

12th CD MDP General Membership Meeting

Wayne County Community College

Northwest Campus

8200 W. Outer Dr., Detroit, MI 48219

July 12, 2025

Call to order 11:12 a.m. (50+ present)

Pledge of allegiance

Invocation

Moment of silence for Commissioner Irma Clark-Coleman and Judge Smith

Land acknowledgment

Agenda and minutes

- Motion to approve agenda and minutes
 - o Motion moved
 - o Motion seconded
 - o Motion passed

Chairs report

- Chairman Kevin Tolbert
 - o Unity
 - o Internal activities
 - o Communication assistance needed

Treasurers report

- Anita Herring
 - o Motion to accept report pending audit
 - o Motion seconded
 - o Discussion
 - o Motion passed

Endorsement recommendation

- Western-Wayne County electors only. No Oakland County or Detroit electors. Only candidates asking for endorsement are below:
 - o Westland city council candidates (3) Lakisha Maxwell, Antoinette Martin, John Sullivan
 - o Dearborn Heights treasurer (1) Lisa Hicks-Clayton
 - o Motion to accept the recommendation for the (4) candidates requesting endorsement.
 - o Motion seconded
 - o Discussion
 - § Request to split the endorsement by city
 - o Motion moved to stop discussion
 - o Motion seconded
 - o Motion passed, 2 nays
 - o Motion to accept the recommendation for the (4) candidates requesting endorsement.
 - o Motion seconded
 - o Motion carried, 11 to 2

Committee reports

- Precinct delegate committee interests:

- o Danielle Hall
- o Lakesha Green
- o William Davis
- o Monique _____

- No discussion on ByLaws will take place at this time

New business

- Danielle Hall motioned to require candidates to be present at least 2 meetings prior to an endorsement
- Seconded by Tomena Rawls
- Discussion
- Motion failed
- William Davis motioned to recommend candidates to be present at least 2 meetings prior to an endorsement in a previous calendar year
- Motion seconded
 - o Discussion
 - § Mike Short, friendly amendment. Not accepted
 - § Motion - call for the question to end discussion
 - § Motion seconded
 - § Motion passed

Good and welfare

- Sami - Dearborn Dems (3) events, Monday July 14, 2025 5-7pm, need information email
- Larry Biggs – Western Wayne NAACP, meet and greet July 16, 2025, at Westland City Hall, 6pm. Livonia meet and greet on July 24 @ the senior center, 6-830pm.
- Pat Wells – Livonia Dems – Good trouble rally July 17, 2025 530-730pm followed by normal July meeting at 5 mile and Farmington Rd. Dems picnic July 27, 2025 2 to 5pm.
- Caryl Conway – Meeting moved to second Monday of each month. WSU mobile health unit secured, a location is needed to place it.
- Deanna Stachow – chair.mdpSeniors@gmail.com asking for recommendations on the next actions that they should be taking. Zoom meeting on July 16, 2025 @ 7pm.
- Kelly Garret, Lathrup Village Mayor – endorsement request for next year for an upcoming office. July 2 to August 13 Music in the park. Lathrup Village has nothing to do with the 11 mile/Southfield Rd. and I-696 construction, please contact MDOT and Oakland County road commission.
- Tomena Rawls - Redford Dems still on vacation will resume August 16, 2025, to finalize and approve ByLaws. Cookout time and
- L. G. Community garage sale – August 16 and August 17

Adjournment 12:12 p.m.