

37th LD Democrats Membership Meeting

Monday, June 10, 2024

7:00pm, On Zoom

7:00pm

Call to Order

Land Acknowledgment

[Adopt May 2024 Meeting Minutes](#)

- Minutes approval moved to postpone by Alec Stephens due to discussion regarding edit to the Comprehensive Plan section
- Seconded by Jamie Fackler

7:05pm

PCO Appointments

- Andrew Sacco, 37 1571
- Patricia Owen, 37 1891
- Phillip Harrison ,37 1902
- Deborah Daohoust, 37 1616
- Zach Knox, LOIS precinct
- Tealshawn Turner, 37 3159
- Ramona Rucker, KELSEY precinct
- Justin Logan, 37 1906
- Timothy Billing, 37 3840

7:10pm

Brief Overview of the Endorsement Voting Process

7:15pm

Candidate Endorsements

[Full endorsement rules](#)

[Link to candidates filed](#)

[Candidate questionnaires](#)

The offices listed below are eligible to be nominated for endorsement by the 37th LD Democrats:

U.S. Senator

- Maria Cantwell **ENDORSED**
 - Nominated by Lem Howell
 - Seconded Robert Stephenson
 - Statement in support by Casey Duff
 - 44 votes in favor, 3 against
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U.S. Representative, Congressional District 7

- Pramila Jayapal **ENDORSED**
 - Nominated by Shaon Maeda
 - Seconded by James Goodwin
 - Statement in support by Dalia Rodriguez
 - Statement in support by Sharon Maeda
 - 47 votes in favor, 0 votes against
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U.S. Representative, Congressional District 9

- Adam Smith
 - Nominated by Gwen Rench
 - Seconded by Lem Howell
 - Statement in support by Chirag Vedullapalli
 - Statement in support by Gwen Rench
 - Statement in support by Bob Rosenberger
- Melissa Chaudry
 - Nominated by Aram Falsafi
 - Seconded by Beth Brunton
 - Statement by Melissa Chaudry
 - Statement in support by Alouise Urness
 - Statement in support by Amy Hagopian
- No endorsement
 - Nominated by James Goodwin

- Seconded by Ingrid Clair
- Statement in support by James Goodwin
- Statement in support by Ingrid Clair

This race will go to a ballot vote.

Governor

- Bob Ferguson **ENDORSED**
 - Nominated by Alex Stephens
 - Seconded by Jamie Fackler
 - Statement in support by Oksana Reva
 - 51 votes in favor, 0 votes against
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Lieutenant Governor

- Denny Heck **ENDORSED**
 - Nominated by Alex Stephens
 - Seconded by Alex Erickson
 - Statement in support by Alec Stephens
 - Statement in support by Alex Erickson
 - 40 votes in favor, 0 votes against
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Secretary of State

- Steve Hobbs
 - Nominated by Nancy Truitt Pierce
 - Seconded by Alec Stephens
 - Statement in support by Nancy Truitt Pierce
 - Statement in support by Lem Howell
- No endorsement
 - Nominated by Joanna Cullen
 - Seconded by Rory O'Sullivan
 - Statement in support by Joanna Cullen
 - Statement in support by Rory O'Sullivan

This race will go to a ballot vote.

State Treasurer

- Mike Pellicciotti **ENDORSED**
 - Nominated by Rory O'Sullivan
 - Seconded by Lyn McKay
 - Statement in support by Lyn McKay (can you double check this? I was answering a question)
 - 41 votes in favor, 0 votes against

State Attorney General

- Nick Brown
 - Nominated by Alec Stephens
 - Seconded by Laura Van Tosh
 - Statement by Nick Brown
 - Statement in support Lem Howell
 - Statement in support by Vallerine Fisher
 - Statment in support by Laura Van Tosh
- Manka Dhingra
 - Nominated by Rebecca Saldana
 - Seconded by Nancy Truitt Pierce
 - Statement by Manka Dingra
 - Statement in support by Rebecca Saldana
 - Statement in support Nancy Truitt Pierce

This race will go to a ballot vote.

State Commissioner of Public Lands

- Dave Upthegrove **ENDORSED**
 - Nominated by Chipalo Street
 - Seconded by Jamie Fackler
 - Statement by Dave Upthegrove
 - Statement in support by Chipalo Street
 - Statement in support by Jamie Fackler
 - 40 votes in favor, 0 votes against

State Superintendent of Public Instruction

- Chris Reykdal **ENDORSED**
 - Nominated by Nancy Truitt Pierce
 - Seconded by Lyn McKay
 - Statement by Chris Reykdal
 - Statement in support by Nancy Truitt Pierce
 - Statement in support by Vallerie Fisher
 - 37 votes in favor, 0 votes against

State Insurance Commissioner

- Patty Kuderer **ENDORSED**
 - Nominated by Lem Howell
 - Seconded by Alec Stephens
 - Statement by Patty Kuderer
 - Statement in support by Lem Howell
 - Statement in support by Nancy Truitt Pierce
 - 43 votes in favor, 0 votes against

37th Legislative District Positions 1 & 2

- Sharon Tomiko Santos **ENDORSED**
 - Nominated by Vallerie Fisher
 - Seconded by Robert Stephens jr.
 - Statement by Sharon Tominko Santos
 - Statement in support by Alec Stephens
 - Statement in support by Lyn McKay
 - 41 votes in favor, 1 vote against
- Chipalo Street **ENDORSED**
 - Nominated by Ryan Krumbholz
 - Seconded by Robert Stephens Jr
 - Statement by Chipalo Street
 - Statement in support by Vallerie Fisher
 - Statement in support by Sharon Tomiko Santos

- 44 votes in favor, 0 votes against

Seattle City Council Position 8

- Tanya Woo
 - Nominated by Sharon Tomiko Santos
 - Seconded by Teresa Huey
 - Statement by Tanya Woo
 - Statement in support by Dave McClelland
 - Statement in support by Sharon Tomiko Santo
- Tarik Yusuf
 - Nominated by Alouise Urness
 - Seconded by Aram Falsafi
 - Statement by Tarik Yusuf
 - Statement in support by Alouise Urness
 - Statement in support by Aram Falsafi
- Saunatina Sanchez
 - Nominated by Rachel Ludwick
 - Seconded by Yuan Tao
 - Statement by Saunatina Sanchez
 - Statement in support by Rachel Ludwick
- Alexis Mercedes-Rinck
 - Nominated by James Lucking
 - Seconded by Jamie Fackler
 - Statement by Alexis Mercedes-Rinck
 - Statement in support by James Lucking
 - Statement in support by Rebecca Saldana

This race will go to a ballot vote.

State Supreme Court Positions 2, 8, 9 (contested race: Position 2)

- Sal Mungia (Position 2) **ENDORSED**
 - Nominated by Lem Howell
 - Seconded by Bob Rosenberger
 - Statement by Sal Mungia

- Statement in support by Lem Howell
- Statement in support by Alec Stephens
- 31 votes in favor, 0 votes against

King County Superior Court Positions 1-54 (contest race: Position 41)

- Paul Crissalli (Position 41) **ENDORSED**
 - Nominated by Alec Stephens
 - Seconded by Joanna Cullen
 - Statement by Paul Crissalli
 - Statement in favor by Alec Stephens
 - 33 votes in favor, 0 votes against

Ballot Measure:

The executive board recommends a “Do Endorse” vote of “NO on 2109.”
(2109 is the proposed Repeal Capital Gains Tax Initiative.) [About the Measure](#) Additional Reference: <https://www.investwanow.org/>

- Voting No on 2109 **ENDORSED**
 - Nominated by Jamie Fackler
 - Seconded by Robert Stephens jr.
 - Statement in favor Jamie Fackler
 - Statement in favor by Lois Martin
 - Statement in favor by Joanna Cullen
 - 39 votes in favor, 0 votes against

8:40pm

Budgeting for Printed Election Materials
\$4000 approved by the membership

8:55pm Good of the Order

9:00pm Adjourn