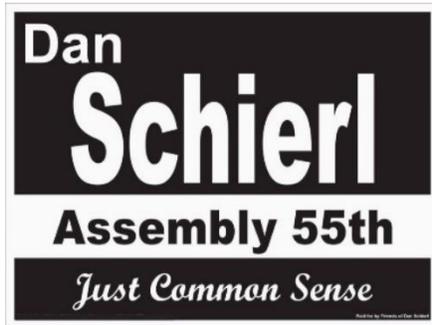


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**Assembly District 55 Candidate Dan Schierl Stands Ready and Open to Fair, Unbiased Debate**

*Cabral-Guevara seems only interested in forums moderated by her own people and party. The citizens of the 55<sup>th</sup> Assembly deserve a fair and unbiased debate through an organization that has proven its professionalism and objectivity with candidate debates for decades.*

**Neenah, WI. 9/23/2020**

Recently, the Dan Schierl for Assembly District 55 campaign was contacted by individuals in a now newly formed Facebook group, and an individual seeking to host a forum for the two District 55 Assembly candidates: Dan Schierl and his opponent. Under normal circumstances, Dan would be excited to participate in a number of forums. In fact, he stood ready to participate in the League of Women Voters Candidate Forum that has traditionally taken place in this district for decades. Unfortunately, his opponent declined to participate.

This year due to the pandemic, the LWV Candidate Forum format had to change to an online format without an audience to account for the safety of the district's citizens. Despite participating in the same format in the Primary, Dan's opponent now declined. (She participated in the exact same (online without audience) LWV Candidate Forum in the Primary on July 7, YouTube video link of which can be shared upon request).

The Dan Schierl for AD 55 campaign chooses not to participate in any activity that can be seen as circumventing the League of Women Voters - a highly respected organization that has serviced our community for almost 100 years.

*Let it be further noted that this newly formed Facebook group (Wisconsin, Let's Talk Politics in the 55<sup>th</sup>), who reached out to the Schierl campaign offering to host a "fair and objective" forum is far from objective. The two were pictured with the opponent at one of her campaign events and one is Admin of that site, the other Admin in that group is known as an active supporter of Schierl's opponent's campaign. A second offer to moderate came from an individual who was a former candidate for Assembly 55. Further, The Dan Schierl for Assembly District 55 campaign does not condone the aggressive and unwelcomed negative politics that have and are being conducted on social media by the individuals in that Facebook group.*

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