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LWV-US Immigration Discussion Group invites you to attend a discussion on Immigrant Rights

Protecting the Rights of Immigrants: What Can We Do Now?

Wednesday, November 18, 2026

4 pm (Pacific) 5 pm (Mountain)
6 pm (Central) 7 pm (Eastern)

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Dr. Susan Martin, Donald G. Herzberg Professor Emerita of International Migration at Georgetown University. Susan has served as the President of the League of Women Voters of the San Juans and currently serves on the Board of LWV-Washington.



Lydia Zepeda has 13 years experience visiting and advocating for immigrants in detention. She is the immigrants issues chair for LWV-Washington. She is professor emerita of University of Wisconsin-Madison and fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Susan Martin and Lydia Zepeda, members of the LWV-US Immigration Discussion Group, will discuss the new LWV position on immigrant rights, passed overwhelmingly at the LWV National Convention in June. They will focus on how local Leagues can use the new statement to lobby for immigrant rights at state and local governments. They will also provide an update on national proposed laws such as the DREAM and Promise Act.
Susan and Lydia are co-authors of *Welcoming Immigrants to Washington State* and led the team that brought to concurrence the LWVUS position on Protecting the Rights of Immigrants.

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