

LWVMI Legislative Status		2023-24					
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Non-Legislative Issues		Category	Summary	LWVMI position	Status	Action by LWVMI	
1	National Popular Vote	Voting Rights	Join that National Popular Vote compact	Support	See HB 4156 & SB 126	1/3/23 coalition sent letter to legislators, LWVMI signed on. 2/27/23 sent action alert	
2	Expansion of Camp Grayling	Natural Resources	Proposal to expand Camp Grayling	Oppose	Sent 2 letters in 2022	4/28/23 MI Department of Military and Veteran's Affairs request was declined by the MI Department of Natural Resources. Memorandum filed to allow some military training exercises on state land under a new agreement. HTTps://www.michigan.gov/dnr/-/media/project/websites/dnr/doc uments/PublicLands/Camp- Grayling/MOU.pdf?utm_medium= pr&utm_source=govdelivery	
3	Line 5	Natural Resources	End line 5	Support	Working with Oil & Water Don't Mix		
4	Implement Proposal 2 2022	Voting Rights	Working SOS and PTV and others	Support	on-going	4/20/23 Joined with other groups sending letter to key legislators in support of more money to implement Proposal 2	
5	Implement Proposal 1 2022 MI Constitution, Article IV Section 10	Transparency	Legislature must pass a law by December 31, 2023 to address financial transparency. Reporting takes place on 4/15/24	Support	Bill not introduced yet		
6	MEMJ letter	Energy	Urge swift action to hold utilities accountable for power outage	Support	Letter sent 2/28/23	3/21/23 LWVMI provided testimony at MPSC hearing	
7	Federal designations for land	Natural Resources	Identify land in UP	Support		Joined coalition in 2022 https://www.keeptheupwild.com	
8	Juvenile Detention Facility	Children & Youth	Build new facility in northern MI, \$50 million needed for construction	Support	Letter sent to specific people on 3/14/2023		
9	Campaign Finance Lobby Day	Money in Politics	Tell legislators to pass reforms	Support	April 27, 2023, Lansing	LWVMI presented at press conference	

MI Legislative Bills LWVMI has taken a position		Yellow means it has been signed into law or vetoed.			
Bill Number	Program Position	Summary	LWVMI position	Status	Action by LWVMI
1 HB 4001 (Similar to SB 3)	Social Services	Earned Income Tax expansion	Support	Signed: March 7, 2023, Effective: 90 days after sine die PA 4 of 2023	Supported in committee process
2 HB 4003 (Similar to SB 4)	Equal Opportunity	Adds sexual orientation and gender identity to Elliott-Larsen Civil Rights Act	Support	Reported from House Judiciary Committee and passed House 3/8/23. Vote 64-45. 3/9/23 Assigned to Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary & Public Safety Committee.	See SB 4
3 HB 4006 (Similar to SB 39)	Reproductive Choice	Repeals Sec 14 of PA 328 of 1931	Support	Passed House 3/2/23 (58-50) and Passed Senate 3/8/23 (20-18) PA 11 of 2023	LWVMI supported in committee.
4 HB 4031 (Same as SB 38)	Reproductive Choice	Repeals Sec 33b of PA 232 1953	Support	3/1/23 Reported out of House Judiciary Committee, 2nd reading in the House.	LWVMI supported in committee.
5 HB 4032 (Same as SB 37)	Reproductive Choice	Repeals Sec 16a Ch XV11 Of 1927	Support	Passed House 3/2/23 (58-50) and Passed Senate 3/8/23 (20-18) PA 13 of 2023	LWVMI supported in committee.
6 HB 4127	Voting Rights	Prohibits firearms within 100 ft of voting, places, absentee counting boards, absentee voting boxes.	Support	3/7/23 Reported substitute from House Elections Committee, hearing. On second reading in House.	
7 HB 4128	Voting Rights	Penalties for violation HB 4127	Support	3/7/23 Reported substitute from House Elections Committee, hearing. On second reading in House.	
8 HB 4129	Voting Rights	Prohibits harassment of election workers	Support	In House Elections Committee	
9 HB 4130	Voting Rights	Provides felony penalties for harassing election workers	Support	In House Elections Committee	

10	HB 4138 (Same as SB 76)	Gun Safety	Requires background check	Support	3/8/23, reported from House Judiciary Committee with substitute, 3/8/23 passed House (56-54). 3/23/23 Senate adopted House substitute, (20-18) no IE. 4/13/23 Signed by Governor, PA 19 of 2023	LWVMI supported in committee 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.
11	HB 4139 (Similar to SB 80)	Gun Safety	Sentencing guidelines for violating background check	Support	3/22/23 Reported substitute by House Judiciary Committee (7-4-1); 3/22/23 Passed House with IE. (61-47) 4/26/23 referred to Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary & Public Safety Committee.	LWVMI supported in committee. 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.
12	HB 4140 (Similar to SB 82)	Gun Safety	Exempts purchase of gun safety devices from use tax	Support	3/22/23 Reported substitute by House Judiciary Committee (7-5) 3/22/23 Passed House with IE (64-44) 4/26/23 Referred to Senate Finance, Insurance & Consumer Protection Committee	LWVMI supported in committee. 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.
13	HB 4141 (Similar to SB 81)	Gun Safety	Exempts purchase of gun safety devices from sales tax	Support	3/22/23 Reported substitute by House Judiciary Committee (7-5) 3/22/23 Passed House with IE (63-45) 4/26/23 Referred to Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary and Public Safety Committee	LWVMI supported in committee. 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.
14	HB 4142 (Same as SB 77)	Gun Safety	Updates references to pistol in penal code	Support	3/8/23, reported from House Judiciary Committee with substitute, 3/8/23 passed House (56-54). 3/23/23 Senate adopted House substitute (20-18). 4/13/23 Governor signed PA 18 of 2023	LWVMI supported in committee. 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.

15	HB 4143 (Same as SB 78)	Gun Safety	Sentencing guidelines for violating background check	Support	3/8/23, reported from House Judiciary Committee with substitute, 3/8/23 passed House (56-54). 3/23/23 Senate adopted a substitute (20-18) and returned to House for concurrence. 4/26/23 PA 22 of 2023 signed by Governor.	LWVMI supported in committee. 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.
16	HB 4144 (Similar to SB 79)	Gun Safety	Provides for penalties for storing or leaving a firearm where it may be accessed by a minor	Support	3/22/23 Reported substitute by House Judiciary Committee (7-5) 3/23/23 Passed House (61-47). In Senate Civil Rights, Criminal Justice and Judiciary Committee.	LWVMI supported in committee. 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.
17	HB 4145 (Similar to SB 83)	Gun Safety	Provides for extreme risk protection order	Support	Reported from House Judiciary Committee 4/12/23. Substitute House passed 4/13/23 (56-51 IE). 4/19/23 Senate referred to Civil Rights, Criminal Justice and Judiciary Committee.	LWVMI supported in committee. 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.
18	HB 4146 (Same as SB 84)	Gun Safety	Prohibits purchasing a gun if under extreme risk protection order	Support	Reported from House Judiciary Committee 4/12/23. House passed 4/13/23 (56-51 IE) 4/19/23 Senate adopted S-1 substitute (20-18) 4/26/23 House Ordered enrolled. (56-52) 5/22/23 signed by Governor, PA 37 of 2023.	LWVMI supported in committee. 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.

19	HB 4147 (Same as SB 86)	Gun Safety	Provides for service of process for extreme risk protection order actions	Support	Reported from House Judiciary Committee 4/12/23. House passed 4/13/23 (56-51 IE) 4/19/23 Senate adopted and passed (20-18) and returned to the House. 4/26/23 House adopted (56-52). 5/22/23 signed by Governor, PA 35 of 2023.	LWVMI supported in committee. 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.
20	HB 4148 (Same as SB 85)	Gun Safety	Sentencing guidelines for making a false report under extreme risk protection order	Support	Reported from House Judiciary Committee 4/12/23. Substitute House passed 4/13/23 (56-51 IE). 4/19/23 Senate adopted and passed (20-18) and returned to the House. 4/26/23 House ordered enrolled (56-52) 5/22/23 signed by Governor, PA 36 of 2023.	LWVMI supported in committee. 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.
21	HB 4156 (Same as SB 126)	Elections	Adopts National Popular Vote	Support	In House Elections Committee	LWVMI participated in press conference 2/29/23. LWVMI provided testimony on 3/7/23. 3/7/23 LWVMI sent action alert. 4/6/23 Sent action alert to House members
22	HB 4160-64	Criminal Justice	Prohibits sentencing an individual who committed certain crimes when less than 19 years old to life without parole	Support	3/2/23 Assigned to House Criminal Justice Committee. Hearing on 3/9/23	
23	HB 4191	Criminal Justice	Provides program to provide driver license and state identification cards to parolees.	Support	4/11/23 Reported substitutes from House Criminal Justice Committee. In House second reading	4/11/23 LWVMI turned in card for support.

24	HB 4192	Criminal Justice	Provides program to provide driver license and state identification cards to parolees.	Support	4/11/23 Reported substitutes from House Criminal Justice Committee. In House second reading	4/11/23 LWVMI turned in card for support.
25	HB 4193	Criminal Justice	Provides program to provide state identification cards to parolees.	Support	4/11/23 Reported substitutes from House Criminal Justice Committee. In House second reading	4/11/23 LWVMI turned in card for support.
26	HB 4194	Criminal Justice	Provides program to provide state identification cards to parolees.	Support	4/11/23 Reported substitutes from House Criminal Justice Committee. In House second reading	4/11/23 LWVMI turned in card for support.
27	HB 4210	Voting	Allows electronic ballot return for military and their spouses	Support	3/8/23 introduced. 5/9/23 Hearing in House Elections Committee	
28	HB 4228	Environment	Eliminates Caps on solar energy	Support	3/9/23 Assigned to House Energy, Technology and Communications Committee	
29	HB 4292	Voting	Funding to implement Proposal 2	Support funding increase for Proposal 2 implementation	3/16/23 Assigned to the House Appropriations Committee. 4/25/23 House General Government Subcommittee reported a substitute. 5/10/23 Passed House 56-52. 5/11/23 In Senate Committee of the Whole	4/20/23 LWVMI joined others in a letter to leaders urging for increased funding for Proposal 2 implementation
30	HB 4410	Equal Opportunity	Removes citizenship or legal presence requirement for obtaining a driver license	Support	4/13/23 Assigned to House Regulatory Reform Committee	
31	HB 4411	Equal Opportunity	Removes citizenship or legal presence requirement for obtaining a state ID.	Support	4/13/23 Assigned to House Regulatory Reform Committee	
32	HB 4412	Equal Opportunity	Updates references to State ID	Support	4/13/23 Assigned to House Regulatory Reform Committee	

33	HB 4469-70	Criminal Justice	Allows "good time" credit	Support	4/25/23 Assigned to House Criminal Justice Committee	
34	HB 4479-4480	Environment	Provides for inspections of septic tanks	Support	4/27/23 Assigned to House Natural Resources, Environment, Tourism & Outdoor Recreation Committee	
35	HB 4567	Elections	Removes references to challenged ballot	Support	5/23/23 Hearing in House Elections	LWVMI turned in card
36	HB 4568	Elections	Removes prohibition for providing transportation to the polls	Support	5/23/23 Hearing in House Elections	LWVMI turned in card
37	HB 4569	Elections	Allows preregistration for voting at age 16	Support	5/23/23 Hearing in House Elections	LWVMI turned in card
38	HB 4570	Elections	Allows on-line application for absentee ballots	Support	5/23/23 Hearing in House Elections	LWVMI turned in card
39	HB 4594	Elections	Establishes tracking system for absentee ballot applications and ballots	Support	5/23/23 Hearing in House Elections	LWVMI turned in card
40	SB 2	Reproductive Health	Repeals Sec 40 OF PA 328 OF 1931	Support	Passed Senate 3/8/23 (20-18) Reported by House Judiciary Committee hearing 3/15/23 with recommendation to pass (8-5). 3/22/23 Passed House (56-52). Returned to Senate. PA 12 of 2023.	LWVMI supported in committee 3/1/23
41	SB 3	Social Services	Earned Income Tax	Support	Passed Senate 1/26/23 (27-11) Assigned to House Tax Policy Committee	See HB 4001
42	SB 4	Equal Opportunity	Adds sexual orientation and gender identity to Elliott-Larsen Civil Rights Act	Support	3/1/23 Passed Senate (23-15). 3/8/23 Passed House (64-45). 3/21/23 PA 6 of 2023	Sent Action alert 2/16/23
43	SB 33	Voting	Counts prisoners based on home address	Support	In Senate Elections & Ethics Committee	
44	SB 37	Reproductive Health	Repeals Sec 16a Ch XV11 Of 1927	Support	Passed Senate 3/8/23 (20-18) Assigned to House Judiciary Committee.	LWVMI supported in committee 3/1/23

45	SB 38 (Same as HB 4031)	Reproductive Health	Repeal Sec 33b of PA 232 1953	Support	3/2/23 Reported by the Senate Health Policy Committee. On second reading in Senate. 4/26/23 Re-referred to Senate Health Policy Committee	LWVMI supported in committee 3/1/23
46	SB 39 (Same as HB 4006)	Reproductive Health	Repeals Sec 40 of PA 328 of 1931	Support	Reported by Senate Health Policy Committee, 3/1/23. Passed Senate 3/8/23 (20-18) In House Judiciary Committee.	LWVMI supported in committee 3/1/23
47	SB 76 (Similar to HB 4138)	Gun Safety	Requires background check	Support	Reported substitute by Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary and Public Safety Committee 3/9/23 (5-2). 3/16/23 Passed Senate (20-17) In House Judiciary Committee.	LWVMI supported in committee 3/2/23 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.
48	SB 77 (Same as HB 4142)	Gun Safety	Updates references to pistol in penal code	Support	Reported by Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary and Public Safety Committee 3/9/23 (5-2.) 3/16/23 Passed Senate (20-17) In House Judiciary Committee.	LWVMI supported in committee 3/2/23 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.
49	SB 78 (Same as HB 4143)	Gun Safety	Establishes sentencing guidelines for violating background check	Support	Reported by Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary and Public Safety Committee 3/9/23 (5-2). 3/16/23 Passed Senate (20-17) In House Judiciary Committee.	LWVMI supported in committee 3/2/23 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.

50	SB 79 (Similar to HB 4144)	Gun Safety	Provides for penalties for storing or leaving a firearm where it may be accessed by a minor	Support	Reported substitute by Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary and Public Safety Committee 3/9/23 (5-2). 3/16/23 Passed Senate (20-17). 3/22/23 Reported substitute by House Judiciary Committee.(7-5). 3/22/23 Passed House (61-47) . 3/23/23 Senate adopted House substitute, no IE, (20-18) 4/13/23 Signed by Governor, PA 17 of 2023	LWVMI supported in committee 3/2/23 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.
51	SB 80 (Same as HB 4139)	Gun Safety	Sentencing guidelines for violating safe storage	Support	Reported substitute by Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary and Public Safety Committee 3/9/23 (5-2). 3/16/23 Passed Senate (20-17) 3/22/23 Reported substitute by House Judiciary Committee.(7-5) 3/22/23 passed House (61-47) 3/23/23 Senate adopted substitute (20-18). 4/13/23 Signed by Governor, PA 16 of 2023	LWVMI supported in committee 3/2/23
52	SB 81 (Similar to HB 4141)	Gun Safety	Exempts purchase of gun safety devices from sales tax	Support	Reported substitute by Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary and Public Safety Committee 3/9/23 (7-0). 3/16/23 Passed Senate (22-15) 3/22/23 Reported by House Judiciary Committee 7-5. 3/22/23 passed House (64-44), 4/13/23 Governor signed PA 15 of 2023	LWVMI supported in committee 3/2/23 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.

53	<p>Reported substitute by Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary and Public Safety Committee 3/9/23 (s-2). 3/16/23 Passed Senate 20-17. Reported by House Judiciary 4/12/23. Substitute passed House 4/13/23 (56-51 IE). 4/19/23 Senate adopted H5 substitute (20-18) and ordered enrolled to Governor. 5/22/23 signed b+B74y Governor, PA 38 of 2023.A75:D75</p>	Gun Safety	Exempts purchase of gun safety devices from use tax	Support	<p>Reported substitute by Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary and Public Safety Committee 3/9/23 (7-0). 3/16/23 Passed Senate (22-15) 3/22/23 Reported by House Judiciary Committee 7-5. 3/22/23 passed House (64-44). 4/13/23 Governor signed PA 14 of 2023</p>	<p>LWVMI supported in committee 3/2/23 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.</p>
54	<p>SB 83 (Similar to HB 4145)</p>	Gun Safety	Provides for extreme risk protection order	Support	<p>Reported substitute by Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary and Public Safety Committee 3/9/23 (s-2). 3/16/23 Passed Senate 20-17. Reported by House Judiciary 4/12/23. Substitute passed House 4/13/23 (56-51 IE). 4/19/23 Senate adopted H5 substitute (20-18) and ordered enrolled to Governor. 5/22/23 signed by Governor, PA 38 of 2023.</p>	<p>LWVMI supported in committee 3/2/23 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.</p>
55	<p>SB 84 (Same as HB 4146)</p>	Gun Safety	Prohibits purchasing a gun if under extreme risk protection order	Support	<p>Reported by Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary and Public Safety Committee 3/9/23 (5-2). 3/16/23 Passed Senate (20-17) 4/12/23 approved by House Judiciary Committee and on second reading in House.</p>	<p>LWVMI supported in committee 3/2/23 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.</p>

56	SB 85 (Same as 4148)	Gun Safety	Sentencing guidelines for making a false report under extreme risk protection order	Support	Reported by Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary and Public Safety Committee 3/9/23 (5-2). 3/16/23 Passed Senate (20-17) 4/12/23 substitute approved by House Judiciary Committee, second reading in House.	3/2/23 LWVMI supported in committee 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert.
57	SB 86 (Same as HB 4147)	Gun Safety	Provides for service of process for extreme risk protection order actions	Support	Reported substitute by Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary and Public Safety Committee 3/9/23 (5-2). 3/16/23 Passed Senate (20-17) 4/12/23 reported by House Judiciary Committee. 2nd reading in House.	LWVMI supported in committee 3/2/23 3/14/23 LWVMI sent action alert .
58	SB 93	Reproductive Health	Modifies penalties for the sale of drugs or medicine to procure a miscarriage.	Support	3/8/23 Passed Senate (20-18). In House Judiciary.	
59	SB 119-123	Criminal Justice	Prohibits sentencing an individual who committed certain crimes when less than 19 years old to life without parole	Support	3/1/23 Assigned to Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary & Public Safety Committee	
60	SB 126 (same as HB 4156)	Elections	Adopts National Vote Compact	Support	In Senate Elections & Ethics Committee	LWVMI participated in press conference 2/28/23. 3/7/23 LWVMI sent action alert.
61	SB 144	Social Services	Allows implementation of Earned Income Tax Credit for 2022 tax year at higher rate.	Support	3/23/23 Substitute referred to second reading in the Senate by Senate Committee on Housing and Human Services. 4/26/23 Passed Senate 27-10. Assigned to House Taxation Committee	
62	SB 147	Reproductive Health	Removes references to nontherapeutic abortions in the Elliott-Larsen Civil Rights Act	Support	3/16/23 Substitute passed Senate (20-17). Passed House, 5/3/23, 57-51. Signed by Governor PA 31 of 2023.	4/19/23 submitted card in support

63	SB 152-53	Environment	Eliminates Cap on solar energy	Support	3/8/23 Assigned to Senate Energy & Environment Committee	
64	SB 177	Voting Rights	Allows military and overseas people to vote electronically and codifies tabulating certain absent voter ballots received up to 6 days after the election.	Support	Assigned to Senate Elections & Ethics Committee, hearing 4/11/23	
65	SB 189	Voting	General Government Appropriations includes Secretary of State - includes funding for Proposal 2 implementation	Support adequate funding	5/10/23 Passed Senate 20-18. 5/10/23 Assigned to House Appropriations Committee	
66	SB 259	Voting Rights	Allows tabulating absent voter ballots received up to 6 days after an election from an absent uniformed services voter or overseas voter and electronic voting for military	Support	4/11/23 Assigned to Senate Elections & Ethics Committee. 4/13/23 Substitute reported by the committee. 4/19/23 passed Senate (24-14). 4/20/23 House Elections Committee reported out substitute bill. 4/26/23 passed House 56-52 with immediate effect. 4/27/23 Senate passed House substitute 23-14. with immediate effect. 5/1/23 Signed by Governor PA 25 of 2023 with immediate effect.	Turned in cards of support in Senate hearing and House hearing
67	SB 265	Equal Opportunity	Updates references to State ID	Support	4/13/23 Assigned to Senate Transportation & Infrastructure Committee	
68	SB 266	Equal Opportunity	Removes citizenship or legal presence requirement for obtaining a state ID.	Support	4/13/23 Assigned to Senate Transportation & Infrastructure Committee	
69	SB 267	Equal Opportunity	Removes citizenship or legal presence requirement for obtaining a driver's license	Support	4/13/23 Assigned to Senate Transportation & Infrastructure Committee	
70	SB 295	Voting	National Popular Vote - companion bill	Support	4/25/23 Assigned to Senate Elections & Ethics Committee	

71	SB 299 - 300	Environment	Requires septic tank inspections	Support	4/27/23 Assigned to Senate Energy & Environment Committee
72	SB 321-325	Criminal Justice	Allows resentencing of some prisoners	Support	5/2/23 Assigned to Senate Civil Rights, Judiciary & Public Safety Committee
73	SB 339	Elections	Establishes program for tracking absentee ballot applications and absentee ballots	Support	In Senate Elections & Ethics Committee
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