

## ABOUT LDW

### Vision

LDW envisions a society that is peaceful, open, and participatory, devoid of socio-political abuses, corruption and the weaning respect for the rule of law.

### Mission

Liberia Democracy Watch (LDW) is a pro-democracy and human rights organization that seeks to foster a democratic society in Liberia through the promotion of popular participation, good governance, peace, human rights and respect for the rule of law.

### Core Values

The following principles guide LDW's engagement with the public, our partners, and our board and staff as we pursue institution building and our anti-corruption work in Liberia:

- **Transparency & Accountability:**
- **Impartiality and Independence Integrity**
- **Respect for the Rule of Law and Individual Rights and Freedom**
- **Democratic Participation**

### Current Program

LDW is currently engaged in three (3) principal program areas: 1. Governance, Elections, & Research; 2. Peace Building, Community Outreach, and Social Renewal; and 3. Human Rights:

#### 1. Governance, Elections and Research

- Transparency and accountability
- Governance monitoring
- Voters mobilization and education
- Elections observation
- Greater citizens' participation in governance
- Responsiveness of governance structures to current needs
- Public policy practice and their effects on needs

#### 2. Peace Building, Community Outreach and Social Renewal

- Peace Education
- Civic education
- Conflict early warning
- Partnership b/w elected officials and electorates.

#### 3. Human Rights

- Education
- Advocacy
- Monitoring/Documentation



## Liberia Democracy Watch



“Promoting Democracy & Human Rights  
in Liberia since 1997”

## MANAGEMENT & BOARD

LDW is managed by a Board of eminent Liberians residing at home and abroad:

### BOARD:

- **Nathaniel T. Kwabo**, Chairman and Founder of LDW;
- **Augustine P. Toure**, Former Executive Deputy Director, LDW
- **Cllr. Jerome J. Verdier**, Former Chairman, Liberia's Truth & Reconciliation Commission,
- **Ms. Titi Pitso**, Electoral Programme Officer, Electoral Institute of Southern Africa (EISA);
- **Elizabeth S. Mulbah**, Commissioner, Liberia's Governance Commission,
- **Dr. Augustine Konneh**, Director, Foreign Service Institute, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Liberia;

### MANAGEMENT:

- **George Wah Williams**, Executive Director
- **Barward Johnson**, Senior Programme Officer;
- **Varney Kamara**, Program Officer
- **Joseph Slakey**, Program Assistant,
- **Umaru Vainga**, Program Assistant,
- **Robert Williams**, Finance Director;

## PARTNERS

LDW has partnered with several local and international non-governmental organizations over the years of its existence. Currently, LDW is in partnership with the below listed partners for the 2010 programming year;

### INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS:

- National Endowment for Democracy(NED);
- TrustAfrica & Humanity United(TA-HU)
- Fund for Peace (FfP)
- Fund for Global Human Rights (FGHR)
- The Carter Center (TCC)

### LOCAL:

- Development and Educational Initiatives (DEVEIN)
- National Human Rights Center of Liberia (NHRCL)
- Trust Africa Partners
- Foundation for International Dignity (FIND)
- Catholic Justice and Peace Commission (JPC)



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