



Judicial Committee - jc@ca.lp.org

Dear Members of the LPCA Executive Committee,

This email is being sent to advise you that the Libertarian Party of California (LPCA) Judicial Committee (JC) will be holding a hearing on an appeal contesting actions of the LPCA Executive Committee (EC) regarding proper notice of the 2025 annual convention (meeting of membership).

For reference, Ms. Tewksbury, et.al. will be referred to as the appellants and the LPCA EC will be referred to as the respondents.

On November 28, 2024, the JC received an appeal (attached) alleging lack of proper notice, per the LPCA Bylaws, for the 2025 Annual Convention.

After receipt of the appeal two members of the committee agreed to hear the appeal and a meeting was called on December 2, 2024, with all members present, to determine the hearing date and determine the timeline for the appellants and respondents to submit information to the Judicial Committee, as well as the agenda for the hearing.

The hearing will be held on December 19, 2024 at 7:00 pm PST per the following timeframe:

Timeframe:

December 4 through December 10, 2024 at 11:59 pm PST – Seven days will be given for the respondents to submit evidence to the JC for the committee's consideration. This evidence will also be sent to the appellants.

December 11 through December 16, 2024 at 11:59 pm PST – Five days will be given for rebuttals from both the appellants and respondents, and amicus briefs submitted by other interested parties. The documentation received will be sent to all parties involved and maintained on an online folder that will be viewable to all interested parties. During this five-day period the JC, as a body, reserves the right to make additional queries of either party supporting the factual basis of their arguments.

Hearing – The hearing will be held on December 19, 2024 at 7:00 pm PST via an electronic meeting (the link will be forwarded prior to the hearing date). The hearing agenda will be as follows:

Agenda

Call to Order – 7:00 pm PST

Appellants will present their case – 20 min

Respondents will present their case – 20 min

Appellants will be given an opportunity to rebuttal – 10 min

Respondents will be given an opportunity to counter-rebuttal – 10 min

The JC will be given the opportunity to ask questions – 20 min

In Liberty,

Mimi Robson, Chair

Libertarian Party of California Judicial Committee

cc: LPCA Judicial Committee
Appellants; Tewksbury, et.al.