Bay Area League Day, *Solving for Housing*
Presented by the League of Women Voters Bay Area
February 19, 2022, 10:00 am – 2:30 pm
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10 – 10:05 am LWVBA President Sherry Smith -- Welcome and Introductions

10:05 – 10:30 am **Keynote** by **Councilmember Melvin Willis**, City of Richmond and ACCE (Alliance of Californians for Community Empowerment)

10:30 – 11 am **Panel 1: The Latest in Land Use – from Federal, State to Local**

- **Thomas Silverstein**, Associate Director, Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law, Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing (State and Federal)
- **Ken Kirkey** - All Home Chief Partnership Officer; past Regional Planning Director
- **Councilmember Janet Abelson**, City of El Cerrito; Past President of East Bay League of California Cities

11:00 am – 12:30 pm **Panel 2**: **Save the Planet with Land Use!**

- **Melissa Breach**, Senior VP and COO, YIMBY (Yes in My Backyard)
- **Sarah Karlinsky**, SPUR Senior Advisor, *Housing as Infrastructure* author
- **Amanda Brown Stevens**, Executive Director, Greenbelt Alliance
- **Graciela Castillo-Krings**, Sacramento Advocates

12:30 – 12:45 pm **15 minute lunch break**

12:45 – 1:00 pm **Resilience Playbook** by **Amanda Brown Stevens**
Demonstrating Resilience Playbook and Wildfire mapping

1:00 – 1:30 pm **Panel 3: Calculating Carbon Footprints and CoolClimate Network**

- **Dr. Chris Jones** – Director of CoolClimate Network, UC Berkeley and Lecturer, Haas School of Business.
- **Ben Gould** – Co-founder and President of EcoDataLab, founded in partnership with Dr. Jones and CoolClimate Network to provide greenhouse gas inventories and climate action strategies for local jurisdictions.

1:30 – 2:00 pm **Closing Panel – Housing Landscape in 2022-23**

- Moderated by **Michael Lane**, SPUR State Legislative Director
- **Senator Dave Cortese**, District 15, Chair of Senate Labor, Public Employment and Retirement Committee. Serves on Housing, Transportation, Education, Budget and Fiscal Review, and Human Services Committees.
- **Assemblymember Buffy Wicks**, District 15, Chair of Assembly Housing and Community Development Committee**.** Serves on Banking and Finance, Budget, Transportation and Privacy and Consumer Protection Committees.

2:00 – 2:30 pm Wrap-Up Questions