

League cancels Collier commission candidate forum

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The League of Women Voters has canceled its July 25 Collier County Commission District 5 Republican candidates forum.

"We regret that residents will be unable to hear from the Republican candidates for Commission District 5, but due to the fact that only one candidate would attend, we were forced to cancel this forum," League president Chris Straton said. "They did not like the date, location or format."

However, that gives voters more time to question candidates for Collier County sheriff, Straton said.

That sheriff's forum starts at 7 p.m. July 25 in commission chambers. Democratic candidates for state representative District 101 will appear immediately after.

The League will host the District 2 and District 4 School Board forum on Thursday, July 24, in County Commission chambers, on the third floor of the administration building at the county government center, off Airport-Pulling Road at U.S. 41 East.

Forums will be broadcast live on Comcast Cable 11. Internet users

may watch the broadcast live by going to Colliergov.net and clicking on Collier

TV. The forum will be rebroadcast several times as well as viewed via the Collier

County government video archive.

The public is invited and may submit questions in advance to the League for

consideration. All questions will be reviewed and asked by the League moderator.

Questions may be sent to President@lwvcolliercounty.org. For more information, contact Chris Straton at (239) 207-7333.

For a list of candidates in area contests, go to www.colliervotes.com.
