

Can We Count on Minnesota's Voting System?

A public forum on the state of elections in Minnesota



**Thursday, September 28, 2006
7:00-9:00 PM**

**St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Community Room
1710 East Superior Street, Duluth**

Enter through the back entrance that is handicapped accessible

Panel Members Include:

Donald Dicklich, St. Louis County Auditor
Judy Hanks, Native Vote Alliance of Minnesota
Mark Halvorson, Citizens for Election Integrity Minnesota
Bill Hilty, Minnesota State Representative
Melissa Taylor, NAACP

Panelists will discuss:

- changes in national and state voting laws
- voter registration issues
- voter disenfranchisement and suppression
- ensuring the accuracy of the vote count
- reauthorization of the Voting Rights Act

The following special needs will be accommodated:

an interpreter for those who are deaf and hard of hearing
a demonstration of the new assistive voting equipment for voters with disabilities
transportation to and from select sites (to arrange call League office 724-0132 by Sept. 20)

The public is invited to attend the forum and stay for a reception and refreshments

Sponsored by the League of Women Voters and Twin Ports Area Nonprofit Coalition, Damiano Center, CHUM, Women's Community Development, NAACP, Safehaven Shelter, Citizens for Election Integrity Minnesota, Center for Independent Living, Community Action Duluth, American Indian Commission, American Indian Community Housing Organization, Lutheran Social Services, Minnesota Citizens Federation-Northeast, East Hillside PATCH, Minnesota Department of Human Services/Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services Division, YWCA.