## MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PLATFORM COMMITTEE OF THE LIBERTARIAN PARTY OF NEW YORK HELD ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2023 ON THE ZOOM MEETING APP

## **MEMBERS PRESENT**

Daniel Castello, Chair Andrew Kolstee, Secretary Michael Rebmann Robert Schuon Blay Tarnoff Keith Redhead

## **MEMBERS ABSENT**

Justin Carman Paul Grindle Christopher Olenski Richard Purtell Karyn Thompson

The meeting was called to order at 7:10 p.m. by Daniel Castello, Chair. It was determined that quorum was present.

Motion by Andrew Kolstee to **waive reading and approve the minutes of the September 14**, **2023, September 21, 2023, and October 2, 2023 meetings of the Platform Committee** was seconded by Robert Schuon and passed by without objection.

Motion by Andrew Kolstee to recommend Proposal AM as follows to the State Committee for adoption as an amendment to the Platform of the Libertarian Party of New York was seconded by Robert Schuon, debated, and passed by voice vote.

**The Right to Personal Property** Individuals have the right to their own property, and to keep, to use, and to dispose of that property however they see fit.

**The Right to Personal Property** – Individuals possess the inherent right to acquire, own, utilize, and divest themselves of assets, as these are the outcomes of human dedication through the investment of time and effort. This right also encompasses the freedom to sell one's time and labor in exchange for different assets, thereby expanding the scope of individual economic choices and opportunities.

There were further concerns to be addressed by the committee including the limitations of these rights and interaction with others and government.

Motion by Andrew Kolstee to recommend Proposal AQ as follows to the State Committee for adoption as an amendment to the Platform of the Libertarian Party of New York was seconded by Robert Schuon, debated, and passed by voice vote.

The Right to Personal Privacy Individuals have the right to live free of government intrusion or surveillance into their movements, communications, health, or personal affairs.

The Right to Personal Privacy - Individuals have the inherent authority to control and safeguard their personal information, choices, and activities from intrusion or surveillance.

The next meeting was set for Monday, November 13, 2023 at 7:00 p.m.

Motion by Andrew Kolstee to **adjourn** passed without objection.

The meeting was **adjourned** at 8:55 p.m.

Andrew Martin Kolstee Secretary of the Platform Committee