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**From the Chair**

**By Allison Taylor**

I believe strongly that while we are forced to spend a lot of time focused on negative things going on in the world, we have opportunities every single day to find something positive happening and then a duty to share that positivity with others. Whether it's telling your best friend about something great your kids or grandkids did at school, sharing a Social Media post about someone or some group doing something progressive and innovative to better the world or just reminding your significant other that you appreciate it when they put away the clean dishes before you get home - every little moment of positive reflection balances us. Sharing positive thoughts, feelings or observations with others can help to combat some of the oppressive, negative, constant sadness and fear we experience through a lot of our typical modes of "world input" like social media, radio, TV news and conversations at the proverbial water cooler.

**General Membership Meeting**

**April 4, 2018, 7:00 to 9:00 PM**

Belmor Park Clubhouse  
2101 S 324th St, Federal Way

*(First Wednesday of each month)*

As Democrats, we are on the precipice of what could be a historic election cycle. This November we can leverage the power given to us by a clear lack of leadership in the White House, Congress and even at the State level and begin to take back seats that matter. Use the negative and awful things we are exposed to as fuel to drive us as we get up early on our day off to doorbell or sign wave, as we reach deeper into our pockets to help fund a candidates' campaign or step outside of our box and join a protest march for something you strongly believe in.

We have a lot to be positive about here in the 30<sup>th</sup> LD. Our State Representatives have helped to ensure we have amazing and progressive Voter bills, that we are maintaining reproductive health benefits for women, banning the cruel and unusual torture of "gay conversion therapy", stopping dark money in politics, providing more support for our Veterans, making sure our children get breakfast and more.

I would like you all to stop and breathe all that good stuff in.

# Storage Unit Cleanup

By Allison Taylor

I should have taken a before picture...but trust me, this are looking much better in our storage unit. You can walk in!!

Thanks to Leah, Jon-Michael, Madelyn, Jim and Tim for all the help!! Things are organized and we know what's there. Great teamwork!



The work done in 2016 to elect Kristine Reeves and Mike Pellicciotti has paid off with the level of leadership they followed through with in Olympia. We must honor their efforts and get ready to ramp up again as we move forward with not only a NEED to retain those important seats but also with the opportunity to take back the power

in the Senate and get a Democrat into the seat currently held by Mark Miloscia.

I am excited about some of the opportunities we have coming up to support important candidates, as well as the opportunities to spend time with you facing the negative together and remembering to share the positives in life!

Onward,  
Allison

## The Ask

By Allison Taylor

As we gear up towards election time, it should never be taken for granted that although it shouldn't be the deciding factor in any campaign, the financial stability of a candidate matters. In order for the 30th LD to continue to pay their bills and make sure that we can continue to support our candidates, we have to make sure that our income is consistent.

Today I ask that if you haven't yet---please pay your membership dues.

If you have paid them---please consider making an additional donation now!!

### Dues

Dues for 2018 may be paid online through ActBlue!

<https://secure.actblue.com/contribute/page/30thdemswa>

## Claire Wilson Campaign Builds Momentum!

By Nilofar Ganjaie

Educator and School Board President Claire Wilson is pleased to announce a growing list of endorsements and momentum in her campaign to defeat partisan Republican Mark Miloscia. Wilson has secured support from local elected leaders like Jesse Johnson (Federal Way City Council), Mildred Ollee (Federal Way School Board), Carol Gregory (Federal Way School Board and former 30th LD Rep.), Ray Vefik (Auburn School Board). Wilson has also been endorsed by elected leaders in the legislature like Senate Majority Leader Sharon Nelson, leader in the legislative LGBTQ caucus Rep. Laurie Jenkins, Senator Jamie Pedersen, Senator Kevin Ranker, Senator Marko Liias, Rep. Christine Kilduff, and other community leaders and elected officials.

In addition, Wilson's fast-starting campaign is backed by the "Sister District" program, bringing Democratic volunteers from safe seat communities to help elect progressive, local leaders like Claire.

Wilson, who has lived and worked in Federal Way and South King County for over two decades, is ideally positioned to defeat Miloscia, a well-known but highly divisive lawmaker who voted against both protecting reproductive choice as well as tax relief for local residents in the recent session.

"I'm excited and grateful for the incredible early support for my campaign, and the feedback from local families I've worked with as an educator and school board leader who know my long record of hands-on commitment to kids and families," said Wilson. "I look forward to the months ahead and the opportunity to win back this important Senate seat."

## **A Resolution to Amend Article IX of the Bylaws of the Democratic Party of the State of Washington**

**By Madelyn Grayson**

**WHEREAS** Chapter 29a.80 RCW and WAC 434-230-100 do not address duties of political party precinct committee officers; and

**WHEREAS** the Bylaws of the Democratic Party of the State of Washington, Article IX Article IX, Legislative District Organizations state:

The legislative district organization shall be the governing body of the legislative district Democratic Party and shall have the responsibility for conducting Party affairs at the legislative district level. It shall be composed of all elected and appointed precinct committee officers.

In any legislative district organization, only elected precinct committee officers and precinct committee officers appointed after the organizational meeting shall vote for district chair, vice chair, state committeewoman, state committeeman and any representative the

legislative district organization is authorized to send to other Party organizations, and on the adoption or amendment of bylaws. Legislative district organizations may allow other Democrats to participate in all other functions; and

**WHEREAS** the Bylaws of the Democratic Party of the State of Washington Article XII Amendments, Rules state Bylaws may be amended by affirmative vote of a majority of the entire membership of the SCC (State Central Committee), or as provided in the Charter; and

**WHEREAS** Amendments to these Bylaws of the Democratic Party of the State of Washington must be presented in writing to the state chair by an SCC member at least fifteen (15) days prior to an SCC meeting or by an elected delegate to the State Convention thirty (30) days prior to the State Convention and the State Chair shall then publish the full text of the proposed amendment in the call no later than ten (10) days prior to the date of the meeting or convention.

**WHEREAS** to increase membership and participation at the local legislative district organization;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that we, The 30th District Democrats of the State of Washington, call on the Democratic Party of the State of Washington to amend Article IX, Part A and B of the Bylaws of the Democratic Party of the State of Washington to read as follows:

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the legislative district organization shall be the governing body of the legislative district Democratic Party and shall have the responsibility for conducting Party affairs at the legislative district level. It shall be composed of all elected and appointed precinct committee officers **and acting PCOs appointed by the local chair.**

**THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** that in any legislative district organization, ~~only~~ elected precinct committee officers, ~~and~~ precinct committee officers appointed after the organizational meeting, **and acting PCOs**

appointed by the local chair. shall vote for district chair, vice chair, state committeewoman, state committeeman and any representative the legislative district organization is authorized to send to other Party organizations, and on the adoption or amendment of bylaws. Legislative district organizations may allow other Democrats to participate in all other functions; ~~And~~

## Proposed Changes to By-Laws & Standing Rules

### By-Laws Committee

Here is a summary of the proposed changes (in red). Please contact Madelyn Grayson for the complete By-laws with changes noted. Thanks to the By-laws committee for all their hard work!

#### By-Laws

##### Article III Membership

Sec. 6) All records of The 30th District Democrats shall be open to inspection at a reasonable time and location upon request of any 30th District Democrats member. Membership list names may be released as directed by the Executive board or by vote of the membership.

##### Article IV Precinct Committee Officers

c. An Acting PCO is a resident of the 30th District but not of the precinct in which they serve. An Acting PCO shall be appointed by the County Chair upon approval of the District PCOs. An acting PCO shall be superseded by appointment or election of a resident PCO. Acting PCOs shall have shall have all rights and privileges, except they cannot vote on Legislative Vacancies nor election of District Officers as listed in Art. VI Sec. 2 of these bylaws.

##### Article VI: Voting

Sec. 3) To be elected to office a candidate must accept the nomination in person or in writing. Each person will be allowed a five-minute block of time to present and/or to have other members present on their behalf.

#### Article VII Officers

Sec. 3) Only voting members of this organization shall be Elected Officers or made Executive Board members. No member shall hold more than one (1) Executive Board position except as presented herein. During the selection of any or all of the Executive Board positions, a member may only be elected or appointed to serve in one position. If no one is nominated and qualified to be elected or appointed for a specific Executive Board position, the election or appointment will bypass that position until all open positions have been presented to the body for selection. If, after all positions have been presented, there are unfilled Executive Board positions, the positions will be re-presented for a second round of voting or appointment whereby an Executive Board member may be selected to fill additional positions in an "Acting" capacity. All "Acting" Executive Board members will serve for a term of up to seventy (70) days **six months to be reconsidered in January and July** upon which time a new election or appointment shall be held at the next appropriate meeting. Acting Executive Board members may continue to serve in the "Acting" capacity until such time as the position is filled for the remainder of the term. Any Executive Board position filled in an "Acting" capacity will be bypassed in the order of succession as set forth herein.

Sec. 4) Elected Officers shall serve until the next biennial reorganization meeting occurring in odd numbered years or until their successors are duly elected, unless removed from office. **unless they become ineligible for the office, vacate the office, or are removed from office.**

#### Article IX Voting Members of the Executive Board

Sec. 4) The Executive Board may remove a member after three unexcused absences in one calendar year.

#### Article XI Standing Committees

Sec. 2) Standing Committee chairs shall serve until the next biennial reorganization meeting unless they become ineligible for the office, vacate the office or are removed from office.

#### Article XVI: Miscellaneous Provisions

Sec. 1) These Bylaws, subject to approval by the WSDCC, shall become effective upon adoption by a majority of those eligible members present and voting at any regular membership meeting.

Sec 4) Upon approval of the bylaws, a copy of them with any attached pages for amendments shall be signed by the chair and dated. This Official Copy, with a copy of each current amendment attached, shall be present at all official meetings. A copy of the Bylaws shall be made available to any member upon request.

#### Standing Rules and Procedures

##### Article I: General Membership Meetings

Sec. 1) All delegate and committee reports shall be submitted in writing for publication. Only notices requiring action by the body will be announced at the meeting.

Sec. 1) Only candidates seeking our endorsement and who are not known to be members of another political party shall be heard at Candidate Presentations.

Sec. 2) If an endorsement has been made for an elected office, only the endorsed candidate or his or her official surrogate may be heard in regard to that race, unless a candidate meeting the conditions of Section 1 has not yet addressed the organization. Once an endorsement has been made for an elected office, candidate presentations are limited to those of the endorsed candidate(s), his or her surrogate, and candidates meeting the conditions of Section 1 who have not yet addressed the body.

##### Article III Endorsement Procedures

Sec. 14) All 30th District endorsed candidates in a contested race who reside in the 30th District and request a donation, will be given a donation of \$100 for a primary race and \$250 for a general election race contingent upon funds

availability as determined by the Executive Board. This does not preclude a larger donation to a candidate if approved by the board and voted on by the general membership at a regularly scheduled meeting.

#### Article IV Chairperson Roles and Responsibilities

Sec. 4) Fundraising Chairperson

- A. Advertise and hold raffle at monthly meetings.
- B. Contact other legislative districts to learn about possible fundraising activities.
- C. Seek / Plan fundraising activities.
- D. Recruit volunteers for the annual South County Democrats fundraisers.
- E. Ensure all fundraising activities meet state regulations and guidelines.

### Notification from the Chair

At the April 4<sup>th</sup> general meeting, an amendment to Section III of the standing rules will be considered. If adopted the amendment would delete Section 14 of Section III.

### New Member/Volunteer Orientation

Cool opportunity! Josh Fike's New Volunteer Orientation is scheduled for April 21<sup>st</sup>, 12:30-2pm at the Fed Way Library on 1<sup>st</sup> Ave. Spread the WORD! (No RSVP Needed!!)

<https://www.facebook.com/events/1008920509274015/?ti=icl>

### Election Notification

At the April General Meeting, elections will be held for the LAC Representative and a LAC Alternate.

# Congratulations Kristine!



Please join  
Reps. Monica Stonier and Noel Frame, Liz Hall,  
Mina Hashemi Mercer, Emily Murphy,  
Katy Ozog, and Halei Watkins

For a celebration in support of  
**REPRESENTATIVE KRISTINE REEVES**  
on her EMILY's List 2018 Gabrielle Giffords Rising Star Award  
Nomination

04.12.2018 | 5:30 - 7:00 pm  
The Sky Lounge at Viktoria Apartments  
1915 2nd Ave | Seattle, WA 98101

Sponsorship Levels  
**\$100 | \$250 | \$500**  
Suggested donation: **\$50**  
Young Democrat Level: **\$25**

RSVP TO [KATE@ELECTKRISTINEREEVES.COM](mailto:kate@electkristinereeves.com)  
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## Mark Your Calendars

**Mar 27<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> LD “End of Session” Town Hall**  
6-8pm, Todd Beamer High School, Federal Way

**Mar 31<sup>st</sup> – Flip the 8<sup>th</sup> Canvassing**  
10am-2pm, Jump Start Espresso, Federal Way  
<https://www.facebook.com/events/1958743881055032/?ti=icl>

**April 12<sup>th</sup> – Team Reeves: EMILY’s List 2018 Rising Star Celebration**  
5:30-7:00pm, The Viktoria Apartments, Seattle

**April 21<sup>st</sup> – New Volunteer Orientation**  
12:30-2pm, Reg. Library, 1<sup>st</sup> Ave, Federal Way  
<https://www.facebook.com/events/1008920509274015/?ti=icl>

**Apr 22<sup>nd</sup> – County Conventions**  
1pm, check for location

**Jun 2<sup>nd</sup> – Blue Wave Beach Party, Spaghetti Dinner and Fundraiser**  
5pm, IAM Hall, South Seattle  
Tickets: <https://bluewavebeachparty.bpt.me>

**Jun 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> - State Democratic Convention**  
9am, Wenatchee

**Jul 28<sup>th</sup> – Summer Picnic**  
4pm, Town Square Park (Federal Way)

## Our Members 2018

### President's Club

Linda & Elbert Gage

### Senator's Club

Robert & Robin Armstrong

Craig Bosworth

Walt & Carolyn Brooks

Kim & Penni Dixon

Jim & Madelyn Grayson

Heather & Peter Lazzaretti

Terry & Delfa Quinn

Mark & Bonnie Thompson

Jem Wear

### Governor's Club

Peg & Jay Altman

Julie Aulava

Stephen Austin II

Keitha Bryson

Dorothy Burt

James & Vicki Carey

Roger & Karla Flygare

Al & Teya Hillerman

John & Karolyn Hughey

Jennifer Hurley

Mike & Mary Kun

Margo Rolf

Dan & Julie Turley

Diane Webb & John

Willmore

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Jeffrey Bakker

Lana Bostic

Tim Burns

Jackson Byrd

Jerry & Mary Clingan

Bob Dickinson

Joshua Fike

Alissa & Ralph Frederick

Jon-Michael Hicks

Vera Hunter

Frank & Denise James

Camille James

James Jeyaraj

Ginny Leach

Kathy & Brian Linnell

Lorie Lucky

Linda Luedtke

Rachel Mahar

Ann & Steven Mayer

Leah Naccarato

Catherine North

Lynn Ormsby

Kristine Reeves & Camron

Schwarmann

John & Jackie Rickert

Shannon Russell-White

Steven Sandberg

Edward Sedlak

Martha Sinkler

Allison Taylor

Joan & John Tornow

George Vadino

Marian Van Der Hyde

Bev Webber

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