



League of Women Voters of Greater Youngstown
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**FIVE DISTINGUISHED WOMEN TO BE INDUCTED INTO THE
LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF GREATER YOUNGSTOWN
WOMEN'S HALL OF FAME**

YOUNGSTOWN – The League of Women Voters of Greater Youngstown (LWVGY) will induct five accomplished women into the LWVGY Women's Hall of Fame during Women's History Month on March 29, 2016, 6:00 – 8:30 p.m. at the Canfield Branch of the Mahoning County Public Library.

The League of Women Voters is a **nonpartisan** citizens' organization that has fought since 1920 to improve our government and engage all citizens in the decisions that impact their lives. In honor of the League's 95th year, the League of Women Voters of Greater Youngstown will recognize women of high achievement. The selected honorees' contributions have made significant and lasting impressions in education, social justice, civil rights, voting rights, revitalization and the arts.

The honorees include: **Detrinalyn Benson**, Learning Center Manager, The Boys & Girls Club of Youngstown; **Joyce Kale-Pesta**, Director, Mahoning County Board of Elections; **Suzyn Schwebel Epstein**, Community Volunteer, Philanthropist; **The Honorable Cheryl L. Waite**, Ohio Court of Appeals, Seventh Appellate District; **Penny Wells**, Mahoning Valley Sojourn to the Past.

The event will include a presentation by **Jan Leach**, Associate Professor, Kent State University, School of Journalism and Mass Communication entitled: **"10 Questionable Ethics Decisions and What to Do When People Behave Badly"**

Who: League of Women Voters of Greater Youngstown – www.lwvgy.net
What: 2016 League of Women Voters of Greater Youngstown Women's Hall of Fame
When: March 29, 2016, 6:00 – 8:30 p.m.
Where: Canfield Public Library, Canfield, Ohio
Cost: In lieu of admission, tax deductible donations are accepted for the LWVGY Education Fund

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