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February 2023

## **SAVE THE DATES**

Wednesday, Feb. 1–1:00 pm LWVEN Business Meeting

Wednesday, Feb. 15 –3:30 pm LWVEN General Meeting Book discussion

\*ALL meetings will be held at the Levittown Public Library

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

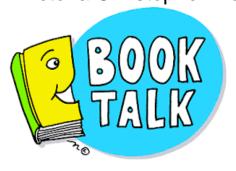
February meet with Legislator Mr. McKevitt to discuss environment proposals

February is the time to visit our NYS legislators If interested contact Barbara Epstein

February 14th Day of Action

Wednesday March 1<sup>st</sup> -1pm LWVEN Business Meeting

Wednesday March 15<sup>th</sup> 3:30pm-General Meeting Guest Speaker- Women's History Month The Personal Librarian
By
Marie Benedict
Victoria Christopher Murray



The Personal Librarian, is a novel about the lifework of Delle da Costa Greene, the personal librarian to JP Morgan, as well as the first director of the Morgan Library and Museum.

In keeping with Black History Month, our choice of book, "The Personal Librarian" speaks about a woman of color and her personal challenges in the early 1900's.

## Redistricting

The Nassau County Rules Committee met and agreed to submit all maps and backup material and all testimony to the full legislature. We are waiting for a date for them to meet.

The Town of Hempstead redistricting commission agreed to submit all maps and testimony to the town board. A date has not been set for them to meet as well. Check their website. There should be at least 2 minority/majority districts.

Both Nassau County and the Town of Hempstead are expected to approve a map before the end of February since petitions for the fall elections will begin.

The NYS Redistricting Commission has proposed a new map for the NYS Assembly per court order. There will be a hearing on February 28<sup>th</sup> at Nassau Community College at 5pm open to the public. Check their website for the proposed map.

February 14<sup>th</sup> **DAY OF ACTION** 

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