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**PUBLIC INVITED TO TOWN CANDIDATE DEBATE SPONSORED BY LWV
Thursday, October 22, 7 p.m. Candidates for Southampton Town Supervisor, Town Board
and Suffolk County Legislature**

As a public service, the League of Women Voters of the Hamptons and The Southampton Press will be co-sponsoring a free debate on Thursday, October 22, 7 p.m. at Southampton's Rogers Memorial Library, 91 Coopers Farm Road, to enable voters to hear the candidates for Suffolk County Legislature, Southampton Town Supervisor and Town Board and to question them about important issues in the November 3 general election.

Invited to debate are the two candidates for Town Supervisor—Linda Kabot and Anna Throne-Holst—and the four candidates for two Town Board seats—Bridget Fleming, Jim Malone, Chris Nuzzi and Sally Pope.

In addition, making a statement rather than debating, since he is unopposed, will be Suffolk County legislator Jay Schneiderman, who is running for reelection to the 2nd Legislative District seat.

The format for the debate will consist of the candidates making timed opening and closing statements and answering questions from a panel of local newspaper editors, as well as from members of the audience. Newspaper editors participating are Joe Shaw of the Southampton Press and Bryan Boyhan of the Sag Harbor Express.

Moderating the Southampton debate will be LWV past president Barbara Jordan of East Hampton. Members of the League will also serve as timekeepers.

The debate will be videotaped by SEA-TV for later viewing on Southampton's public access channel 22. For those not living in Southampton Town, the program can be seen on their Web site at www.town.southampton.ny.us at the same time the debate is showing on channel 22.

Further information is available from Anne Marshall, the League's voter services chair and debate organizer, at 631-537-3257.

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