

**37<sup>th</sup> District Democrats Minutes: June 14<sup>th</sup> 2021 Membership Meeting**  
(Note That This Is Second Part of Endorsement Meeting; John Stafford)

**1. Meeting Opening (Stephen Reed – 7:20 pm)**

- Acknowledgement of Pride Month and Contributions of LGBTQ+ Community
- Request by Member to Chair to List Candidates for Each Race

**2. City of Renton Council Position Number 2 (7:27)**

- Nominated Candidates: Marvin Rosete, Carmen Rivera
- Marvin Rosette 1-Minute Speech
- Speaker for Marvin Rosete
- Carmen Rivera 1-Minute Speech
- Speaker for Carmen Rivera
- Vote Result: 66 Rivera; 39 Rosete; 4 No Endorsement
- **Endorsed Candidate: Carmen Rivera**

**3. City of Renton Council Position Number 6 (7:46)**

- Nominated Candidates: Ruth Perez – But Not Recognized Due to Lack of Statement Stating that She is a Democrat

**4. City of Seattle City Attorney (7:50)**

- Nominated Candidates: Pete Holmes, Nicole Thomas-Kennedy
- Pete Holmes 1-Minute Speech
- Speaker for Pete Holmes
- Nicole Thomas-Kennedy 1-Minute Speech
- Speaker for Nicole Thomas-Kennedy
- Vote Result: 71 Holmes; 40 Thomas-Kennedy; 7 No Endorsement
- **Endorsed Candidate: Pete Holmes**

**5. City of Seattle Council Position Number 8 (8:09)**

- Nominated Candidates: Teresa Mosqueda, Kate Martin
  - Kate Martin confirms that she is a Democrat
- Teresa Mosqueda 1-Minute Speech
- Speaker for Teresa Mosqueda
- Kate Martin 1-Minute Speech
- Vote Result: 97 Mosqueda; 12 Martin; 13 No Endorsement
- **Endorsed Candidate: Teresa Mosqueda**

## **6. City of Seattle Council Position 9 (8:31)**

- Nominated Candidates: Brianna Thomas, Sara Nelson, No Endorsement
- Brianna Thomas 1-Minute Speech
- Speaker for Brianna Thomas
- Sara Nelson 1-Minute Speech
- Speaker for Sara Nelson
- Speaker Against Sara Nelson
- Speaker for Sara Nelson
- 1-Minute Speech for No Endorsement
- Speaker for No Endorsement
- Speaker Against No Endorsement
- Speaker for No Endorsement
- Speaker Against No Endorsement
- Vote Result: 71 Thomas, 27 Nelson, 27 No Endorsement
  - This is a Non-Conclusive Vote (See Below for Round Two)

## **7. City of Seattle Mayor (8:51)**

- Nominated Candidates: Colleen Echohawk, Lorena Gonzalez, Andrew Grant Houston, Bruce Harrell, Lance Randall, Jessyn Farrell
- Colleen Echohawk 1-Minute Speech
- Speaker for Colleen Echohawk
- Lorena Gonzalez 1-Minute Speech
- Speaker for Lorena Gonzalez
- Speaker Against Lorena Gonzalez
- Speaker for Lorena Gonzalez
- Speaker Against Lorena Gonzalez
- Speaker for Lorena Gonzalez
- Andrew Grant Houston 1-Minute Speech
- Speaker for Andrew Grant Houston
- Speaker Against Andrew Grant Houston
- Speaker for Andrew Grant Houston
- Speaker Against Andrew Grant Houston
- Speaker for Andrew Grant Houston
- Speaker Against Andrew Grant Houston
- Bruce Harrell 1-Minute Speech
- Speaker for Bruce Harrell
- Speaker Against Bruce Harrell
- Speaker for Bruce Harrell (with some time allotted to Bruce Harrell)
- Speaker Against Bruce Harrell

- Speaker for Bruce Harrell
- Speaker Against Bruce Harrell
- Lance Randall 1-Minute Speech (Candidate is not Present and Another Individual Speaks)
- Speaker for Lance Randall
- Jessyn Farrell 1-Minute Speech (Candidate is not Present and Another Individual Speaks)
- Vote Results: 55 Gonzalez, 36 Harrell, 15 Echohawk, 9 Houston, 8 Farrell, 3 Randall, 4 No Endorsement
  - This is a Non-Conclusive Vote (See Below for Round Two)

#### **8. City of Seattle Council Position 9 – Round Two (9:26)**

- Various Speakers
- Vote Results: 70 Thomas, 24 Nelson, 24 No Endorsement
  - This is a Non-Conclusive Vote (See Below for Round Three)
- Motion for Dual Endorsement of Thomas and Nelson

#### **9. City of Seattle Mayor – Round Two (9:48)**

- Various Speakers
- Vote Results: 54 Gonzalez, 35 Harrell, 12 Echohawk, 9 Farrell, 8 Houston, 6 No Endorsement
  - This is a Non-Conclusive Vote (See Below for Round Three, Which Will Have Three Choices – Gonzalez, Harrell and No Endorsement)

#### **10. City of Seattle Council Position 9 – Round Three (10:14)**

- Various Speakers
- Vote Results: 56 Thomas, 2 Nelson, 53 Dual Endorsement, 24 No Endorsement
  - This is a Non-Conclusive Vote
  - **We Have Achieved No Consensus**

#### **11. King County Superior Court Position 47 (10:46)**

- Nominated Candidates: Judge Andrea Robertson
- Judge Andrea Robertson 1-Minute Speech
- **Endorsed Candidate (by Acclaim): Judge Andrea Robertson**

#### **12. City of Seattle Mayor – Round Three (10:52)**

- Vote Results: 59 Gonzalez, 32 Harrell, 14 No Endorsement
  - This is Non-Conclusive (See Below for Round Four – Which Will be for Dual Endorsement)

**13. City of Renton Municipal Judge Position 1 (10:56)**

- Nominated Candidates: Judge Jessica Giner
- **Endorsed Candidate (by Acclaim): Judge Jessica Giner**

**14. Seattle School Board District 5 (10:57)**

- Nominations: Michelle Sarju, Crystal Liston
- Michelle Sarju 1-Minute Speech
- Speaker for Michelle Sarju
- Crystal Liston 1-Minute Speech
- Speaker for Crystal Liston
- Vote Results: 11 Liston, 73 Sarju, 8 No-Endorsement
- **Endorsed Candidate: Michelle Sarju**

**15. Seattle School Board District 7 (11:13)**

- Nominations: Brandon Hersey
- **Endorsed Candidate (by Acclaim): Brandon Hersey**

**16. City of Seattle Mayor (11:22)**

- Various Speakers
- Vote Results: 45 Gonzalez, 11 Harrell, 26 Dual Endorsement, 28 No Endorsement
  - This is a Non-Conclusive Vote
  - **We have achieved No Consensus**

**17. Public Hospital District One, Position Four (11:25)**

- Nominated Candidates: Winter Cashman
- **Endorsed Candidate (by Acclaim): Winter Cashman**

**18. Motion to Delay Remaining Races (11:27)**

- Unanimous

**19. Adjournment (11:41)**