



# Minutes

Culpeper County Democratic Committee  
September General Meeting

Date: September 25th, 2018  
Location: BOS Meeting Room

Prepared by: Ed Dunphy, Secretary

# Agenda

September 25th, 2018

## CCDC September General Meeting Agenda

- I. Call to order. 7pm. 17 needed for a quorum. Vote to accept Agenda
- II. Welcome and Announcements
  - A. October 1st - deadline to apply for Citizen Advisory Committees
  - B. October 6th - NAACP banquet. We've purchased two tables, 8 seats each. There may be a few tickets left, contact David Reuther. \$50 each.
  - C. October 13 Airfest - voter registration table. All day volunteers needed, email David Reuther at [events@culpeperdemocrats.org](mailto:events@culpeperdemocrats.org) to volunteer.
  - D. Abigail will be in Culpeper on October 13 for a fundraiser, 3:30-5:00, at home of Laura Kennedy and John Feeney, 7274 Beech Hill Lane, Boston, VA 22713. Tickets are \$100. CCDC members can get in for \$50. RSVP at <http://bit.ly/October13RSVP>
  - E. October 15th - Culpeper Debate between Abigail Spanberger and Dave Brat. Tickets will be available on Eventbrite starting October 1st, 12:01am. Registered attendees may start lining up at 5:00 pm, must show ticket for entry. Doors will open at 6:00 pm. No signs will be allowed on premises or in the building
  - F. Reminder - canvassing every Saturday and Sunday.
  - G. At the last exec meeting, we declared October to be 'Membership month.' Challenge: each current member brings one new member to October's meeting
  - H. October 24th, 4-6pm - Office Warming Party (Lis)
  - I. Update on the 'Trump is not above the Law' event (Donna)
  - J. Report on the Festival for Change (Ed)
- III. Secretary's report (2 minutes): Any changes to minutes & vote to accept
- IV. Treasurer's report (2 minutes)
- V. Precinct Captains report - one (1) minute update on recent or planned outreach
  - A. West Fairfax - Ed Dunphy
  - B. East Fairfax - Anna Marquardt
  - C. Pearl Sample - Mike McClary
  - D. Browns Store - Donna DeAngelis
  - E. Jeffersonton - Peggy Kenney
  - F. Brandy Station - Sharon Church
  - G. Eldorado - Caroline Heald
  - H. Rixeyville - Mary Sherrill
  - I. Cardova - Lis Piatt

- J. Lignum - Gail Costello
- VI. Members, guests announcements (1-2 minutes each)
- VII. Campaign updates from 2018 Candidates or their representatives
  - A. Nick Stevens, new Spanberger campaign field organizer
- VIII. New Business
  - A. Vote in new members: Connie Ellis, Betsy Walker, Melissa Miles, Jim Restel
  - B. Any new business from members?
- IX. Adjourn

## **Attendance.**

*There were 41 active members in advance of the meeting. The number required for a quorum was 17.*

*There were 27 members in attendance.*

*The quorum was met at all times.*

***Call to Order*** - Meeting was called to order at 7:03 PM

**Changes to the published agenda.** *There were no changes to the published agenda.*

**Changes to and approval of the minutes.** *Minutes for the August, 2018 meeting were approved with no changes. Motion by Peggy Kenney, Seconded by Peggy Campbell.*

# Treasurer's report

CCDC Treasurer's Report  
Sept, 2018

## BALANCE FORWARD PLUS DEPOSITS

Balance Forward	\$5,675.81
Deposit 9/13	\$829.66
Deposit 9/25 ****	\$3,653.53
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$10,159.00</b>

## WORKING CAPITAL

CASH MINUS EXPENSES	\$8,120.44
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## PAYMENTS MADE

#283 K&S Port-o-Johns (Country Fair)****	\$289.05
#284 Dave Reuther/BIE Day Prize	\$98.61
#285 ACLU Pocket Constitutions ****	\$500.00
#286 NAACP Banquet	\$925.00
POS/Debit (Country Fair Insurance)	\$188.00
POS/Debit (Keys X 9)	\$18.95
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****Pending Debits/Credits	
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$2,038.56</b>

WORKING CAPITAL



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*Sharon Church requested that the money from the Festival for Change be accounted for separately since it is earmarked for use in local races. Pam said that the money would be earmarked for local races and a full accounting should be available at the next general meeting. The specific candidates who will benefit from this money will be determined in the future. Pam commented that she does not have Quickbooks or any other accounting software. Ed Dunphy suggested that we purchase software. Ben said that the Executive Committee will discuss it at the next meeting.*

***Precinct Captains** are transitioning from identifying volunteers to Get Out The Vote efforts. Ben will provide them with canvas lists that focus on leaning/strong dems who vote in presidential elections but not in off-year elections. They need volunteers to phone-bank and knock on doors.*

## New members.

*The following new members were voted in: Connie Ellis, Betsy Walker, Melissa Miles, Jim Restel.*

**Motions.** The following motions were introduced:

No other motions.

**Additional notes or announcements.**

**Announcements:**

*Thom Faircloth reported on the Veterans for Spanberger event in Richmond. 100 people in attendance. Special guests, including Congressman Seth Moulton, Congressman Jim Himes, and RD Huffstetler.*

*Rose Herrity reported on voter registration at the USDA food distribution at the Methodist Church.*

*Rebecca Layne encouraged everyone to write letters to the editor in the Culpeper Star Exponent. Pick an issue from Abigail's platform that speaks to you and write 250 words.*

*Nick Stevens is the new field organizer for Spanberger. He will be conducting canvas operations each Sunday from Raven's Nest Coffee Shop on E Davis St. at 10:00 AM. He passed out Abigail pledge cards for people to self-address. This will save volunteers from having to contact someone who has already pledged to vote.*

*Sam James from the Combined Campaign is holding weekly canvases on Saturday from the Culpeper Dems office beginning at Noon. Mark Herring will visit our canvas on Saturday, October 6th at 1:00. Last push for the Combined Campaign will be Phone-banking and door-knocking on the following dates from an office in the Montanus Office Park on the north side of the Town of Culpeper: October 20 and 21; October 27 and 28; and November 3,4,5 and 6.*

*New Business: Betsy Walker, Jim Restel and Melissa Miles were voted in as new members on a motion from Thom Faircloth.*

**Adjournment.** Pam Novy moved for adjournment. By voice vote the meeting was adjourned at **8:28PM**.

Signed: Ed Dunphy, Secretary