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League of Women Voters of New Jersey and Partners Co-host a Debate for Candidates Seeking the Congressional Seat in NJ District 11

[Morristown, NJ]: On Monday, October 26, 2026 from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m., five branches of the League of Women Voters of New Jersey (LWV Livingston, LWV Montclair Area, LWV Morris Area, LWV Mountain Lakes, and LWV Maplewood); ACLU of New Jersey; Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Morristown Alumnae Chapter; and New Jersey Hills Media Group are co-sponsoring a debate for candidates seeking the Congressional seat in NJ District 11.

The debate will be held at the Annunciation Center at St. Elizabeth University, 2 Convent Road, Morristown, New Jersey. The venue is ADA accessible.

The Candidates are Republican Joe Hathway and Democrat Analilia Mejia.

Register to attend the debate at https://tinyurl.com/mrt5p8vs. View the livestream on the LWV Morris Area YouTube channel https://youtube.com/@lwvmorrisarea. The community is invited to submit questions by Wednesday, October 21 to https://forms.gle/u73Es5m5rmu2QwcE9.

Saint Elizabeth University Event Conduct and Safety Notice: To ensure a safe, orderly and respectful environment, all attendees are expected to comply with applicable laws, University policies, event procedures and the direction of event and security personnel. Rallies, protests, demonstrations and other organized advocacy activities will not be permitted within the event venue or designated event areas.

Election Day is Tuesday, November 3 from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m. Vote early in person on a machine from October 24 to November 1. Apply to vote-by-mail online until October 27, or in person at your County Clerk's office on weekdays until Monday, November 2 at 3 p.m.

To register, apply to vote-by-mail, locate early voting polls, check voter status, and find out more about voting at the NJ Division of Elections, visit https://www.nj.gov/state/elections/vote.shtml.

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The **League of Women Voters** is a nonpartisan, grassroots civic organization that encourages informed and active participation in government, works to increase understanding of major public policy issues, and influences public policy through education and advocacy. The League does not support or oppose any political candidate or party. Membership in the League is open to people 16 years and older of all gender identities.

The **ACLU of New Jersey** has defended liberty and justice guided by the vision of a fair and equitable New Jersey for all since our founding in 1960. Our mission is to preserve, advance, and

expand the individual rights and liberties guaranteed by the state and federal constitutions in courts, in the legislature, and in our communities. We strive to be anti-racist and are actively committed to advancing racial justice for the people of New Jersey. We are a non-partisan organization that operates across political, legal, and cultural fronts to bring about change and build a more equitable society.

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority is a not-for-profit organization of college-educated women committed to the constructive development of its members and to public service with a primary focus on the Black community. Its purpose is to provide assistance and support through established programs in local communities throughout the world. The organization does not support or oppose any political candidate or party.

New Jersey Hills Media Group is a digital local news provider of 13 publications covering 51 towns in Essex, Hunterdon, Morris and Somerset counties. We engage and inform the towns we serve with community-driven, professional and fact-based news and feature reporting that inspires civic participation and strengthens democracy.