



# Minutes

Culpeper County Democratic Committee  
October General Meeting

Date: October 23, 2018  
Location: Old House Winery  
18351 Corkys Lane, Culpeper

Prepared by: David Reuther, Acting Secretary

# Agenda

Tuesday, October 23rd, 2018

## CCDC October General Meeting Agenda

- I. Call to order. 7pm. 16 needed for a quorum. Vote to accept Agenda
- II. Welcome and Announcements
  - A. If you missed the debate, find a link to it on our website, [culpeperdemocrats.org](http://culpeperdemocrats.org)
  - B. Office Ribbon Cutting tomorrow, 206 S Main, suite 302, 4pm (Lis)
  - C. Abigail Spanberger Happy Hour Thursday, 5:30, Grass Rootes
  - D. Final postcard party Friday 5pm. Please return your postcards by Saturday!
  - E. Saturday&Sunday: all day canvassing at 206 S Main, 3rd floor and 15532 Montanus
  - F. Need: Coordinator for Culpeper Dems Rides to the Polls. You'd track volunteers, receive emails from [rides@culpeperdemocrats.org](mailto:rides@culpeperdemocrats.org) and we'd advertise your #, and you'd match volunteer drivers with ride requests on election day as they arrive.
  - G. Need: Office staff, canvassers for election day weekend. [nstevens@vademocrats.org](mailto:nstevens@vademocrats.org)
  - H. Need: Staff for precinct tables. Sign up with precinct captains.
- III. Secretary's report (2 minutes): Any changes to minutes & vote to accept
- IV. Treasurer's report (2 minutes)
- V. 7:10 Precinct Captains report - one (1) minute update
  - A. East Fairfax - Anna Marquardt
  - B. Browns Store - Donna DeAngelis
  - C. Jeffersonton - Peggy Kenney
  - D. Brandy Station - Sharon Church
  - E. Eldorado - Caroline Heald
  - F. Rixeyville - Mary Sherrill
  - G. Cardova - Lis Piatt
  - H. Lignum - Gail Costello
  - I. Mitchells - Mary Jo Browning
  - J. West Fairfax - Ed Dunphy
  - K. Pearl Sample & Chair - Mike McClary
- VI. 7:30 Members, guests announcements (1-2 minutes each)
  - A. Travis Warby - Thanksgiving Turkey Raffle/Game Night
  - B. More member announcements
  - C. Lily Haught with the Culpeper Young Dems

- D. David Reuther on behalf of Annette Hyde
- E. More guest announcements
- VII. New Business
  - A. New members: Benita Batten, Elizabeth Eastland, Dorothy Tepper, James Jennings
  - B. Any new business from members?
- VIII. 7:50 - Short Break and Social. Sign up for shifts at the Precinct Captain Table!
- IX. 8:00 - Guest Speaker: 2016 7th District Congressional nominee, Eileen Bedell
- X. 8:15 Updates from the Spanberger and Kaine campaigns & closing announcements
- XI. 8:30 Adjourn

## **Attendance.**

*There were 39 active members in advance of the meeting. The number required for a quorum was 16.*

*There were 32 members in attendance*

*The quorum was met at all times.*

**Call to Order** - Meeting was called to order at 7:04 pm

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

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

**Treasurer's Report.** Treasurer not present. Chair summarized current bank account level.

**Precinct Captains' Reports.** *Chair McClary announced that the last Precinct Captains' meeting before the election will be on Tuesday, October 30 at 6:00 pm at his residence.*

### **New Members.**

*The following new members were voted in Benita Batten, Elizabeth Eastland, Dorothy Tepper, James Jennings*

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

*No other motions.*

### **Additional Notes or announcements**

Announcements:

The Chamber of Commerce Ribbon cutting to inaugurate the new office will be held Wednesday, October 24.

To cap the campaign season, Abigail is visiting the 7th District's ten counties in ten days. Culpeper is scheduled for a Happy Hour on Thursday at Grass Rootes at 5:30 pm.

Jim Restel has volunteered to coordinate Rides to the polls

Travis Warby outlined an idea for a future fundraising event. Attract a crowd with chili and raffle off hams and turkeys. Timing would be the week before Thanksgiving.

David Reuther announced that Annette Hyde will officially hold a Campaign Kickoff Event to run for District 24 State Senate seat at Bald Top Brewery, 1830 Thrift Rd. in Madison on Sunday, November 18 from 2-5 pm. Her special guests will be Gene and Diane Rossi.

The Guest speaker for the evening was Eileen Bedell who was the Democratic candidate for the 7th Congressional District last election. She spoke of lessons learned and positive trends from the current campaign.

Adjournment: Thom Faircloth moved for adjournment. By voice vote the meeting was adjourned at 8:43 pm

Signed David Reuther Acting Secretary