



34TH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT DEMOCRATS

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Chair's Message

Happiest of New Years, Democrats!

Here we are in 2023! I hope you all felt the warmth and peace of the holiday season. You also have my wishes for health and happiness in the New Year. We have a lot to be thankful for in 2022 including a pretty darn impressive election cycle where we held important seats, flipped seats and turned away those who promote ideas which contradict our values. The fight is not over, not by a long shot. I hope to see you join me as a PCO; join me as I continue my work to elect solid democrats in the 2023 races. Never forget that we have an election EVERY year! Our work continues and we need energy, enthusiasm and passion. 2023 will see a new Seattle City Councilmember representing the 34th, 3 Burien City Council Seats will be on the ballot along with our King County Councilmember. Please join me and DO SOMETHING.

I want to wish the best of luck to our friend Chris Porter as he seeks another term serving as King Conservation District Supervisor. Chris has been a fixture here in the 34th and I continue to admire his tenacity in return to the executive board every term. Thank you to Chris for your various contributions to the district.

I hope you will also renew your membership with the 34th or join for the first time. This year we will have some very exciting endorsements to make so be sure to make that commitment now so you are eligible when the time comes. We do SO MUCH with your contributions. Being close to the budget process has been eye opening for me. Please show your support and [renew/join today!](#)

I am counting down these last days before we hold our biennial Reorganization which triggers the end of my term as the Chair of the 34th Democrats. It has been a great honor and privilege to serve the district. I have learned so much and plan to use that knowledge to help others in the future. The friendships I've made over the past 2 years will live on and I am excited for the opportunity to continue my work with communications in the next term. I will also be available to support the new Chair as they learn how to lead the 34th.

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Reorganization Meeting Agenda -

January 11, 2023

On Zoom, [Register HERE](#)

- 7:00** - Call to Order and Opening Ceremonies
- 7:10** - Appointment of Temporary Officers
- 7:12** - Adoption of Agenda and Meeting Rules
- 7:20** - Explanation of Voting Process
- 7:25** - Elections of Officers (eligible to vote:
Elected PCOs only)
 - Chair
 - Gavel passing ceremony*
 - First Vice Chair
 - Second Vice Chair
 - State Party Representative
(female or non-binary)
 - State Party Representative
(male or non-binary)
 - King Co. Central Committee Representative
(female or non-binary)
 - King Co. Central Committee Representative
(male or non-binary)
- 7:55** - Elections of Officers (eligible to vote:
Elected PCOs and members)
 - Secretary
 - Treasurer
- 8:05** - Approval of Meeting Minutes (October)
October, November, December Budget Reports
- 8:15** - Initiative Spotlight: I-135 Social Housing
- 8:30** - Candidate Spotlight
- 8:40** - Good of the Order
- 8:45** - Adjourn

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Executive Board

2021-2022

Elected Officers

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Gina Topp | Parliamentarian

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I want to thank the entire executive board of the 34th for all of their energy, passion and dedication to the important work we do as party leaders. I will greatly miss many aspects of the role and will be excited to see what the new leadership brings to the table. There are so many amazing people in this district. I thank all of you who have supported me over my term. Forever in solidarity!

Carla Rogers

34th LD Chair, 2021-2022

34th Democrats Reorganization - January 11

Every two years (odd years) in January our organization does a 'Reorganization'. Essentially this is when new leaders are elected by our PCOs and in some cases, our members. King County Democrats leadership will lead our Reorganization. It is critical that our elected PCOs and new 2023 members attend and vote. [Please register](#) and mark your calendar to attend this Zoom meeting.

Below are the roles which will be elected:

Chair
First Vice Chair
Second Vice Chair
Treasurer
Secretary
State Party Delegates (2 of male, female, non-binary)
King County Democrats Central Committee (2 of male, female, non-binary)

All other positions on the executive board are appointed by the Chair and confirmed by the membership. Without leaders, there is no way for our organization to move forward.

This is the time to consider stepping up and playing a key role in our organization. To help you determine where you might fit in, we have a [roles description document](#) available. Some board members will seek to return to the board next year.

See Page 5 for a list of those already running

Reorganization Rules for PCOs and MEMBER Review

Please review the below rules which will be voted on at the start of our Reorganization meeting on January 11. [Contact the Chair](#) should you have questions.

The Reorganization Rules can be found on Page 8, and online [HERE](#)



**34th Dems Pop Up Social -
Friday, January 27th
5:30 - 8pm**

At **Two Beers Brewing Co.**
4700 Ohio Avenue S.

twobeersbrewery.com

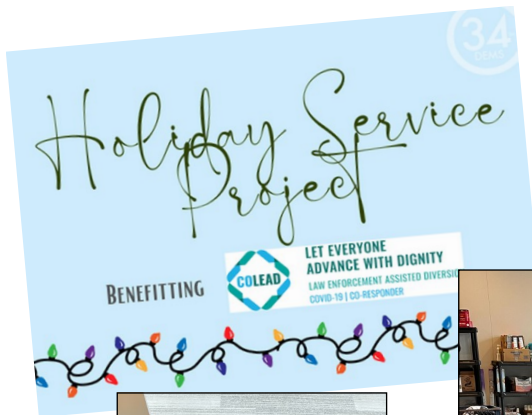
'Tis the Season for Sharing Your Bounty

We completed another VERY SUCCESSFUL Holiday Service Project on December 17th! Thank you to everyone who participated in our annual opportunity to show our democratic values in the community. 1st Vice Chair **Rachel Glass** did a commendable job sourcing a beneficiary - CoLEAD - organizing and delivering donations.

CoLEAD enables communities to redirect individuals engaged in law violations arising primarily from behavioral health conditions such as substance use or mental health issues to community-based services instead of using legal sanctions like arrest and jail.

Driven by a shared desire for social justice, CoLEAD aims to interrupt racism, sexism, classism, transphobia and xenophobia by advancing policies and advocating for justice, actively responding, with community resources, to behaviors that might otherwise be considered public health issues, civil infractions or simple community norms.

We used monetary donations made by you to purchase 17 warm coats, 10 pairs of waterproof gloves, 10 hat and mufflers sets. We also wrote 120 holiday greeting cards and shared several trays of holiday treats. We also had several donations of used socks, hats, gloves, jackets and other warm weather gear. The team at CoLEAD was very appreciative and those clients we met at the site felt cared for.



Let's recognize those who supported the project this year:

Ann Thoeny
Rachel Glass
Bunny Hatcher
Dorothy Gesick
Rob Saka
Dina & Blair Johnson

Deb Barker
Preston Anderson
Carla Rogers
Hannah Cameron
Lisa Plymate
Kathryn Bubelis
Ann Martin
Karen Richter
Janel Lardizabal
Roxanne Thayer

Kate L McMullen
Cam Winter
Danna Pakulak
Emily Alvarado
Joey Shyloski
Steve Butts
Amy Sundberg
Nick Bonazza
Eileen L Cody

King Conservation Board of Supervisors 2023 Election

The King Conservation District is holding an election for Seat #3 on the Board of Supervisors. 3 candidates are running: April Brown, Csenka Favorini-Csorba, and **34th member and current KCD Boardmember, Chris Porter**

This unique election will again be done with electronic ballot access, with options for physical ballots. King County Elections will do the tabulation and report all results.

Ballots will be available online from January 24, 2023, at 8:00 AM through February 14, 2023, at 8:00 PM. Physical ballots must be postmarked by February 14, 2023, and received by February 23, 2023, to be counted.

Complete information can be found at:

kingcd.org/about/board-of-supervisors/elections-and-appointments/



Contact Information and Committee Assignments for Our Legislators

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Representative

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Appropriations;
Rural Development, Agriculture
& Natural Resources

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King County Democrats Choose Carrie Barnes as New Chair



The King County Democrats held their reorganization meeting on Sunday, December 11th at which they picked new leadership for 2023-2024. All PCOs who filed in May, or who were elected in August voted for a unified slate of candidates, led by **Carrie Barnes** from the 37th LD.

The other new officers are:

- **Jeremy Barksdale**, 1st Vice Chair, 41st LD
- **Raven Tyler**, Vice Chair for Communications, 31st LD
- **Yvette Maganya**, Vice Chair for Outreach, 37th LD
- **Mayor Mason Thompson**, Vice Chair for Fundraising & Events, 1st LD
- **Carmen Rivera & Chris Franco**, State Committee Reps, 11th LD
- **Kristiana de Leon**, Secretary, 5th LD
- **Melissa Taylor**, Treasurer, 46th LD



If you want to learn a little more about the new officers, you can go here:

kcdems.org/reorganization-candidates/

Letters and Submitted Articles

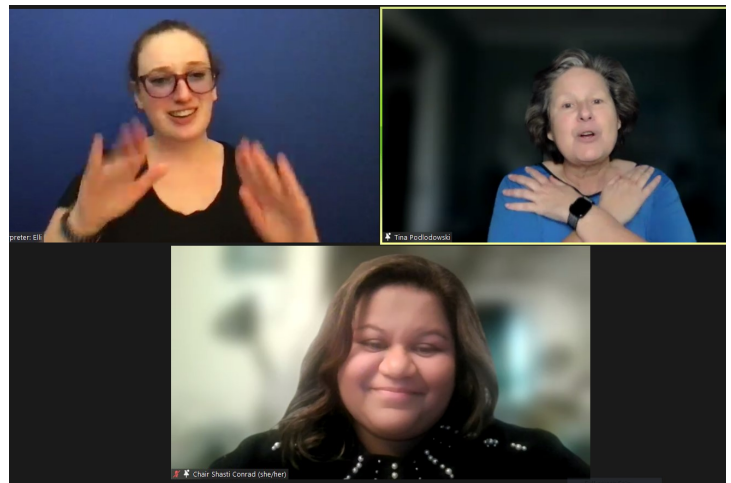
We are Democrats, and like most Democrats we have strong opinions and like to express them. We welcome letters and articles.

All submissions are subject to editing. If submissions need to be shortened, you will be given the option of editing your own work.

Photos and notices of upcoming events are always welcome.

The deadline for the February 2023 newsletter will be Thursday, January 26.

Mail to Steve Butts,
10254 36th Ave SW, Seattle, WA 98146
or email to newsletter@34dems.org



Outgoing KC Dems Chair Shasti Conrad (bottom) shares a Zoom screen with State Chair Tina Podlowski (top right) at the KCDCC Reorganization Meeting on December 11.

Meet the Candidates

The following leaders have stated their intent to run for an officer role on the 2023-2024 Executive Board of the 34th District Democrats. Some have provided a bio or candidate statement. During our Reorganization meeting, each candidate will provide a 2 minute statement for consideration by the voting members (elected PCOs and 2023 members).

Chair - **David Toledo**

1st Vice Chair - **Rachel Glass**

2nd Vice Chair - **Jordan Crawley**

State Committee Member - **Chris Porter**

State Committee Member - **Roxanne Thayer**

King County Democrats Central Committee Member - **Bunny Hatcher**

King County Democrats Central Committee Member Alternate - **Leah Griffin**

King County Democrats Central Committee Member - **Ted Barker**

King County Democrats Central Committee Member Alternate - **Preston Anderson**

Secretary - **Steve Butts**

Treasurer - **Julie Whitaker**

Candidate Statements

David Toledo - Candidate for Chair

As you may know, we will soon be voting on a new E-Board, and I have decided to run for Chair. First I want to say that I understand the great responsibility that this position holds, as well as the type of leadership that the 34th has a right to.

I am a former PCO coordinator in the 46th LD, and a former PCO here in the 34th.

I've been a member of the 34th for just over 10 years. But in many ways I still feel like a young member. I know that there are many of you who have been here for decades. With some who have held leadership roles going back to the 80s. This is your LD, built with your hands; and I know that the only way that I can be successful in moving forward is if you allow me to lean on your knowledge and experience. I am coming to you with my hat in hand, and asking that you allow me to take the seat that each of you have more of a right to hold.

Those that know me, know that I can be stubbornly independent and passionate in my support of the underdog. I am fiercely loyal, and this passion has at times put me at odds with some members. It is my hope that if you and I previously found ourselves on opposite sides of an issue, that you can look back at the events and conclude that once the vote was cast, that I held no ill will, and that I moved forward in support of you and/or your mandates. And can we agree that some of the strongest friendships begin with a rough and tumble dust-up, and a well-earned mutual respect?

As mentioned, I've been here for over ten years, and during that time, I've been lucky enough to see what great leadership looks like. I've seen the well-oiled machine of the Tim Nuse chairmanship, and I was blessed to be a member under Marcee Stone-Vekich, who I felt was a leader that took a genuine interest in how each member was doing. And most recently, we have all been inspired at how Carla and her team have brought the 34th through the pandemic, keeping the 34th strong and vibrant.

This is your 34th. If there is a candidate with longer tenure, or a greater vision for moving the 34th forward, I respect your decision. However, if you choose to put me in the seat, I promise to support both members and elected officials in their journey to make the 34th a better place for us all.



Rachel Glass – Candidate for 1st Vice Chair

This January, I will be running to retain my position as 1st Vice Chair, and I would be honored to have your vote as I strive, through my role in leadership, to model and achieve the change I want to see in our party, our community, and our world! My personal passions and top priorities, which drive my work on the 34th LD Executive Board are:

- Expanding our membership;
- Building relationships and coalitions in the community with BIPOC, youth, and folks who have historically felt unrepresented in the Democratic Party;
- Recruiting more PCOs who create more personal connections with our neighbors in the 34th and help increase voter turnout;
- Recruiting more volunteers for campaigns and projects;
- Creating more GOTV opportunities in our District and in other Districts, cities, and states, where Democrats need our help to win their elections



I am a lifelong Progressive Democrat and have voted in every election since turning 18, a proud Union member (SAG-AFTRA-Seattle Local & AEA), and a West Seattle resident for almost 25 years. I'm the current PCO of the largest precinct in the 34th LD. I ran my Precinct Caucus in 2016 and retained 100% of my delegates to the LD level.

I was appointed Chair of Elections/Caucus Committee—2019-2020: I recruited over 50 volunteers; planned/oversaw all aspects of Caucus 2020; organized and ran all committee meetings; when Live Caucus 2020 was canceled due to COVID19, I continued to actively recruit/train Sanders & Biden supporters to run for delegate; I ran phone/online training sessions to help them navigate the entire Delegate process. I successfully recruited/trained folks in the 34th, 29th, 33rd, 41st, 43rd & 47th LDs to run! I recruited folks from communities of color, Muslim communities, LGBTQ+ communities, and youth ages 17-24 to participate in the first-time ever Virtual Caucus 2020. I also recruited 90+ % of the delegates who represented the 34th LD at the 2022 State Democratic Convention in Tacoma.

I organized GOTV opportunities (phonebanking, textbanking, postcarding, and letter writing) for the 34th LD and community members during the 2020 election cycle and personally recruited over 47 friends, family, and members of the 34th to help with GOTV! I personally participated in GOTV campaigns from July to November: in the 34th LD and in all key Battleground States—2020. This year, my family and I:

- Knocked 850+ doors in my precinct (total during Primary & General 2022).
- 100 handwritten letters to PA voters.
- 1,100 handwritten postcards to PA, OH, MI, SC, GA voters. (2020 & 2022)
- 501,784 texts sent to key swing-state voters all over the country (2020 & 2022) ; we had thousands of conversations, helping English- and Spanish-speaking voters to register to vote, sharing information about candidates, helping voters to Vote By Mail or find their polling places, giving them GOTV resources, reminding them to vote themselves, giving info RE: rides to the polls, and helping them to track their ballot once they voted.

I'm a 5-Time WA State Delegate (Obama-2008, 2012; Sanders-2016, 2020; State Convention-2022)

I'm the co-founder and lead organizer of Hate Free Delridge (est. 2016), an active grassroots group in West Seattle responding to hate crimes through a volunteer-driven Rapid Response Network and advocating for BIPOC and marginalized groups; HFD sponsors forums, events, workshops, community rallies, GOTV, offers resources/support to targets of hate crimes.

I am the female voice narrator for the audio version of the WA State Voters Pamphlet (Secretary of State's office), which provides access to all voter info on the ballot in each election for blind/disabled voters; 2013-present.

I have served as a Table Captain for every WA Alliance for Gun Responsibility Annual Fundraiser Luncheon since its inception and have raised over \$50,000 for WAGR in the fight for sensible gun legislation.

Chris Porter - Candidate for State Committee Member, Male

My name is Chris Porter, and I am running for re-election as your state committee person. I am proud of the work I have done and the way that I have represented the 34th LD across the state. I have served as the Affirmative Action Committee co-chair, championing efforts to increase diversity, not only in our LD for Delegates to the national convention, but across the state. I



argued for greater diversity in our Democratic National Convention (DNC) representatives within the state party. As a result, State Senator Javier Valdez, and newly elected Congresswoman Marie Gluesenkamp Perez were elected as DNC reps, in part, because of some of the work around Diversity Equity and Inclusion (DEI) in the state party that I have done. I have advocated for people living with a disability to have greater voice and presence at our state party meetings.

Anti-racism has been difficult to discuss, but I was brave enough to call it out and get our state party members to address the elephant in the room. Because of that, members of the state party have received training and education around DEI, anti-racism, and White Supremacy culture.

I continue to lead discussions around DEI in the 34th, volunteer on our fundraising committee, awards committee, and event planning for candidate forums and debates, lead discussion and planning for a Code of Conduct, and work on campaigns like the Best Start for Kids levy and re-electing Dow Constantine.

If I am re-elected, I plan to work to get elected as the Congressional District 7 representative and have the 34th host the 2024 Congressional caucus for the Democratic National Convention Delegate selection; it will be the first time our LD has hosted this event.

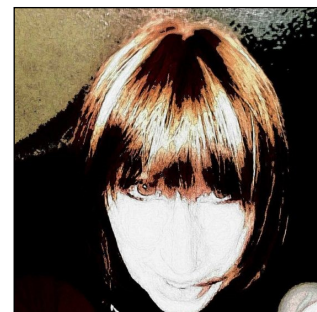
I love being a PCO and representing the 34th. When I travel to meetings, it is clear that the 34th LD is a strong organization and the envy of many. I want to continue to represent that community strength and I ask for your vote.

Bunny Hatcher - Candidate for KCDCC Member, Female

I am Bunny Hatcher, member of the 34th LD since 2008 and active Democrat since my teens. I seek your support in my quest to represent the 34th on the King County Democratic Central Committee. I currently serve as Alternate for this position, and have attended all KCDCC meetings during my 2 year tenure.

I also fulfilled our committee responsibility by serving on the KCDCC Endorsements Committee. Thus, I have experience with the rules and procedures of the Central Committee, and have developed strong working relationships with many representatives from other Democratic LDs within King County.

I bring something else important to this position - reliability. I attended all KCDCC and Endorsements meetings during my term as Alternate, just as I never missed a single meeting when serving as your representative to the State Platform Committee. When I ask for your vote, I am making a commitment to you that I will show up. I will make sure that the 34th always has a representative at the table when decisions are being made - because, as a multiracial woman, I understand that those who are not at the table are on the menu!



In exchange for your support, I offer this experience and reliability. I also offer you my promise to listen to the diverse voices of the 34th, and to include ALL of our interests when representing our LD at KCDCC meetings.

It has been a gift to serve as KCDCC Alternate during the past 2 years, and I ask for the honor of serving as your Representative for the next two years. Thank you.

Ted Barker - Candidate for KCDCC Member, Male



I have been involved with the 34th District Democrats for about 14 years. In the past I have served as First Vice Chair, KCDCC Alternate, KCDCC Representative, and on various committees. I have always been interested in politics, but as is all too common just a voter and spectator. Like many I was brought to a 34th meeting by a friend trying to pack the room to get an endorsement. Seeing what went on and getting the feeling this was where “real” politics happened, especially at the local level is what has kept me coming back. Involvement in issues at a national level takes a long view and the realization you’re a small part of a big process, but is also important. As time goes on its local politics that seems to be where I feel the differences can be made. For this reason I wish to return as KCDCC Rep and I ask for your vote. Thank you.

Proposed Rules for Virtual Reorganization Meeting of the 34th District Democrats

(Approved by the executive board on November 16, 2022.)

1. Applicability

- a. This set of rules shall govern all business that must be conducted at the 34th District Democrats's biennial Reorganization meeting in the event that, pursuant to Article 5 of the bylaws, it is held virtually.

2. Conduct of Business

- a. Individuals are to remain muted throughout proceedings unless unmuted by the Chair or the Chairs designee after being granted the floor. To prevent debate that circumnavigates the standard speaking order or distracts focus from the recognized speaker holding the floor, any chat functions should only allow direct 1:1 messaging to individual participants.
- b. To be recognized, a Member must first communicate their desire to be recognized and the purpose for which recognition is sought. If a member would like to be recognized for debate or to provide a motion, or a nomination during the election of officers, they may use the "raise hand" function in Zoom, or similar applicable function in the software being utilized, provided the Chair or Chair's designee will be able to monitor all participants equally well and assure fairness in recognition. The Chair or the Chair's designee will keep a running list of individuals who have their hands raised and the order in which they raised their hands to recognize them to speak.
 - i. If conducting debate, the Chair may bypass the next speaker to hear from additional individuals who have their hands raised to alternate debate between pro and con.
- a. Requests for recognition to make a motion that requires interrupting the current speaker and requests for recognition when no other business is pending should be made by direct messaging the Chair or the Chairs designee directly using the most suitable chat function available within the platform being utilized.
- b. Debate will be limited to a maximum of one minute per speaker, and a maximum of two speeches pro and two speeches con, per motion.

3. Election of Officers

- a. Election of Officers will be the first item of business after gaveling the meeting to order.
- b. Any individual who otherwise is eligible to serve as an elected officer may submit their name and position for which they are running prior to any virtual election being held, to the current Chair and district Secretary. The Secretary will confirm receipt of intention to run within 24 hours of receiving the intention. An individual may submit their name for multiple positions but if they do, they need to expressly indicate whether they will accept the first position to which they are elected and withdraw their name from nomination for the other offices to be elected, or if they intend to occupy multiple offices if so elected. Any individual may be nominated from the floor with a nomination and following any additional requirements per local bylaws.
- c. All votes will be conducted sequentially in the order of Chair; Vice Chair; both State Committee Officers; all other local officers outlined in the district Charter and Bylaws.
 - i. The current Chair of the Organization will preside over the meeting until such time as a new Chair is elected.
 - ii. Under the charter and by state statute, only duly elected PCO's elected for the 2022-2024 term (in May 2022) may vote for Chair, Vice Chair, State Committee Officers and King County Committee Officers. The eligibility of non-PCO members to vote on any other business is determined by the LPO Bylaws.
 1. 2023 members and duly elected PCOs will vote on the Secretary and Treasurer offices.
 - iii. A majority is required for election.
 1. In the event that no candidate achieves a majority on the first round of voting, candidates will be removed until there are two (2) times the number of positions available (example: If 8 people are running for 2 state committee member positions, then the bottom 4 vote-getters are dropped,

with 4 remaining, following all applicable gender requirements.)

2. In the event of a tie when no other candidates can be dropped due to positions being filled the position shall be decided by lot.
- iv. After the conclusion of the Chair's election, only candidates of a different gender identity, if any are running, are eligible to appear on the ballot for Vice Chair election.
- v. Elections for State Committee members must be conducted simultaneously. All candidates for State Committee Members will be listed on the ballot, and voters must select exactly two (2) candidates, but they must be of different genders (example: a voter may choose 1 male, 1 female, 1 male and 1 gender non-binary individual, 1 female and 1 gender non-binary individual, but may not select 2 gender non-binary individuals 2 males, or 2 females).
- d. Each candidate who is nominated in advance shall be allowed to submit a written statement to the Chair and Secretary of the district no later than January 6 (5) days before the virtual election. Submitted statements received by the deadline will be included in the weekly email of the district, the Sunday prior to any virtual election being held.
 - i. Chair Candidates: Statement of no more than 500 words.
 - ii. Vice Chair 1 and 2, State Committee Members and County Committee Members (if applicable): Statement of no more than 350 words.
 - iii. All other local party offices: Statement of no more than 250 words.
- e. Each candidate shall be allowed to give a live speech prior to the vote for each respective position over the designated online meeting platform, subject to the below limitations. Order is determined by the order in which candidates were nominated (including those who were nominated prior to the beginning of the meeting).
 - i. Chair Candidates: Speech no longer than four (4) minutes.
 - ii. Vice Chair 1 and 2, State Committee Members and County Committee Members (if applicable): Speech no longer than three (3) minutes.
 - iii. All other local offices: Speech no longer than two (2) minutes.
- f. The Chair and/or a designated individual or tally committee shall create and compile the ballot for all positions. Ballots must meet the following requirements:
 - i. Voting for any office with only one candidate will be done by voice vote.
 - ii. Each ballot shall go "live" only after the conclusion of all speeches for the respective position.
 - iii. A ballot will be made available via zoom poll for all offices. Those voters who do not have access to use the provided ballot, will have the ability of sending their vote to an offline ballot manager.
 1. Offline ballots will require member/PCO email and name verified against the 34th database.
 - iv. Ballots must remain open for a minimum of fifteen (15) minutes.
 - v. Any member of a local organization in good standing must be able to audit all ballots and election results upon written request to the Chair and/or another designated individual. The highest-ranking outgoing officer of the organization and a second individual designated by the outgoing Chair, neither of whom may be candidates themselves, shall certify the election results as timely as possible after the close of voting and immediately transmit said results to all members present.

Other Business

- a. An agenda proposed by the Chair at the time of Call to Meeting, to be distributed no fewer than 10 days from the beginning of the meeting will be voted upon during the meeting using the same process as used to elect officers.
 - i. The proposed agenda must include elections for all officers and may include proposed Bylaw amendments that otherwise comply with notice requirements in the LPO's current bylaws.
- b. All other business will be conducted in accordance with local bylaws and section 2 of these rules.



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