

Free public forum dealing with the upcoming national election

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A free public forum dealing with the upcoming national election and featuring politicians, political experts from the community and the press will be held Saturday, April 14, at the University of California, San Diego.

"Election '84 - What is at Stake?" will be held from 1 to 4:30 p.m. in Peterson Hall at UCSD. The forum is being co-sponsored by Earl Warren College and the League of Women Voters in cooperation with the UCSD Department of Political Science. The participants will examine major issues that voters will face in 1984: constitutional law, the nation's economy, minorities and affirmative action, and defense.

Scheduled to take part in the forum are Clarence Pendleton, chairman of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights; Congressman Bill Lowery; Congressman Jim Bates; Dr. Martin M. Shapiro, professor of law at the UC Berkeley School of Law; Retired Admiral Worth Bagley of La Jolla; Los Angeles Times reporter Linda Matthews, and Dr. Richard Attiyeh, dean of graduate studies and research at UCSD. Dr. Samuel Popkin, associate professor of political science at UCSD and a noted political analyst and pollster, will serve as panel moderator.

Pendleton was named chairman of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights in 1982. He has served as president of the Urban League of San Diego, as director of the Model Cities Department of the City of San Diego, and as director of urban affairs for the National Recreation and Park Association in Washington, D.C.

Lowery was elected to represent the 41st Congressional District in 1980 after serving for three years as a city councilman and later as deputy mayor of San Diego. He serves on two House of Representative committees: Science and Technology, and Banking and Finance. Lowery also serves as chairman of the San Diego Congressional Delegation.

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