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The LWVIL continues to support the LWVUS position stating "the Federal government should bear the primary responsibility for financing programs designed to meet the basic needs of individuals and families". We also support the secondary state funding for income assistance and supportive services. We continue to monitor the funding levels at all levels to help those individuals and families needing income assistance in order to maintain a decent quality of life through housing opportunities, nutritional needs, education and child care and employment opportunities including pay equity.

League of Women Voters of IL must continue to advocate for our member supported positions in Meeting Basic Human Needs at both State and national levels in order to maintain a healthy State and Country.