



HOW

AUGUST OF ACTION

AUGUST 22, 2023



AGENDA

01 Board Reports

02 Motions

03 Planning a September
the GOP will
remember 🦊🦊🦊 🌊

04 New Business

Bylaws

DACN Bylaws





CHAIR REPORT

ELIZABETH BLACKBOURN



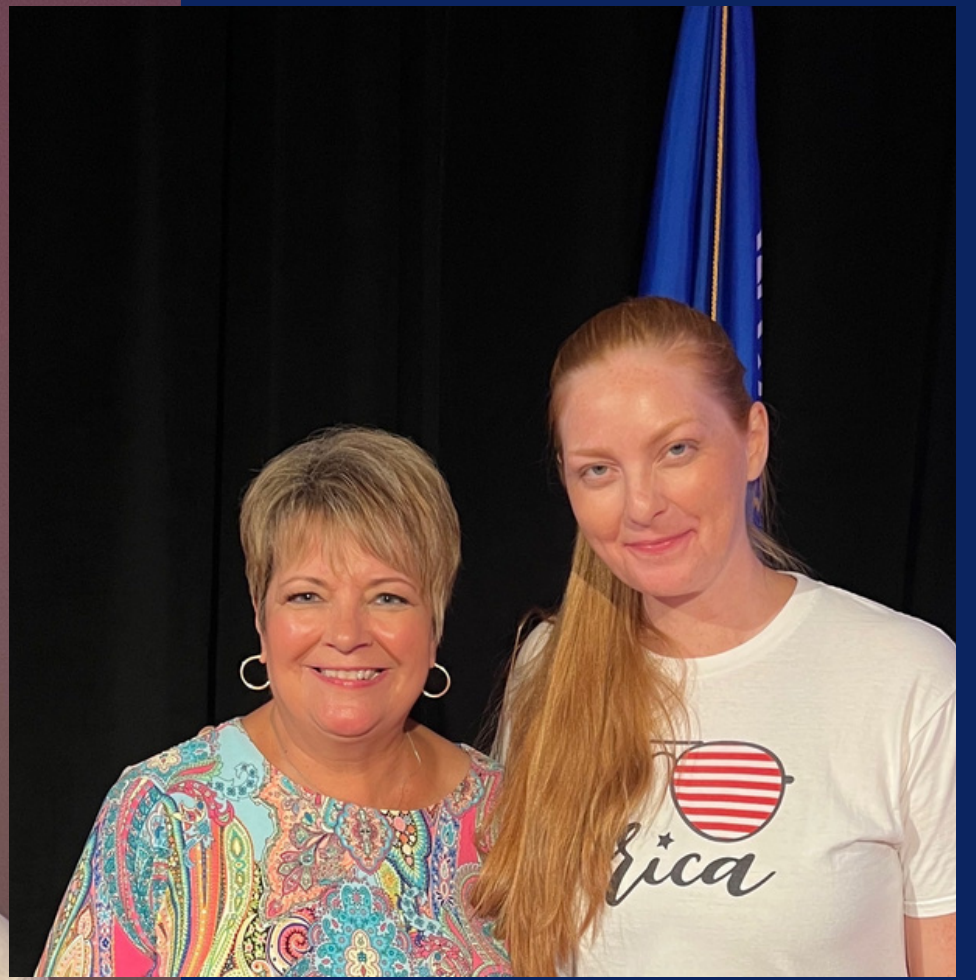


CHAIR REPORT & REQUESTS

AUGUST 2023

- August Membership Meeting - created a page, built up slides, spread the word
 - Training sessions ongoing
 - Meetings with volunteers interested in filling vacancy and participating in other ways
 - Disability pride month planning and execution
 - Preparing for Disabled Voter Week and National Voter Registration Day
 - WI Team meeting and planning for events like Democrats Abroad State Team Fair
 - WisDems trainings and outreach
 - ECCC Team meeting
 - Global and Regional meetings
 - Sharing content on DACN social media and WeChat
 - Building out a Comms team for even more content!
 - WeChat group creation/re-do, to discuss
 - September Newsletter and photo collection to commence
 - Book Club Event Planning - ABC
 - August Newsletter still in progress, please submit copy
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VICE CHAIR REPORT



TERRY LEE WATKINS, JR.



VICE CHAIR REPORT

JULY 2023

- Attended training sessions, 2 upcoming



Congratulations Ohio!



 DEMOCRATS ABROAD



SECRETARY REPORT
JOSHUA HOKE





SECRETARY REPORT

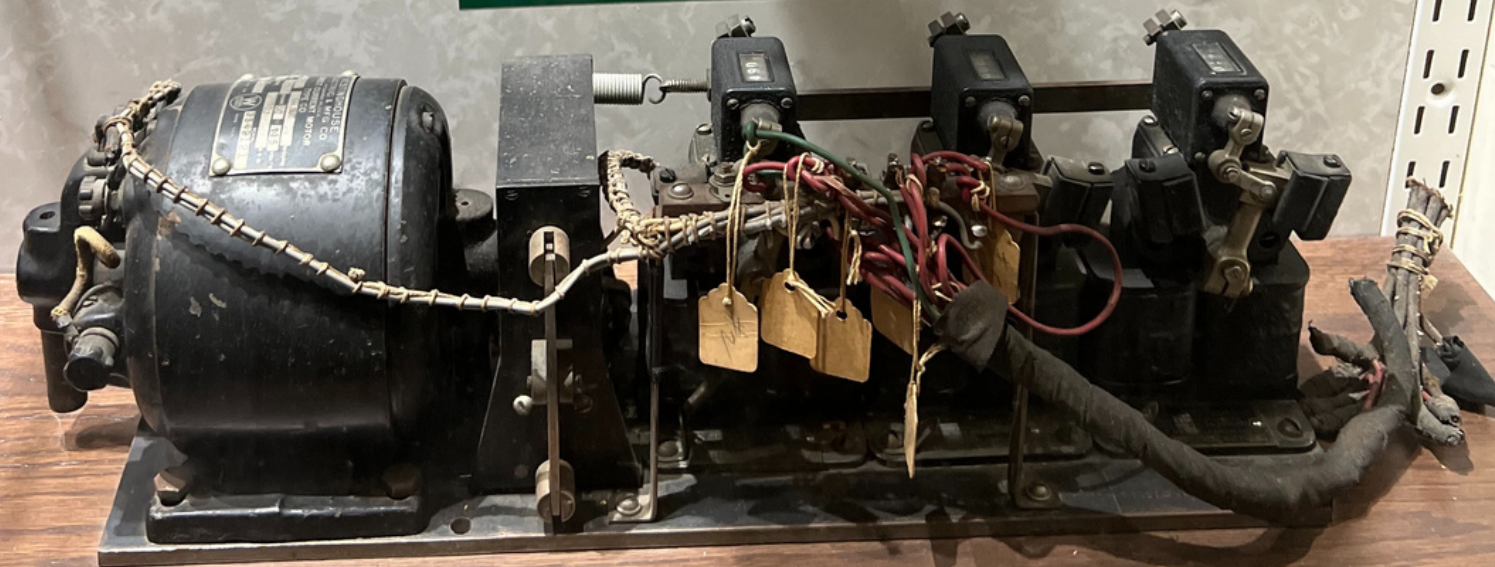
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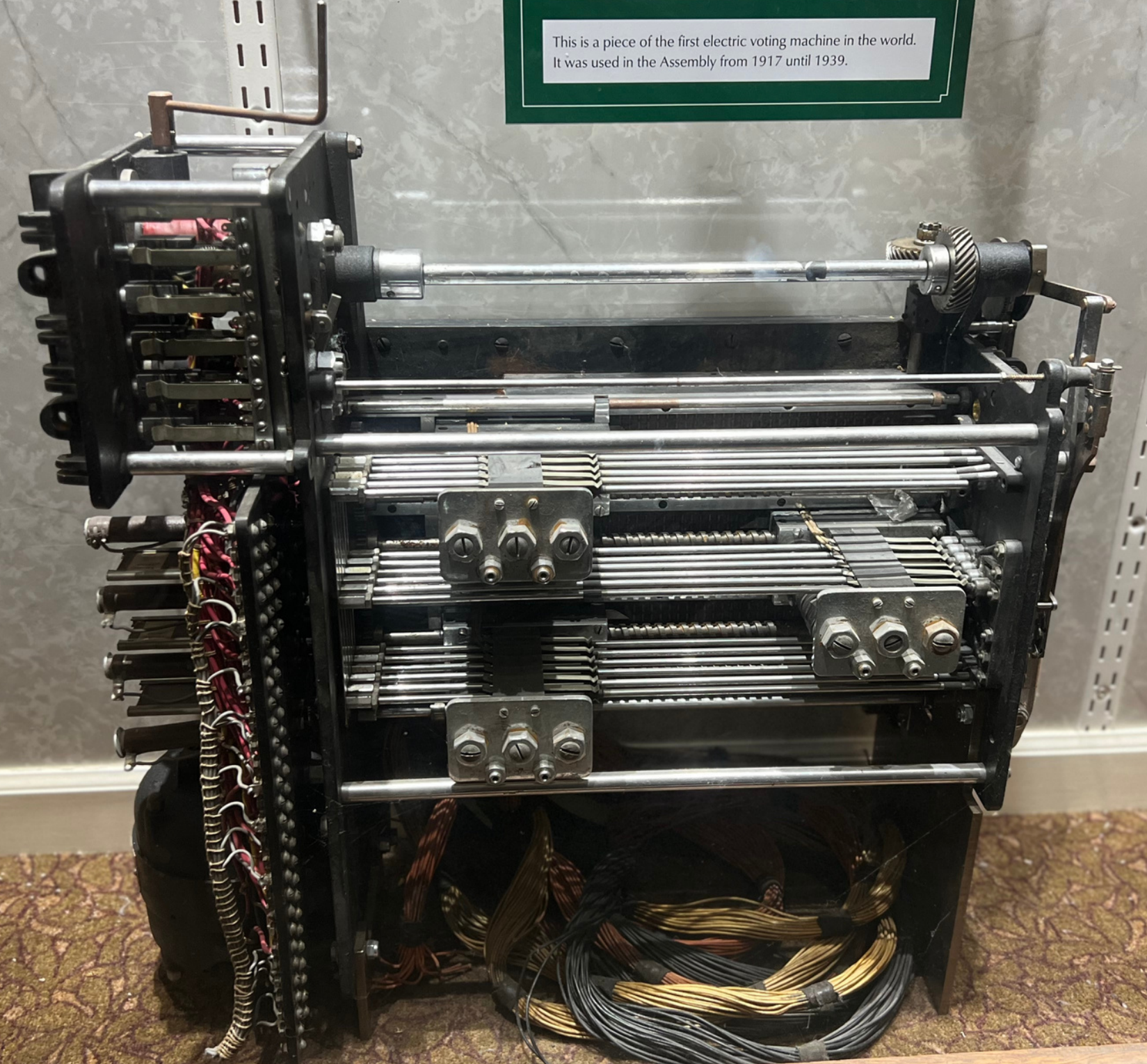
The electrical voting machine system consisted of push button devices that were installed at each desk and wired to a display board on the railing of the east gallery. To vote, the representatives would insert a key into the device that would allow them to then press either the aye or nay voting buttons. After a vote was complete, a permanent record would be printed from the machine and the representatives would press the release button to deactivate the voting buttons on their device. The devices also had a page/call button that allowed them to alert the pages when they needed assistance.

In 1939, the voting machine was completely overhauled and two new identical display boards were installed on either side of the Speaker's desk. Although the voting system has been altered a few times since then (when it was computerized in 1975 and during the Assembly renovation project in 1988), those same display boards from 1939 can be seen in the Assembly to this day.

This motor powered the original electric voting machine that was used in the Assembly from 1917 until 1939.

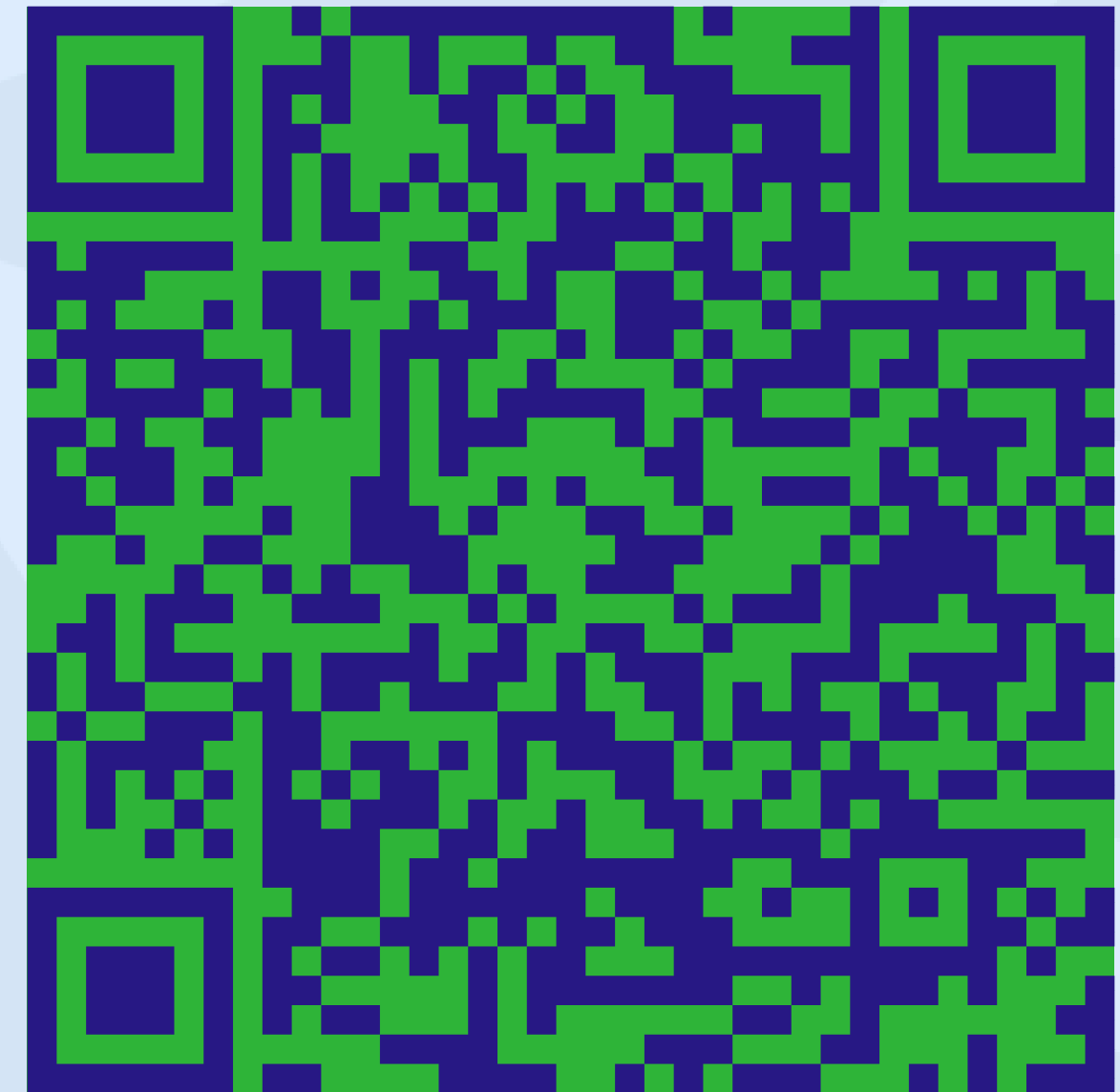


This is a piece of the first electric voting machine in the world. It was used in the Assembly from 1917 until 1939.



The Wiki

DPCA & DACN Repository

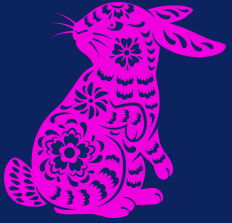
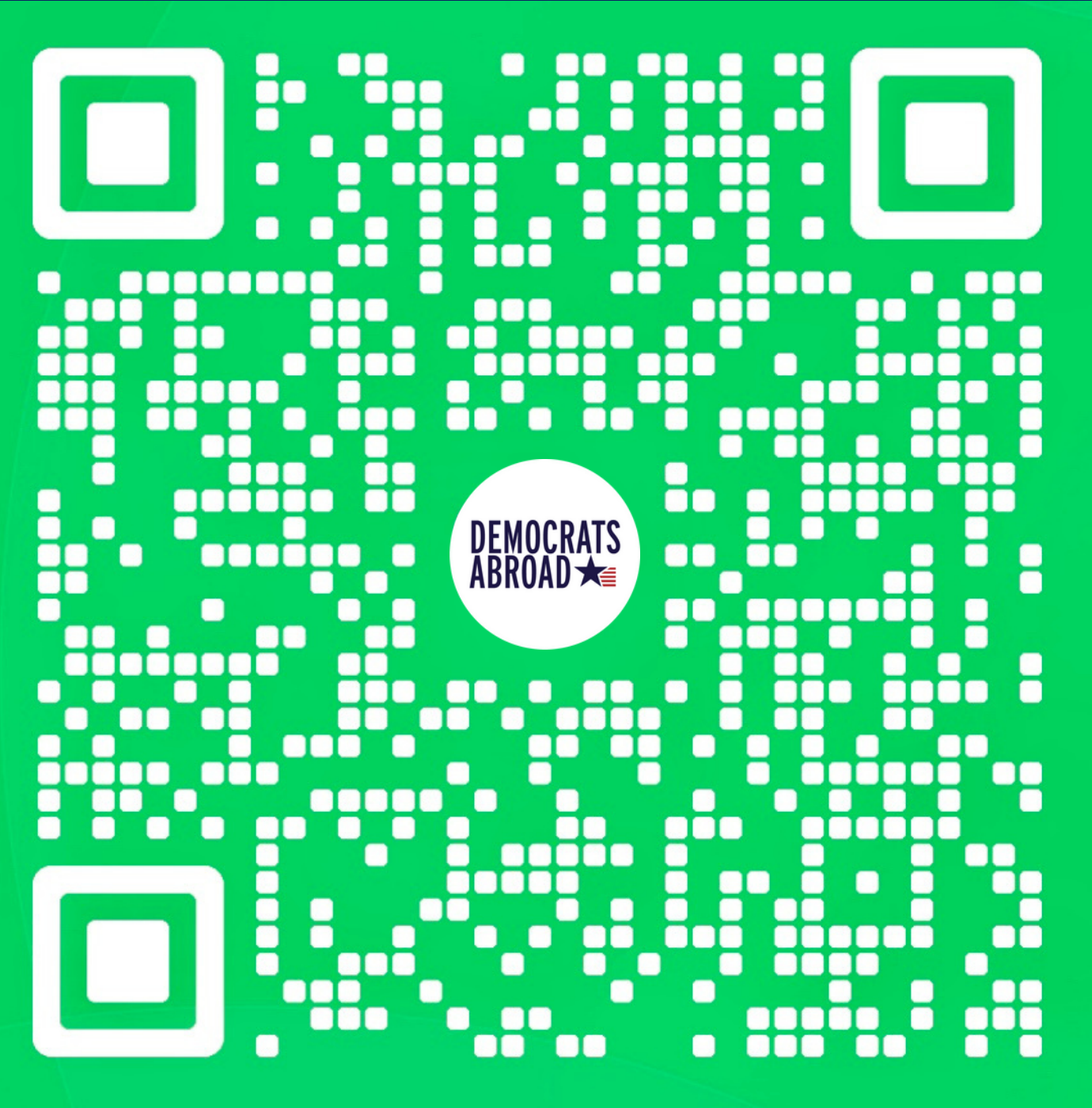


MEMBERSHIP OUTLOOK

Goals to grow our membership and volunteer base



SCAN NOW >



WECHAT



TREASURY REPORT



PATRICIA WILLIAMS



5.01

REVENUE
(USD)



0

EXPENDITURES
(USD)

Total Raised 2022:

\$133.09

Total Raised 2023:

\$35.07

Total Spent 2022:

\$0.00

Total Spent 2023:

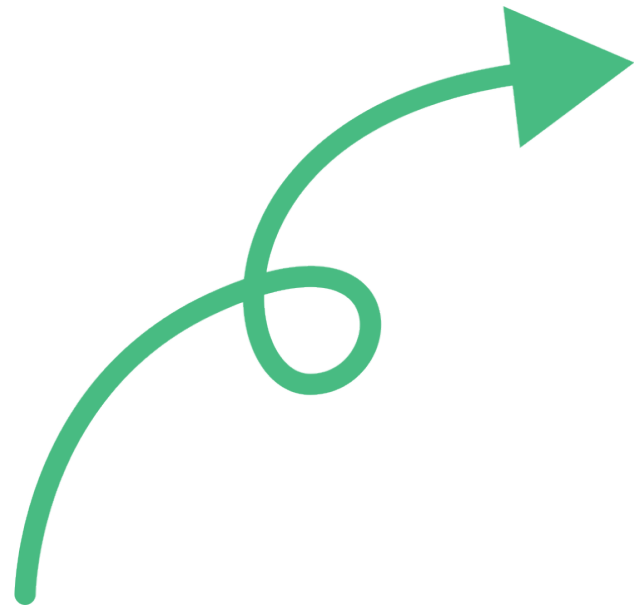
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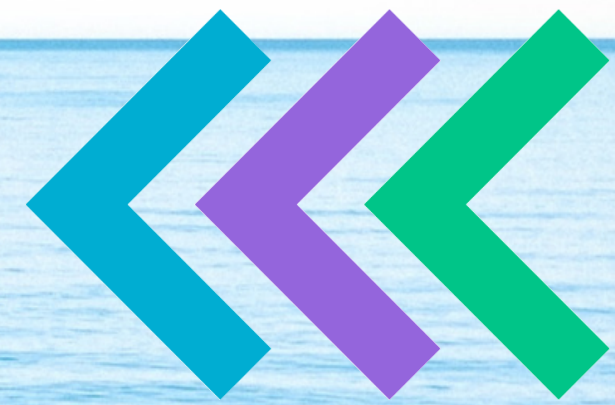
\$168.16

Revenues

	Amt. USD	Entity	Date ▾	CoA
1.	\$5.01	Blackbourn, Elizabeth	Jul 30, 2023	R - CC Sustaining



Become a sustaining donor TODAY!





MOTION

EXPENDITURE

Help DPCA meet fundraising needs by donating one-third of our total balance.

DACN balance: 1,166 RMB

Donation: 388 RMB

DIRECTOR OF COMMUNICATIONS REPORT
ELYSE RIBBONS





COMMS DIRECTOR REPORT

JULY 2023

- Attended meetings with Liz
 - 2 upcoming training sessions
 - Please join our Comms Committee on WeChat!
 - We need copy and graphics to promote voting all through September, as well as for our events!
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WHAT DOES THE GLOBAL WOMEN'S CAUCUS DO?

Inform on women's issues & policy

Create a global sisterhood

Partner with feminist orgs

Get out the vote abroad

Host events with Democratic leaders

WHAT IF I'M PASSIONATE ABOUT A SPECIFIC TOPIC?

Join one of our issue groups!

- ERA
- Climate Action
- Violence Against Women
- Reproductive Justice
- Candidate Information
- Feminist Literature

SOCIAL MEDIA LINKS



@DAWOMENSCAUCUS



@DAWOMENSCAUCUS



@WOMENSCAUCUSABROAD





IT DIRECTOR REPORT

KEVIN XIN





IT DIRECTOR REPORT

JULY 2023



AUGUST 12, 2023



**HAPPY INTERNATIONAL
YOUTH DAY**

Somewhere inside all of us is the power to
change the world.



GOTV COORDINATOR REPORT



GINNY HUNT





GOTV COORDINATOR REPORT

JULY 2023



Vote from Abroad.org

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION

THIS CERTIFICATED PRESENTED TO :

Virginia Hunt

This certificate is awarded to Adam Bucky for successful completion of Voter Assistance Level I training. It serves as proof of his competence and knowledge of DA and VFA GOTV standards and methods.

This certificate was awarded
on July 25, 2023


DA China Chair

2023



Don't forget to vote!

Passport | Books | Ballot

Go to [Vote From Abroad.org](http://VoteFromAbroad.org)

VoteFromAbroad.org

Utah

**Register by FPCA email,
fax, online, mail •**

Friday August 25

**Register & Return FWAB
email, fax, mail •**

Thursday August 31



PAMELA FORBES

EVENTS COORDINATOR REPORT



The Website

DPCA & DACN News & Events





PICNICS IN PARKS



BACK TO SCHOOL



LABOR DAY





PLANNING MAKES PERFECT

SCHEDULE

- More cooperation with: AmCham Shanghai
 - Voter Ballot Registration tables at upcoming events
 - Appearance on AmCham newsletter and website
 - Vote from Abroad informational video creation.
 - Update the GOTV Wiki page and Website to reflect more 2023 elections.
 - Create more Vote From Abroad graphics/content
 - Sharing more content on our Democrats Abroad WeChat Moments
 - Building out a Comms team for even more content! We need to find Communications Officers.
 - Book Club event planning - ABC
 - Other event planning (training, retreat, GOTV, tacos, etc)
 - GOTV Calendar
 - Comms Calendar
 - Newsletter
 - August meeting date/time
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GROWTH GOALS



Be Actionable

Our goal is to serve our members as they vote and look for information as to legislation being put forth by elected officials. To better serve our membership and the Democratic platform, we must act. Let's make better use of our social media platforms to achieve this goal. Suggestions welcome!

Expand outreach

Reaching members both current and new is essential! Please volunteer with the outreach team, as it drives our ability to register voters and GOTV.

Build a bigger online presence

Collaborate in real-time and feel like you're in the same room as the rest of the Board and fellow DA members. Share tasks and work simultaneously to create a powerful partnership. Please contact DACN Chair, Liz Blackbourn for all Zoom hosting requests.

GOAL SETTING

01

02

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August

Increase comms & outreach & fundraising efforts. Consider retreat.

September

Support events, post actions weekly, ballot drop day

October

Ensure members have received all help needed for 2023 elections

November

Election Day, fundraising drive, start verifying all members in our database

December

Finish member verification, call for volunteers, end of year statement

Review

Evaluate 2023 results, goal set, look to midterms.

We are here!

2023-24 ROADMAP



August

Week 1

Week 2

Week 3

Week 4

GOTV Development

GOTV Initial Announcements

Deploy VFA - Social Media & E-blast

Call Bank Contest

Finalize Q3 Comms

Membership Verification

Ballot Drop Day Msgs

Ballot Drop - Individual Replies

E-blast 2

E-blast 2 - Individual Replies

Phone Bank and Intercom

Communications Schedule

Announcements

Launch Member Spotlight

September Newsletter

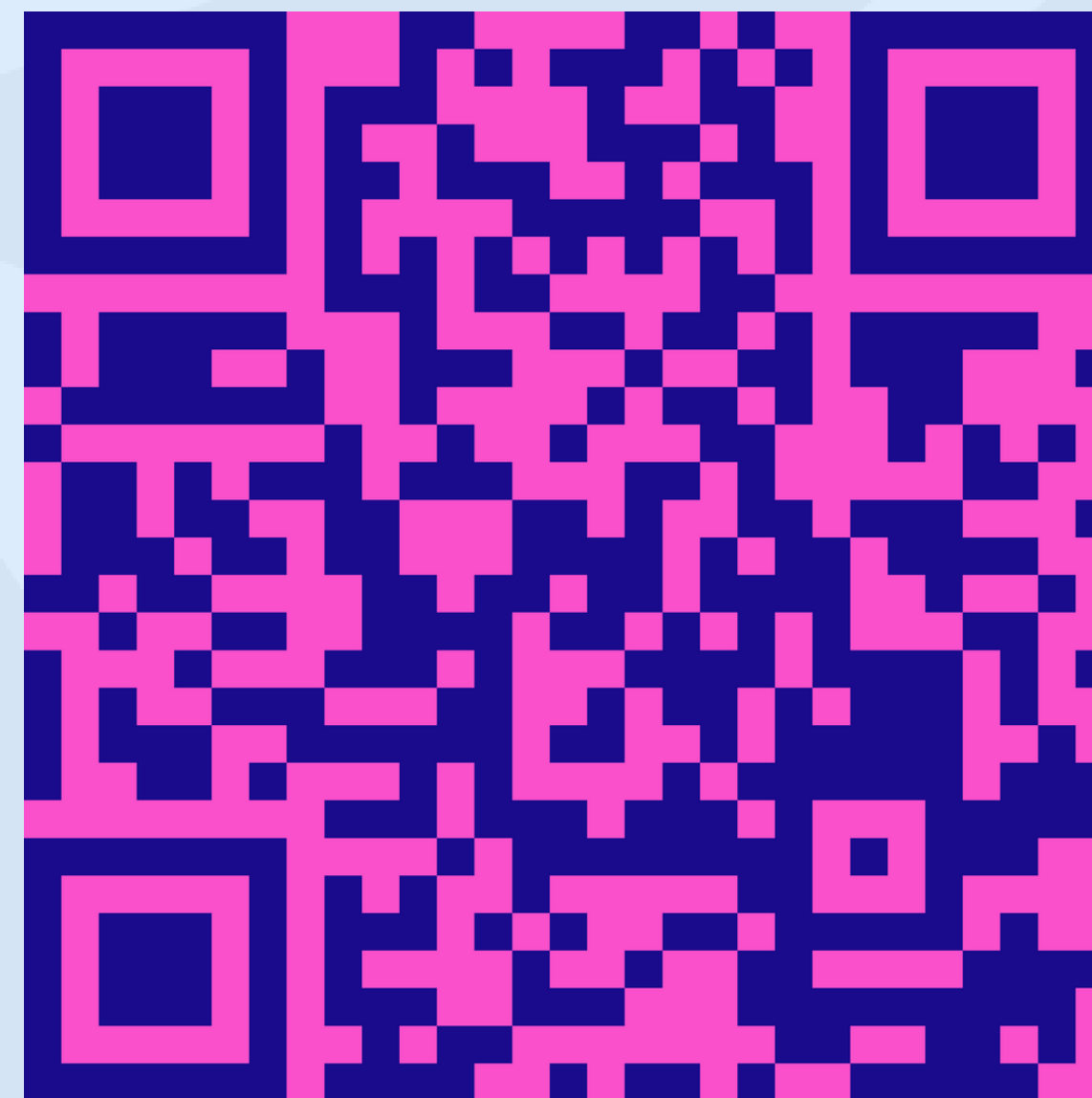
GOTV State Messaging x 2

Update Wiki Pages

Finalize meeting, AGM Schedule

The Calendar

DACN on TeamUp





ONBOARDING COORDINATOR

DACN NEEDS YOU!!!



VOLUNTEERS

NEEDED



**JOIN
US**

Our Volunteers are the heartbeat of change, breathing life into dreams and transforming our country and our world.





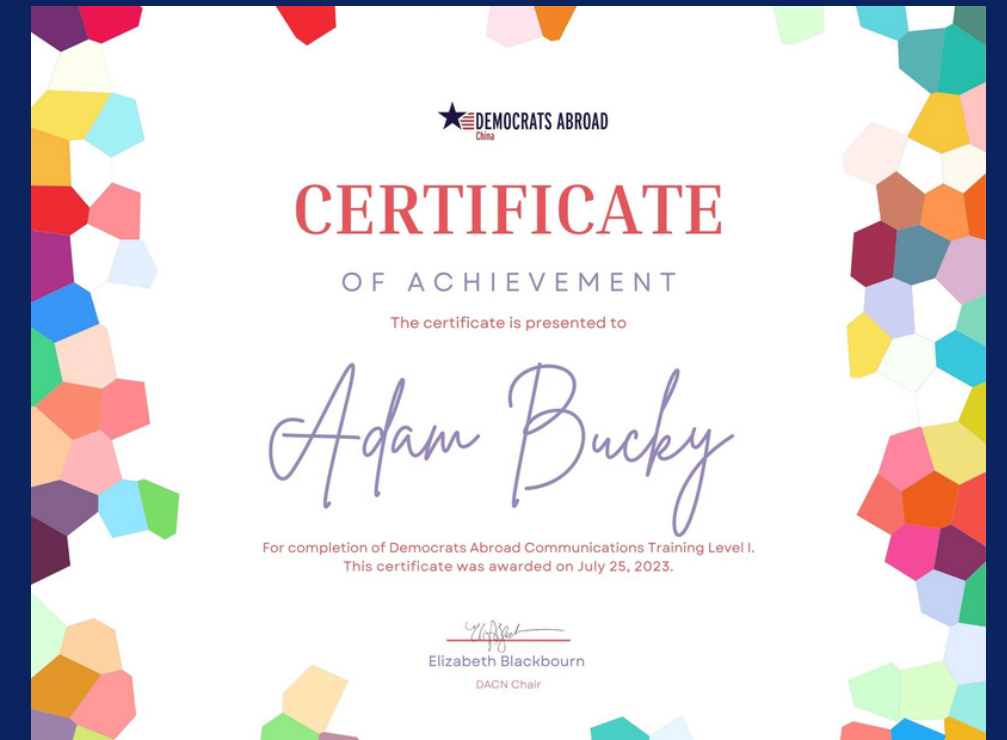
MEMBER-AT-LARGE

ADAM BUCKY



MEMBER- AT-LARGE REPORT

JULY 2023





**PROGRESS FOR
PROGRESSIVES**

**MONTHLY
MEMBERS
MEETING**



H.R. 40

Commission to **Study and Develop** Reparation Proposals for African-Americans Act

**AMERICANS OF ALL BACKGROUNDS
IT'S TIME. JOIN THE TEAM.**

YEARS OF:

slavery

250 . 90 . 30 . 35 . 41

separate
but equal

mass
incarceration

jim crow

state-sanctioned
redlining



DEMOCRATS ABROAD
Reparations Task Force





MEMBER-AT-LARGE

DUSTIN ROBERTS



MEMBER- AT-LARGE REPORT

JULY 2023



CERTIFICATE OF PARTICIPATION

This certificate goes to

DUSTIN ROBERTS

for completing Democrats Abroad 101 Training

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Elizabeth Blackburn', written over a horizontal red line.

ELIZABETH BLACKBOURN

DACN CHAIR
July 25, 2023



MOTIONS & NEW BUSINESS





T-shirts
Unisex sizes M-XL
125 RMB



Tank Tops
Unisex sizes M-XL
110 RMB



T-shirts
Ladies sizes M-XL
125 RMB

10 RMB

PINS



50 RMB

CUPS

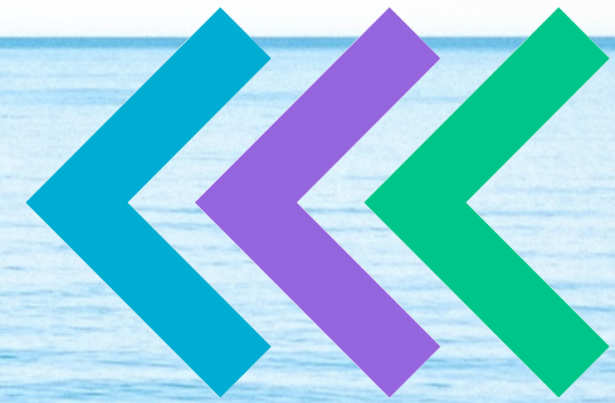


30 RMB

SHADES



Become a sustaining donor TODAY!



INVEST

The image features the word "INVEST" in a bold, sans-serif font. The letter "I" is solid black. The letters "N", "V", and "E" are filled with a vibrant blue, textured pattern that resembles rippling water or a digital wave effect. The letters "S" and "T" are also solid black. The entire text is set against a plain white background.



THANK YOU SUPER VOLUNTEERS!



Julia Bryan - Speaker



Chair - Liz Blackbourn



Adam Bucky, Comms



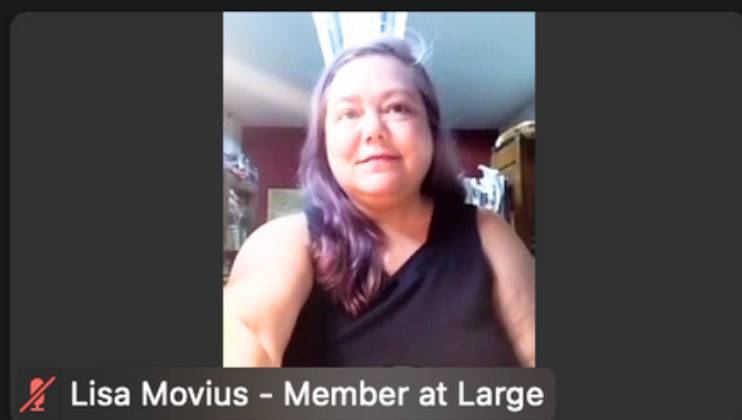
Tricia Williams - Secretary



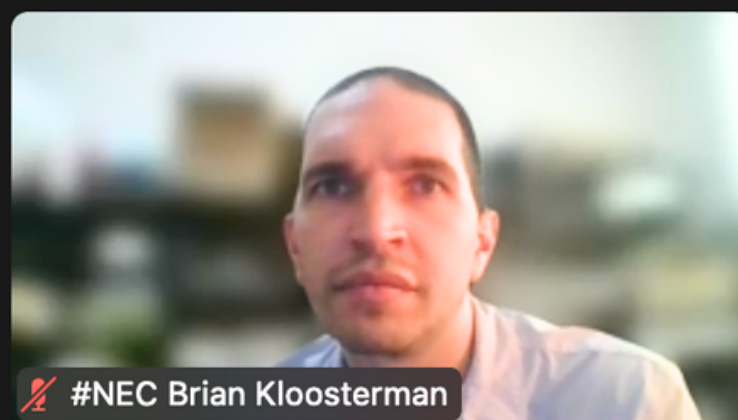
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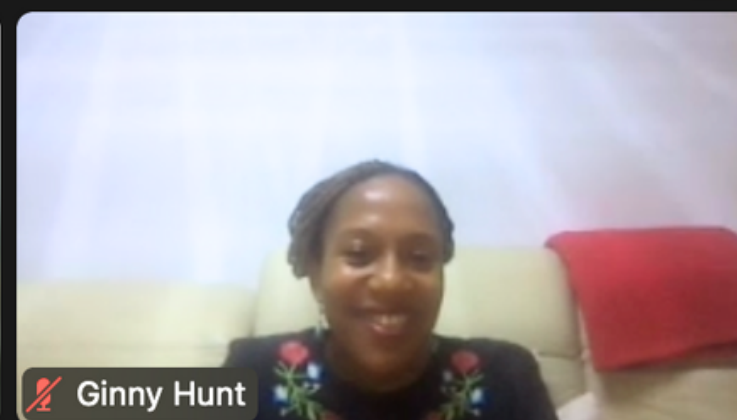
Kevin Xin



Lisa Movius - Member at Large



#NEC Brian Kloosterman



Ginny Hunt



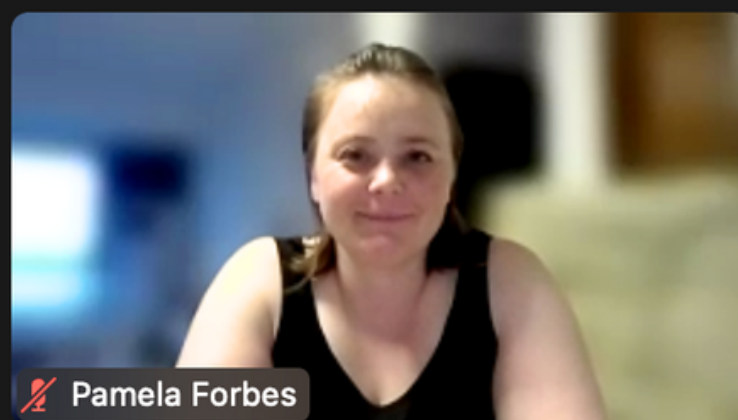
Terry Watkins



#NEC Patrick Cranley



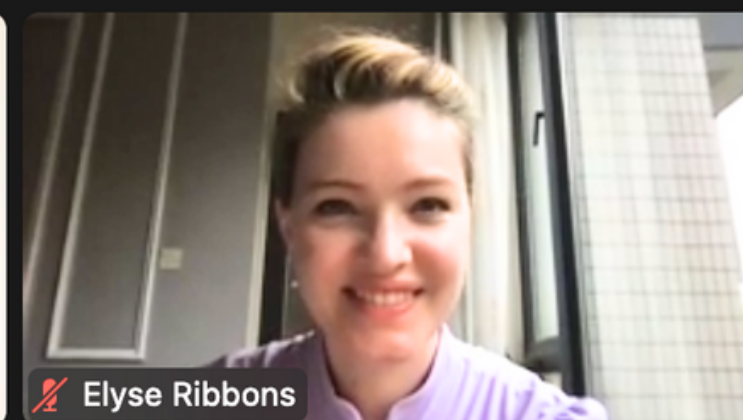
Dustin Roberts- IT coordinator



Pamela Forbes



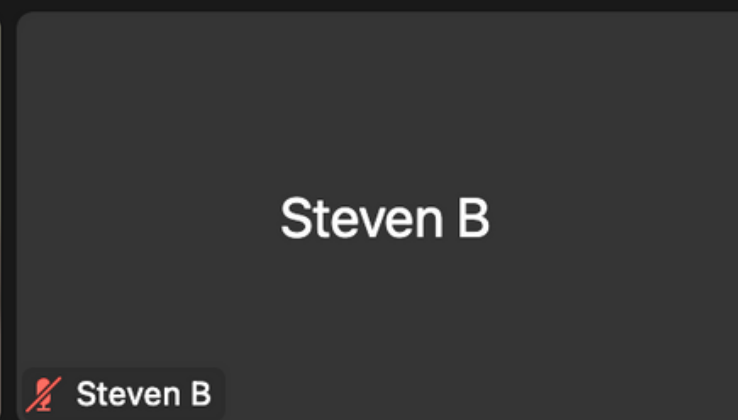
Eileen Walsh - Member-At-Large



Elyse Ribbons



#NEC Albert Walker



Steven B

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 **VOTE**



