

Maricopa County Libertarian Party – Minutes of April 19, 2021 Meeting

The Maricopa County Libertarian Party met via Zoom on Monday evening, April 19, 2021. This meeting was rescheduled from April 12, 2021 upon agreement of the officers. Fifteen individuals were present. Four of the five officers were present. The meeting was called to order at 7:02 p.m. The following topics were discussed:

I. Secretary's Report

Secretary Emily Goldberg presented minutes of the March 8, 2021 meeting. The minutes were adopted without revision.

II. Treasurer's Report

The Chair provided the closing bank balance which remained \$3024.02 (given the Treasurer's absence due to work conflict.)

III. Chair's Report

Chair Brandon Slayton presented an update on MCLP's election audit lawsuit. The Court had heard the parties at oral argument on March 16, 2021. Ruling by the Court was awaited within 60 days from that date. *(n.b., the Court has ruled dismissing MCLP's case since the time of this meeting.)*

Chair Brandon Slayton discussed the AZ Senate sponsored full Maricopa ballot audit, scheduled to take place over five weeks at the Coliseum at the State Fairgrounds. Volunteers were sought for that audit, which would operate 7 days per week, two shifts per day, one shift running 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., and one shift running 3:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

IV. New/Old Business

- A. New Business - Support for HB 2810, the bill to limit civil asset forfeiture, was discussed.
- B. Old Business – Discussion was held on a proposed statement in opposition to SB1456; decision was made that the statement would be revised by the secretary and the communications director. *(n.b. That bill was vetoed by Gov. Ducey later the same week).*

- C. Brief discussion was held concerning SB2369/SB2370. The secretary presented draft statements. SB2369 had been effectively tabled. The body agreed the secretary and communications director should revise the statement concerning SB2370. (It was revised and transmitted).

- D. **PCM Appointments** – Inquiry was made as to the status of newly submitted PCM applications (Brock). The Chairman indicated he had not received administrative confirmation concerning names submitted for appointment recently.

E. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:36 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Emily S. Goldberg,
Secretary