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# ***The Virginia Voter Express***

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## **2017 Biennial Convention** **“Honoring Our Legacy With Action”**

**June 10 - 11, 2017**

**The Clarion Historic Inn**

1500 E. Market Street, Leesburg, Virginia 20176  
(703) 771-9200      [www.clarioninnleesburg.com](http://www.clarioninnleesburg.com)

Room Rate: \$90/night +tax (Double Occupancy)

**Deadline for Room Reservations is May 12; mention LWV-VA**



### **Convention Speakers Will Challenge Attendees**



banquet speaker on Saturday evening. Her responsibilities include the Supreme Court and U.S. Politics and in that capacity, writes the "Supreme Court Dispatches" and "Jurisprudence" columns. Her work has appeared in the *New York Times*, *Harper's*, *The New Yorker*, *The Washington Post*, and *Commentary*, among other places.

The **Honorable Nancy Rodrigues**, Virginia Secretary of Administration will address voting issues for the 2017 campaigns and other Virginia issues at the Sunday morning plenary session. She was appointed to her present position in December 2013 by Governor Terry McAuliffe. With more than 30 years in public service, Ms. Rodrigues has a wealth of executive expertise and strategic planning experience.



Saturday morning's plenary session will hear from **Lloyd Leonard, Senior Director for Advocacy for LWVUS**, who will report to the Convention on national legislation and voters rights law suits. Also appearing on the program will be **Brenda Rogers, LWVUS Board Liaison to LWV-VA**, who will address some of the issues the LWVUS Board is working on, including the upcoming celebrations for the 100th Anniversary of the League as well as of the 19th Amendment.

### **Saturday Afternoon Breakout Sessions Will Include:**

- Voters' & Civil Rights in Virginia
- What's Next for Redistricting in Virginia?
- Report on the 2017 United Nations Commission on the Status of Women
- Gun Safety: Can the Tide be Turned?
- Transparency Virginia
- ERA: 2 Away!
- and more....

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