

## **League of Women Voters**

### **Kane County Government Monitoring Report**

MEETING: [Human Services Committee](#)

DATE: December 12, 2008      REPORTING: D Bakk

Members: Chairman Davoust: Members: Allan, Fahy,, Kudlicki, Leonberger, Mitchell, Vazquez. All present

One press in attendance: None

#### **SUMMARY OF MEETING:**

- Sheila McCraven, executive director of Human Resource Management, explained how the Department of Employment and Education operates its federally funded program that readies the workforce for employment under the Workforce Investment Act of 1998. Services such as career counseling and assessment, resume creation, vocational and on-the-job training are offered to eligible adults, youth and dislocated workers through Illinois Employment and Training Centers. She replied to a question that the state budget did not affect these funds as they are from federal source.
- A great deal of time was spent discussing the proposed changes to amending the personnel handbook (leaves of absence). Also mentioned was the need to have a sub-committee to examine insurance issues because of high costs. Davoust assured members it would be worked on.

**CRITICAL ISSUES:** None for this meeting.

**FUTURE ACTION:** The League should continue to have representatives at public meetings targeting Kane County government in particular.