



Observer Reporting Form

Feature Evaluated	Yes	No	Comments
Meeting started on time?	X		
All members present?	X		
Members attentive?	X		
Did members appear to have done their "homework?"			Hard to judge
Were members courteous to each other and the public?	X		
Agenda sent/posted 72 hours before?	X		
Agenda items clearly described what was to be discussed?	X		
Adequate opportunity for public input?		?	One member of the public was given time at the end of the discussion of a motion. His remarks didn't generate response by the committee, who were ready to vote
Was there an appearance that some action items were discussed in closed rather than open session?		X	
Was background information available to the public?			I don't think so.
Facilities adequate? (room size, lighting, ventilation, speakers audible, accessible to handicapped)	X		Main Assembly Room

Were any issues on the agenda relevant to LWV positions or programs? **Yes.** Most of the meeting concerned R-09-11-501 (agenda item 18), which passed without recommendation, to consider approval of an agreement with a developer (under the Mayor's 10-Year Plan to End Chronic Homelessness) to acquire land in West Knox County (District 6) for permanent supportive housing for the mentally ill or otherwise disabled homeless. The housing program is relevant to LVWKKC's support of services for homeless mentally ill persons. Some Commissioners raised objections about the appropriateness of the neighborhood (access to KAT and other services) and cost of the land.

Do you recommend League action on any of these issues? **Not at this time.**

Other Concerns: **None**

Observer: Lisa Carroll Meeting: Knox County Commission Intergovernmental Committee Date: 11/10/09