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Stockton College to Host League of Women Voters Freeholders Forum

Forum Set for Oct. 19

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Galloway Township, NJ- The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey will host the League of Women Voters Freeholders Forum on **Monday, October 19, 2009** at **6:30 p.m.** in the Performing Arts Center on the Galloway Township campus. The William J. Hughes Technical Center for Public Policy and the Press of Atlantic City are the event's co-sponsors.

The forum will feature the following six individuals running for the Freeholder position in Atlantic County:

At-Large: Angelo DeMaoi (D) and Frank Giordano (R)
District 2: John Devlin (D) and Frank Formica (R)
District 5: Sam Mento III (D) and James Curcio (R)

Corinne Robinson, from the Cape May County chapter of the League of Women Voters, will serve as the forum moderator. Each candidate will have one and a half minutes to give an opening statement. Afterwards, each candidate will be given two minutes to answer the following two questions:

- What kind of economic development would you propose to cushion the seasonal nature of the many jobs in Atlantic County?
- The development of Atlantic City International Airport is critical not only for the casino industry, but also for all the businesses it supports. What measures would you propose to increase the viability of the airport and who should pay for it?

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The audience will be invited to submit questions on cards provided at the forum, and each candidate will be given one and a half minutes to respond. The forum will end with each candidate delivering a two minute closing statement.

The League of Women Voters, founded in 1920, is a nonpartisan political organization with leagues in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, and Hong Kong, in addition to hundreds of local leagues nationwide. The League of Women Voters strives to improve our systems of government, to impact public policies through citizen education and advocacy, to increase understanding of major public policy, and to make democracy work for all citizens.

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