



## Democratic Central Committee of Shasta County

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**Meeting Location:** Virtual (link available on the DCCSC Website Calendar)

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**MINUTES November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2022 6:00 p.m.**

### CALL TO ORDER

- 1) Quorum – Parliamentarian- Quorum met.
- 2) Call to Order: 6:00 PM.
- 3) CONSENT CALENDAR: Madison made a motion to approve the consent calendar. Ryan seconded. Motion passed.
- 4) Visitor Introductions:
- 5) New Business
  - a. Election analysis and post-mortem effort- Will wants to get a group together to look at election data and how we can improve candidate recruitment and electoral performance. Anyone interested can contact Elizabeth.
  - b. How to get members more engaged- Madison is working on creating some polls to see what people would like to see and what would get them more engaged. Anyone interested in helping should contact Madison.
  - c. Ongoing financial support- Bev reported that the DCC was able provide financial support for several candidates. The majority of contribution to the DCC are coming from Act Blue. She will be sending an email asking people to “bump” their recurring contributions. People can also send checks monthly or create automatic deductions directly to the DCC if they don’t want to contribute using Act Blue.
  - d. Supporters to help plan fundraising dinner- Madison has been contacting venues about the possibly of holding an in person fundraising event. She was thinking we could do it at the beginning of the year. If anyone has any ideas or would like to help they should contact Madison. Dana will check with Sierra Oaks Golf Club.
  - e. In person winter gathering- Cheryl brought up the idea of having a gathering at the Labor Hall for the next DCC meeting. She will check to see if the Hall is available and let everyone know.
  - f. Request from Eddie McAllister for a DCC rep to the Shasta Beloved Community planning group for MLK Day- Anyone who is interested helping with this should contact Elizabeth.
  - g. DCC Roster review- CADEM requested an updated roster. Elizabeth will send it out to the voting members for review. She asks that everyone review their information to make sure it is correct.
- 6) OLD BUSINESS
  - a. Change to internet and phone service- Elizabeth wasn’t able to get information from John about the internet service at the hall. Bev and Will are working on getting a Google Voice number to replace our current phone service.
  - b. Report on “Pizza and Politics” events- There was only one event held on Saturday because of low interest in the Monday event. There were 3 new people who showed up at the event that day as well as some familiar people. Overall, the event appears to have been a success.
- 7) REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES: (2-minute time limit and/or written report)
  - a. Finance – Beverly Simone- Financial report sent to everyone.

- b. Fundraising-
  - c. Media- Madison Zimmerman- She is still waiting for information about Constant Contact. She thanked everyone who submitted photos for the “dogs for democracy” campaign.
  - d. Elections – There will be a postmortem of the election.
  - e. Bylaws - Will Pasley- The Bylaws committee hasn’t met. Will will set up a meeting for December of January. Anyone interested in helping should contact him.
- 8) REPORTS OF AD-HOC COMMITTEES, Chartered Clubs: (2-minute time limit and/or written report)
- a. PAGE (Political Action Grassroots Engagement) - Cheryl McKinley sent a report about her activities. She has been very busy with election activities.
  - b. DWC - (Democratic Women's Club) - Sandra Taylor- Cheryl reported that the DWC will be meeting indoors during the winter months. There will be a donation drive for mutual aid on Saturday November 19<sup>th</sup> at the Labor Hall. Also, Cheryl’s friend received an antisemitic flyer. The DWC will be selling anti-hate yard signs. Anyone interested should contact Cheryl.
- 9) GOOD OF THE ORDER
- ADEM election will be at the Hall in person on January 7<sup>th</sup>. People can also vote by mail.

Dana reported that poll working was much easier with the new system.

Linda was also a poll worker and reported that it was a long day. There were only a few people who came in without ballots. There was better security around dropping ballots off at the end of the day.

DCCSC Member Announcements

Meeting adjourned at 7:14 pm.