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MEDIA ADVISORY  
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## Lafayette Chapter to Host State Convention

The League of Women Voters of Lafayette will host the biennial convention of the state organization, the League of Women Voters of Louisiana, on March 21 and 22.

The convention will feature an educational seminar concerning Louisiana's juvenile justice system titled "Too Much, Too Many At risk: Opportunities for Intervention, Education, and Prevention."

Keynote speaker will be Rep. John Schroeder, Chair of the Task Force for Legal Representation in Child Protection Cases, who will address the topic of current and proposed juvenile justice legislation. Rep. Schroeder's address will be presented at a banquet on Saturday, March 21, at 7:00 p.m.

The convention will also feature a video address by Lt. Gov. Mitch Landrieu.

All convention events will take place at the Holiday Inn Lafayette, 2032 NE Evangeline Thruway.

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*About the League of Women Voters of Lafayette:* We are a nonpartisan political organization that works to influence public policy through informed and active participation in government, increased understanding of major public policy issues, and education. We network with other service groups that do not endorse candidates for office, seeking common ground to foster positive change for all the people of Lafayette Parish.

