

2022 Nation Platform Committee Notice of Zoom E-Meeting Final

Date: April 11, 2022

Time: **9:00 PM Eastern**

Register in advance for this meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZErduutrT8pGtdxUmmmd7s8VV2nhI0urWbqm>

Video from last meeting:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-x0TBa0cLrc>

Secretary's live notes:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/14X94WWqWgj9oGK9-MMBeQz42OOhtLLZs4SvRJrsT8/edit?usp=sharing>

Secretary's vote tally sheet:

<https://tinyurl.com/22PC-e-votes>

Chair's draft timeline:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1prmF6d707OKaw8yhd29gC-wFyz74LLwJl72bD5-hb40/edit?usp=sharing>

Committee LPedia page:

https://lpedia.org/wiki/Platform_Committee_2022

Chair's Master Sheet of Passed Proposals::

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1kE2vopdTToXhr8nNFwBsQDOrRsq_xsI28xWLeOqh-3Y/edit?usp=sharing

Working copy of amended platform:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1EEXj21aZRvrcC7BUJphDykrylGnCr5-f/edit?usp=sharing&oid=113226973046017453657&rtpof=true&sd=true>

9:00PM	Call for Order and Attendance and the following Announcements
A.	Opportunity for Public Comment (10 Minutes)
B.	Approval of Minutes from April 6, 2022 meeting (will move to defer to email)
C.	<p>Starchild requests committee decision on whether survey should include names and contact information for people who fill out to be made publicly available. That information is always available to the committee.</p> <p><i>The Chair would note that we can add a question on the form asking people to opt out with a public default but would also note that this would require the Chair or a committee volunteer to spend potentially hours redacting information with the potential for error and liability to the Party. PII being inadvertently released is a hot legal issue. In the past two Committees which is the extent of the Chair's knowledge the survey contents but not any PII was made public.</i></p>
D.	<p>Recuero proposal on 3.6 Representative Government</p> <p><u>The Libertarian party encourages, when necessary, the right to petition the government for redress of grievances.</u> <u>This is absolutely dependent upon openness in government, which therefore must never act behind closed doors.</u> We <u>As such we</u> support election systems that are more representative of the electorate at the federal, state, and local levels. As private voluntary groups, political parties should be free to establish their own rules for nomination procedures, primaries and conventions. We call for an end to any tax-financed subsidies to candidates or parties and the repeal of all laws that restrict voluntary financing of election campaigns. We oppose laws that effectively exclude alternative candidates and parties, deny ballot access, gerrymander districts, or deny the voters their right to consider all legitimate alternatives. We advocate initiative, referendum, recall, and <u>or</u> repeal <u>and oppose any effort to</u></p>

	<p>deny these options when used as popular checks on government.</p>
E.	<p>Proposal PC-C needs numbering decision.</p> <p>https://docs.google.com/document/d/13j-qxapikKZjd8dFQUer5D60LRR2g9s9t15rEs91zGc/edit</p>
F.	<p>Consider potential resolution of competing proposals on 3.7</p> <p>https://docs.google.com/document/d/1eUBv0BH5zt328nc8-D74czpYREwCY7Xi/edit</p> <p>https://docs.google.com/document/d/11nM5IOJadW11UbQMZUJS1KdsftIHUh5X/edit</p>
F.	<p>Recuero proposal</p> <p>2.4 Personal Income and Government Finance and Spending The Libertarian Party calls for the repeal of the income tax, the abolishment of the Internal Revenue Service and all federal programs and services not required under the U.S. Constitution. All persons are entitled to keep the fruits of their labor. We call for the repeal of the income tax, the abolishment of the Internal Revenue Service and all federal programs and services not required under the U.S. Constitution. We oppose any legal requirements forcing employers to serve as tax collectors. All persons individuals are entitled to keep the fruits of their labor and to determine which mediums of exchange they will accept for their personal transactions. We support any initiative to reduce or abolish any tax, and oppose any increase on any tax for any reason. To the extent possible, we advocate that all public services be funded or allowed to be provided in a voluntary manner.</p> <p><i>The Chair will be asking Mr. Brown or another member to take the gavel on this proposal as there is one part the Chair wishes to debate freely. If it passes, the Chair will likely also</i></p>

	<i>pass the gavel at convention and argue a minority report.</i>
G.	<p>Proposal PC-W needs numbering decision.</p> <p>https://docs.google.com/document/d/1XXbYEqpKTZwxyKCCDDHv1ZPsjOnCIRC5/edit</p>
H.	<p>Handling decision on multiple proposals on 3.4 need to be considered:</p> <p>https://docs.google.com/document/d/1aECMm1hnis_V2NMzYjTZlnC-jVkJZeKaD/edit</p> <p>https://docs.google.com/document/d/13j-qxapikKZjd8dFQUer5D60LRR2g9s9t15rEs91zGc/edit</p> <p>https://docs.google.com/document/d/1VcoxRBaidb_gSPI7B_L37opDzgtZ6hg2/edit#heading=h.gjdgxs</p>
I.	<p>Starchild proposal</p> <p><i>1.1 Self-Ownership Individual Autonomy</i></p> <p>Individuals own their bodies and have rights over them that other individuals, groups, and governments may not violate. People are not property. Our bodies are, at least in part, ourselves, and no other individual or organization, including government, can ever legitimately claim ownership or sovereignty over your body.</p> <p>Individuals have the freedom and responsibility to decide what they knowingly and voluntarily consume, and what risks they accept to their own health, finances, safety, or life.</p>
11:00PM	Announce Next Meeting Date and Adjournment

Anything not reached will automatically be rolled over to the next meeting without additional notice needed.

If there is time remaining, the floor will be open for public comment. Additionally, the room will remain open after the meeting for informal discussion with the public for at least 15 minutes if there are any members remaining with comment.

NOTICE: All meetings are recorded from the call to order and adjournment and will be made available.

In Liberty,

Caryn Ann Harlos

Platform Committee Chair