UDC Membership Meeting Minutes 04.04.2023 Via Zoom

Present: Betsey Knapp, Abigail Martin, Scott Wasserman, Danielle Guggenheim, Scott Wasserman, Meghan Wasserman, Gayle Snible, Morgan Evers, Michael Villanova, Ramdat Singh, Madeline Ritter.

Meeting agenda

8:00pm - Opening message - Betsey

Reporting on the first month of committee work, Betsey reminded us that we're new and experiencing growing pains. Committees are getting up and started, roles are being understood and tweaked. We'll make mistakes. But we're all volunteers and working hard. The excellent news is that everyone on the EC is working hard on our shared goals. Betsey reminded us why we have committees: To achieve our organizational vision, cultivate an active membership, to reach more people, develop a pipeline of new club leadership and of candidates. Finally, to give committee members roles in our work.

Committee Reports - Brief Status Updates

a. 8:05 pm Political Affairs, Organizing & Data

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The committee had its first meeting on 4/3. Twelve people were there to establish goals, norms, and an agenda for next month.

The committee's purpose is to establish a formal endorsement process, empower neighbors for political action, and increase voter participation. To accomplish this, we need to do more outreach. Talk to neighbors, increase language outreach to build our power.

Next meeting: thinking about subcommittees. What do members want to do within POAD? Michael will set up an endorsement process. The cmte will facilitate group discussion around outreach. They will come up with a plan to do organizing for the Judicial Delegate slate.

Educate voters on who representatives are; what responsibilities are to them.

b. 8:10 pm Communications

Communications Cmte (Gayle)