



Washington County
 Democrats Central Committee
 March 8, 2023 - Special Endorsements Meeting
 Draft Minutes

1. The meeting started at 7:03PM. Officers in attendance were Chair Martita Meier, VC1 Ryan Domelen, VC2 Derrick Ryan, and Secretary Pro-Tem Victoria Long. Alice Bartelt attended as Parliamentarian. A quorum was met. There were 63 PCPs (at start) and 14 guests.
2. The Prepared Agenda was approved as presented. Martita Meier presented an overview of how the meeting would proceed as per the website.
 - o Chair of the Endorsements Committee Madison Walters made remarks. The Endorsements Committee members are Madison Walters, Valerie Pratt, Zeloszelos Marchandt, Cynthia Lam Moffett, Angeles Godinez and Joey Sorenson as alternate.
3. Hillsboro School District
 - Position 4: See Eun Kim spoke for 2 minutes (7:10-7:12pm) The Endorsements Comm. made a report.
 - o The Endorsements Committee moved (3-8-2023-1) to adopt their recommendation to endorse See Eun Kim. No Discussion. VOTE: YES/56 NO/none - Motion passed.
 - Position 5: Ivette Pantoja spoke for 2 minutes (7:13-7:14pm) The Endorsements Comm. made a report.
 - o The Endorsements Committee moved (3-8-2023-2) to adopt their recommendation to endorse Ivette Pantoja. No Discussion. VOTE: YES/57 NO/1 - Motion passed.
 - Position 7: Patrick Maguire spoke for 2 minutes (7:17-7:19pm) The Endorsements Comm. made a report.
 - o The Endorsements Committee moved (3-8-2023-3) to adopt their recommendation to endorse Patrick Maguire. No Discussion. VOTE: YES/58 NO/none - Motion passed.
2. Beaverton School District
 - Zone 3: Two candidates:
 - o Maham Ahmed spoke for 2 minutes (7:25-7:27pm)
 - o Melissa Potter spoke for 2 minutes (7:27-7:29pm)
 - o Zeloszelos Marchandt made a report regarding the Endorsements Committee changing its endorsement to Maham Ahmed due to recently received information from the Beaverton Education Association re Melissa Potter. Cynthia Lam Moffett made a minority report in favor of Melissa Potter. Chair Martita reported that the Endorsements Committee voted 3-1 in favor of Maham Ahmed. Melissa Potter made remarks.
 - o The Endorsements Committee moved (3-8-2023-4) to endorse Maham Ahmed. Discussion. VOTE: YES/27 NO/34 – Motion Fails.

- Bill Waring moved (3-8-2023-5) for a dual endorsement. Raman Velji seconded. No discussion. VOTE: YES/12 NO/51
- Veronica Williams moved (3-8-2023-6) to endorse Melissa Potter. Bill Waring seconded. VOTE: YES/43 NO/14 – The motion to endorse Melissa Potter was passed.
- Brian Gardner moved (3-8-2023-7) to reconsider the motion to endorse Melissa Potter. Elizabeth Case seconded. No Discussion. VOTE: YES/21 NO/34 – Motion to reconsider did not pass.

- Zone 6: Justice Rajee spoke for 2 minutes (8:33-8:35pm) The Endorsements Comm. made a report.

- The Endorsements Committee moved (3-8-2023-8) to adopt their recommendation to endorse Justice Rajee. Discussion. VOTE: YES/53 NO/none – Motion passed.

- Zone 7: Tammy Carpenter spoke for 2 minutes (8:42-8:44pm) The Endorsements Comm. made a report.

- The Endorsements Committee moved (3-8-2023-9) to adopt their recommendation to endorse Tammy Carpenter. Discussion. VOTE: YES/54 NO/none – Motion passed.

4. Sherwood School District

- Position 4: Hans Moller was absent. The Endorsements Committee made a report.

- The Endorsements Committee moved (3-8-2023-10) to adopt their recommendation to endorse Hans Moller. No discussion. VOTE: YES/46 NO/none – Motion passed.

- Position 5: Matt Thornton spoke for 2 minutes (8:47-8:49pm) The Endorsements Comm. made a report.

- The Endorsements Committee moved (3-8-2023-11) to adopt their recommendation to endorse Matt Thornton. Discussion. VOTE: YES/52 NO/none – Motion passed.

5. Tigard Tualatin School District

- Position 2: Kristen Miles was absent. The Endorsements Comm. made a report.

- The Endorsements Committee moved (3-8-2023-12) to adopt their recommendation to endorse Kristen Miles. Discussion. VOTE: YES/49 NO/none – Motion passed.

- Position 4: Jill Zurschmeide was absent. The Endorsements Comm. made a report.

Elizabeth Case moved (3-8-2023-13) to endorse via an unanimous consent vote the following candidates: Jill Zurschmeide, Crystal Weston, Kristi Wilson, Miles Palacios, Tya Ping and Carl Fisher. Garrett Fleenor seconded. The Endorsements Committee made a consensus report on the candidates. No discussion. VOTE: YES/49 NO/none – Motion passed.

- Position 5: Crystal Weston spoke for 2 minutes (9:01-9:03pm)

6. PCC Board of Directors

- Zone 7: Kristi Wilson spoke for 2 minutes (9:03-9:05pm)

7. Tualatin Hills Parks and Recreation District

- Position 4: Miles Palacios spoke for 2 minutes (9:06-9:08pm)

- Position 5: Tya Ping spoke for 2 minutes (9:08-9:10pm)

8. Tualatin Valley Water District

- Position 2: Carl Fisher spoke for 2 minutes ((9:10-9:12pm)

8. The meeting adjourned at 9:15pm.

Recorded by:

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Victoria Long". The signature is written in black ink on a white background.

Victoria Long, Washington County Democrats Secretary Pro-Tem, 3-8-2023

Approved: