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Sales Tax Discussion set for May 18

BISMARCK, N.D. – The League of Women Voters of Bismarck-Mandan and Community Access Television (CATV) are co-sponsoring an open discussion on City Measure #1 – the Sales Tax Initiative, on May 18, in the Tom Baker Room of the County/City Building. Dennis Kemmesat representing People, Parks and Places, and Robert Harms, representing Citizens for Responsible Government will present their group’s position, and answer questions posed by League members and the public beginning at 6:30 p.m. and can be viewed live on Cable Channel 12 or via web stream at www.freetv.org by clicking the “On Air” icon. Forums will be replayed in the weeks leading up to the June election.

The public is invited and encouraged to attend. Attendees can submit questions to League members. Questions can also be submitted by phone during the forums by calling 222-6539. The moderator will include as many questions from the public as possible.

“We want to encourage as much dialogue as possible on this very important issue for our community. If you have any questions about this initiative, this is a great chance to get them addressed.” This initiative is on the June 13 ballot. A simple majority of votes will determine if it passes.

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