

ACLU-TN Right to Vote Campaign

# "Get Your Right to Vote Back" Town Meeting

## **NASHVILLE:**

**Thursday, Aug. 31, 2006**

**6:30 pm—8:30 pm**

**Jefferson Street Missionary Baptist Church**

**2708 Jefferson Street**

***Welcome: Marilyn Robinson, NAACP—Nashville***

Public Chapter 860, a new law, simplifies the process for restoring voting rights to persons with past felony convictions who have completed their sentences. What was the country's most confusing system, with six different procedures for restoration, has been streamlined into a single restoration process. Come learn about voting rights in Tennessee and how to get your right to vote back!

### **Panelists Will Include:**

Laleh Ispahani

*ACLU National Legal Dept.*

Charles Grant

*Nashville Bar Association*

Ray Barrett

*Nashville/Davidson County*

*Election Commission*

Denver Schimming

*Former felon who has restored his voting rights*

***The League of Women Voters will provide voter registration.***

### **Tennessee "Right to Vote Campaign" Partners:**

American Civil Liberties Union of Tennessee (ACLU-TN)

Catholic Public Policy Commission

Tennessee AFL-CIO Labor Council

Tennessee Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers (TACDL)

Tennessee Bar Association

The Restoration Project

The Tennessee "Right to Vote Campaign" is a coalition of civil rights and civil liberties organizations working to restore voting rights for individuals with felony convictions.



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