



LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS  
OF MARTHA'S VINEYARD

April 1, 2010

Dear Candidate;

The League of Women Voters of Martha's Vineyard is pleased to invite you to participate in the Chilmark Candidates' Forum on Thursday, April 14 at 7:00 p.m. at the Chilmark Library

Each candidate for office will have an opportunity to give brief opening remarks. Contested candidates will have up to five minutes each to speak about their personal experiences and qualifications, as well as their goals, if elected. Uncontested candidates will have up to three minutes each to do the same. A question and answer period will follow. Contested candidates will be allowed to ask questions of each other after the public has had an opportunity to question them. Even if you are running unopposed, it is a courtesy to the voters to appear and answer any questions they may have. The session will be videotaped for MVTV.

**R.S.V.P.** ~ Please let us know whether or not you will be participating in the Forum by calling me at 508-693-3791 (please leave a message), or via e-mail (bcaphear2@gmail.com), by Wednesday, April 13.

If you are unable to attend and you would like to submit a brief written statement, please send it to me via mail or email to arrive in advance of the meeting. Your statement will be read at the forum.

If you have any questions or comments about the format of the meeting or about voter education related to the election, please don't hesitate to call.

We look forward to an open exchange of ideas and a strong voter turnout.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bea Phear".

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