacy. For more information, please visit the League's website at: www.TheFloridaVoter.org.