## **LWVSFC Comments for SFPS Board re: Staffing Crisis Resolution**

Regarding SFPS Board Resolution 2021-2022-4, Staffing Crisis, although we cannot comment on specific items in the proposal, the League of Women Voters of Santa Fe County supports the following:

The League believes that the State of New Mexico should provide adequate funding to attract and retain a well-qualified education workforce that reflects the diversity of New Mexico's students, and that educators' salaries should be competitive with other professions requiring similar skills.

The League also supports efforts to increase the availability of safe, decent, and affordable housing for moderate and low-income households, through strategies including public and private partnerships.

The League has no position on any further components of the Resolution.

Submitted by Mary Ellen Gonzales SFPS Board meeting 11/4/21