

POSITIONS OF LWV-RMA

NOTE: THESE POSITIONS ARE IN ADDITION TO THOSE POSITIONS ARRIVED AT STATE AND NATIONAL LEVELS

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

A. Equitable Taxation

- 1. Promote property assessment based on uniform standards throughout the county and maintained at full value [1976]**
- 2. Promote use of a sales tax revenue distribution formula that will reduce fiscal disparities among Monroe county municipalities [1982]**

B. Planning and Zoning

- 1. Support of community development based on comprehensive planning at all levels of government [1973]**

C. Structures, Procedures, and Productivity

- 1. Promote governmental structures and procedures that make for effectiveness. Improve productivity and facilitate citizen participation[1973][1976]**
- 2. Promote a budget process that includes documents that are understandable and foster good decision making and summaries that are made widely available and encourage citizen involvement[1976]**

D. Police Services

- 1. Promote an equitable method of financing and a coordinated approach to the delivery of police services [1977]**



E. Redistricting

1. Promote making county legislative districts compact and contiguous as well as equal in proportion and in compliance with the Federal Voting Rights Act, whenever they are redrawn following each decennial census [1966]

NATURAL RESOURCES

A. New York State/Erie Barge Canal

1. Support of reconditioning of the system and its development for recreational purposes [1972][1989]

B. Solid Waste

1. Support of waste reduction, reuse/recycling, and landfills that are or can be engineered to be ecologically acceptable as part of a comprehensive solid waste program [1972][1989]

SOCIAL POLICY

1. Support of measures to incur an adequate supply of housing for persons of low and low-to-moderate income in Monroe and Genesee Counties [1968][2002]
2. Support of measures which would lead to fair housing choice in Monroe and Genesee Counties [2002]

ELECTION PROCESS

1. Promote fair, issue-oriented campaigning and encourage voters to take the initiative to influence the style and type of political campaigns.