1. **Election Integrity**
   a. A concise statement to the point that our democratic system depends on voters’ faith in the integrity of election processes and election outcomes.
   b. A brief statement of the LWV US positions on related areas of election law.

2. **Election Security**
   a. Security of registration and election software applications and databases throughout the Commonwealth of Virginia
   b. Cybersecurity of election equipment, including optical ballot scanners, electronic pollbooks, and servers
   c. Adoption and maintenance of certification standards and recertification if needed to meet or exceed federally set national standards
   d. Post-election audits (risk-limiting audits in particular) and transparency of election results
   e. Physical security of ballots and equipment before and during elections until ballots are remitted to the Court and equipment is securely stored
   f. Review of electronic voting position
   g. Management of in-person absentee voting, particularly in light of new no-excuse absentee voting provision, including security measures for satellite polling places or vote centers.

3. **Ranked Choice Voting**
   a. Study and propose a new election position for LWV-VA

4. **Voter Suppression**
   a. Check and update current position

b. Reinstatement of felons’ right to vote after completion of the terms and conditions of their sentences

c. Extended hours for polling places

d. Add a statement opposing requirement for photo ID at polls

5. **General review of all existing LWV-VA election positions**
   a. Check the positions for current accuracy and relevance

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**Out-of-Scope to this effort**

The following topics, although important to free and fair elections, are considered out-of-scope to this study/update. They may be addressed in future studies or by other means.

1. Social media influence on elections
2. Campaign Finance
3. Funding sources including foreign influence
4. Registration processes except where security is an issue
5. American Anti-corruption Act
6. Automatic Voter Registration
7. Purging of voter rolls
8. Third-party registration (current language concerns parties only)
9. Third-party applications for absentee ballots
10. Third-party handling of absentee ballot submission
11. Redistricting reform
12. Election Funding including state participation or full reimbursement for the cost of election administration and cost of new computer system to replace VERIS