

MISSING BOARD REPORTS - March 2023

Resolved into the LPCO Standing Rules (2016-05-09):

"Monthly Board reports are due by the Wednesday before the regularly scheduled board meeting and shall be published to the Party website by the Communications Director by the Friday prior to any regularly scheduled meeting for viewing by membership and Board members..."

- The following Board Reports were not submitted in time to be published on the LPCO website, violating the current standing rule:
 - o Treasurer Vacant
 - o Membership Brian Peotter
- The above Board Members will be presenting their report at the next board meeting in full.
- The next Board Meeting is scheduled for March 13, 2023 at the Independence Institute, 727 E 16th Ave, Denver, CO 80203 from 7pm to 9pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

David Aitken
Database Manager
Libertarian Party of Colorado

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March 2023

As per our Bylaws Article II, Section 1, the duties of the State Chair are as follows: The State Chair shall be the chief executive officer of the Party, holding the powers of administration pertaining to the ordinary business affairs of the Party and such other powers as may be delegated by the Board of Directors. The State Chair may appoint such Party functionaries as a recording and corresponding secretary, an office manager, and an events chair. The State Chair shall compile, maintain and make available to the Board of Directors a publication listing all "Standing rules" and "Special rules" adopted by the Board of Directors. The State Chair shall specify the date and time of the next Convention at least 45 days before it is convened. The State Chair, or his or her designee, including other Board members acting within their designated job duties at the direction of the Chair, shall be the person who shall communicate on behalf of the Party. The State Chair shall file any amendments to the Party's Constitution or Bylaws with the Secretary of State within fifteen days after such amendments are adopted.

- 1) Attended Douglas County Affiliate meeting.
- 2) Testified at the State Capitol
- 3) Worked with the attorney of Judicial Watch to get a reasonable settlement to our case against the Secretary of State. Got a settlement offer from the SOS.
- 4) Arranged for the Audit Committee volunteers to help our Treasurer Protem get all the tracer reports updated.
- 5) Obtained all login and passwords for all of our accounts.

Respectfully Submitted, Wayne Harlos State Chair, LPCO



Vice-Chair Report for March, 2023

Article VI, Section 3 (b) The Vice Chair shall assist the Chair in the performance of executive duties, act as Chair in the temporary absence of the Chair, and ensure affiliate compliance with requirements enumerated in these Bylaws. The Vice Chair shall also review and test the procedures in each Director's continuity binders in accordance with the Policy Manual and report the results to the Chair. In coordination with the Affiliate Development Director, when the number of chartered affiliates justifies additional structure, the Vice Chair shall be responsible for organizing the affiliates into representative regions and shall be responsible for representing the regions.

During the last month, I ---

- -worked with local group of parents to organize against school board
- -Chaired the Phillips County Development Meeting and Liberty at the Library with guest speaker Pastor Mike Brown
- worked with chair and audit committee on the treasurer situation
- -atteneded the Arapahoe County Convention. Gaveled in the new board during board elections
- recrutied a new treasuerer and assitnt treasuerer

Respectfully Submitted,

Hannah Goodman, Vice-Chair Libertarian Party of Colorado



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March 2023 Secretary Report

Duties

Bylaws Section 3(h)

The Secretary shall be responsible for maintaining official Party records and shall act as recording secretary for all legal purposes. The Secretary shall maintain a Party calendar of all deadlines required by these Bylaws and the Secretary of State, and shall post these dates within sixty (60) days of their deadlines in accordance with the Party's Standing Rules and Special Rules of Order. The Secretary shall compile, maintain, and make available to the Board a publication listing all Standing Rules and Special Rules of Order adopted by the Board.

Important Links:

- Voting record spreadsheet: http://tinyurl.com/LPCO-2022-MOTIONS
- Agenda item request form: <u>tinyurl.com/LPCO-Agenda-Request</u>
- Critical dates are attached

Status of Minutes since last report:

February minutes are submitted to be approved at the meeting.

Additional Activism Activities:

Attended March LNC meeting

Email Motions Since Last Report:

Resignation of Treasurer

Thanks, Andrew Buchkovich, LPCO Secretary

Bylaws Mandated Dates			
Date of 2023 Convention	4/1/23	Bylaws Section 1(a) The Party shall hold a Convention of Party Delegates ("Convention") each calendar year, scheduled so that it convenes at least six (6) months after the previous Convention and adjourn no later than seventy-three (73) days before the day of the Colorado	
Last day to publish convention dates	3/17/23	Article IX Conventions, Section 1(b)the time and place of any Convention and remote locations shall be published no later than fifteen (15) days prior to such Convention in a newspaper of general circulation in each county wherein the Members of the Party reside.	
Last day to call convention	2/15/23	Article IX Conventions, Section 1(b)No later than forty-five (45) days prior to Convention, in accordance with state law, the Chair shall call the Convention by notifying Members of the date and location of the Convention, as well as any remote locations	
Last day to qualify as state convention delegate	1/1/23	Article IX Conventions, Section 1(d) A Member, having been a Member for at least the ninety (90) days immediately prior to the Business Session of the Convention may attend and vote at the Business Session as a "Delegate."	
Member amendments to Bylaws and Platform must be received	3/2/23	Article XIII(a) and (b) Amendmentswritten notice including the formal language of the amendment and signed by two (2) Members is provided to the Board at least thirty (30) days prior to the Convention. Such notice shall be posted to the Party's website within two (2) business days of receipt.	
Board to appoint Bylaws and Platform Committees	12/2/22	Article X Committees, Section 1(a)(1) The Board shall appoint five (5) at-large Members at a Board meeting held at least one (1) month after the final solicitation, but no later than four (4) months prior to the Convention at which amendments to the Platform and Bylaws are considered.	

Bylaws and Platform Committees to submit reports	2/18/23	Article X Committees, Section 1(a)(3) Committees shall submit their final reports to the Board for publication to the membership no later than six (6) weeks before the Convention.
Board to open applications for public office candidates	1/1/23	Article IX Conventions, Section 3(b)Members shall be notified that the application process is open no later than ninety (90) days before the Convention.
Last day for Candidates for public office to submit applications	2/15/23	Article IX Conventions, Section 3(b) Members who wish to be a candidate for partisan office in Colorado other than President or Vice President may submit an application to the Board or its designated committee no later than forty-five (45) days before the Convention.
Last day for Board to put up web page for public office candidates	3/2/23	Article IX Conventions, Section 3(b)A web page for the candidates shall be posted on the Party website at least thirty (30) days before the Convention.
Chair to file amendments with SoS	4/17/23	Article VI: State Party Directors, Section 3(a) The Chair shall file any amendments to these Bylaws with the Secretary of State within fifteen (15) days after such amendments are adopted.
Last day for Board to appoint Style Committee	6/1/23	Article X Committees, Section 1(b)The at-large Style Committee members shall be selected within sixty (60) days of adjournment sine die of the Business Session of the Convention.
Last day for Board to appoint Convention Committee	7/1/23	Article X Committees, Section 1(c) The Convention Committee shall be appointed by the Board within ninety (90) days of adjournment sine die of the Business Session of the Convention.



Fundraising Director Report for March, 2023

Fundraising Director: The Fundraising Director shall be responsible for establishing and operating fundraising activities including, but not limited to, the annual Convention, a monthly pledge program, fundraising from Members, coordinating speakers and events for the purpose of Party fundraising, and reporting all income and expenses related to fundraising at each regular Board meeting. The Fundraising Director may establish and manage committees (including the appointment of any committee chairs) to accomplish these and other fundraising functions.

- 1. Hosted several Convention Committee meetings.
- 2. CONVENTION PLANNING
- 3. As of today, we have 68 members registered for Convention, and \$11,242 in sales.

Respectfully Submitted,

Erin King, Fundraising Director Libertarian Party of Colorado



Per the Bylaws* Article VI, Section 3(d), the duties of the Campaigns Director are as follows: The Campaigns Director shall identify political races and recruit candidates. The Campaigns Director shall also coordinate candidates and campaigns, and assist candidates in navigating compliance with campaign legal requirements and in obtaining campaign volunteers. The Campaigns Director may establish and manage committees (including the appointment of any committee chairs) to perform these and other campaign functions.

This report covers January 4th to February 8th:

- I have been recruiting candidates for the 2023 elections.
- Candidates so far:
 - Scott Liva-Aurora Mayor
 - o Murl Hendricks-Arvada City Council
 - o Darren Hill-Perry Park Metro District
- There will be a comedy show the night before the convention, March 31st at the same venue as the convention.



OUTREACH REPORT

March 2023

Outreach Director: Eliseo Gonzalez

Article VI, Section 3, of the Bylaws of the Libertarian Party of Colorado:

"The Outreach Director shall be responsible for booking and running outreach booths and community events, and for maintaining outreach materials. The Outreach Director may establish and manage committees (including the appointment of any committee chairs) to perform these and other outreach functions."

This month, as the director of outreach, The outreach committee has successfully organized 2 outreach events, Several members of the LPCO attended 2 events held in Northern Colorado and in Castle Rock. LPCO also had a booth at Liberty On the Rocks and was able to distribute flyers and spark interest in those liberty minded people to join the Party. The Take Human Action Tour has reached out to LPCO. In teaming up with Take Human Action Tour, the LPCO will actively promote the event through our conventional means of communication. In return, the LPCO will have a booth available at the event which I believe will reach those who cannot be reached by our current channels of communication. I have also identified a few events such as comedy shows and restaurants and bars who will display some LPCO printed material.

Signature Eliseo Gonzalez

Affiliates Director Report for March, 2023

The Affiliate Development Director shall develop and support affiliates and development groups, and guide development groups towards official affiliate status. The Affiliate Development Director may establish and manage committees (including the appointment of any committee chairs) to perform these functions.

Attended LP Jefferson County February meetup. I advised Chair of meetings missing from LPCO website and Meetup.com.

Attended LP Arapahoe County Annual Meeting. Talked to Arapahoe about possibly merging with Adams. They support the idea.

Attended an L10 meeting via Zoom.

Attended LP Denver March meetup.

Respectfully Submitted, Kyle Furey, Affiliates Director Libertarian Party of Colorado



Legislative Director Report for March, 2023

The Legislative Director shall be responsible for monitoring activity in the State Legislature, communicating with that body, developing legislation or issue-oriented committees (including the appointment of any committee chairs), and working with other organizations on areas of mutual concern.

Continued work on the Legislative tracker

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1UoGHzlErykAblH97uOayW277UcpxKzuhloFeC14lvUM

SB23-101 is officially dead securing minor party ballot access for the foreseeable future

We had weekly meetings every Sunday but Super Bowl Sunday. The recurring meeting can be joined 8-9 Sunday nights at this meeting link.

Approximately weekly emails going out highlighting the best/worst bills of the week.

LPCO Legislative Working Group - Weekly Meeting Series Sunday, February 19 · 8:00 – 9:00pm

Google Meet joining info

Video call link: https://meet.google.com/qck-vsnf-dyd Or dial: (US) +1 929-276-1577 PIN: 391 828 184#

More phone numbers: https://tel.meet/gck-vsnf-dyd?pin=9314922318606

Several LPCO members speaking at committee hearings

I've been working to create a coalition with a member of the Colorado Health Choice Alliance. There is a lot of overlap on their mission and ours. Their focus has been vaccine and mask mandates as well as the severe overreach of CDPHE into all aspects of our life. Beginning in April CDPHE is being forced (via lawsuit) to have in person meetings again now that the "COVID emergency" is now over. The opportunity for this coalition is pretty high.

Highlights from the SB23-101 committee hearing

Outreach Director, Eliseo Gonzalez gave his testimony remotely and in Spanish!



2022 Secretary of State candidate Bennett Ruttledge



LPCO member Jessica Fenske and friend of the party Frank Atwood



Respectfully Submitted,

Nick Lance, Legislative director Libertarian Party of Colorado



Communications Director Report for March 2023

Per Bylaws Article VI, Section 3, subsection f, "The Communications Director shall be responsible for all outward-facing communications, websites, multimedia, social media, press releases, media appearances, and media inquiries. The Communications Director may establish and manage committees (including the appointment of any committee chairs) to accomplish these and other communications functions."

- Comprised and distributed two calls to convention emails to Registered Libertarians.
- Media release distributed to press regarding convention.
- Replied to Westword media request for comment.

Below are analytics from our social media accounts. TikTok and YouTube remain stagnant as they are not being utilized at this time due to resource constraints. The percentages in parathesis are month over month changes:

1. Twitter

a. Impressions: 1.5M (+ 135.5%) b. Profile Visits: 8,674 (+ 241%) c. Mentions: 1,419 (+ 1,333%) d. Followers: 13,953 (+ 484)

2. Facebook

b. Page Visits: 805 (- 23%) c. New Page Followers: 18 (- 5%)

a. Page reach: 23,796 (+ 5%)

d. Total Followers: 31,683 (- 49)

3. Instagram

a. Post Reach: 4,251 (+ 66%) b. Profile Visits: 272 (+ 3%) c. New Followers: 42 (+ 17%) d. Total Followers: 1,967 (+ 31)

4. TikTok

a. N/A

5. Youtube

a. Views: 217

b. Watch Time: 23 hours

c. New Subscribers: 1 (250 total)

6. Most viral content

a. Twitter

Libertarian Party of Colorado @LPCO

@greg_price11 What?! The government set a false narrative of a large public event to advance the security and surveillance state? Who could have seen this coming?

Impressions	671,487
Media views	100
Total engagements	12,701
Likes	9,635
Detail expands	1,440
Profile clicks	930
Retweets	566
Replies	107
Media engagements	21
Follows	2

b. TikTok N/A

c. YT – Dave Smith Speech, 12,006 views



Dave Smith Keynote Speech -2022 Libertarian Party of...

10K views • 2 months ago

d. FB



Performance



e. IG



Performance



Respectfully Submitted,

Jordan Marinovich, Communications Director Libertarian Party of Colorado