

## MVDDC Committee Meeting Minutes

*November 19, 2019*

### Officer Reports

- Chair
  - Introductions
  - Bryan Graham addressed the meeting and announced that he is running for Chair of FCDC. He presented his experience and his view of how he wants to help the Committee succeed in 2020/2021
  - Motion to accept the minutes—Minutes were approved
  - Reminder: Reorganization for Magistral Districts December 2019
    - Dec 10th
      - Whitman Middle School, 2500 Parkers Ln, Alexandria, VA 22306
      - 7-8pm Caucus
      - 8-9pm Reorganization
    - Reminder: Positions with no candidates running:
      - Vice Chair Technology
      - Vice Chair Communications
      - Vice Chair Outreach
      - NEW: Vice Chair Social Justice
      - NEW: Treasurer Coordinator \*not voted on
      - NEW: Cluster Coordinators for Precinct Ops (5 total) (voted on)
      - All position descriptions are available on the MVDDC website.
      - Standing Committee descriptions will be added to the website.
  - HQ Contributions – \$500 – ongoing discussion. We are looking to see how much we will need to contribute beyond the \$500; Karlee will keep the
- Secretary
- Treasurer—We have enough cash on hand to cover all of our upcoming expenses, including Mardi Gras and our contribution to the headquarters. Financially we are in good shape.
- Precinct Operations

- o We really need people to volunteer as precinct captains or co-captains. These positions are key to our year-round outreach in addition to our election day and pre-election day activities.
- o Highlights:
  - Highest turnout – Waynewood 59.5%
  - Honorable mention: Stratford 58.5% and Hollin Hall 57.7%
  - Highest result for the Dem candidate:
    - Krizek – Bucknell 79.6%
    - Sickles – Huntington 83.8%
    - Tran – Laurel Hill 75.2%
    - Descano – Grosvenor 73.7%
    - Kincaid – Kirkside 86.9%
    - McKay – Kirkside 77.6%
    - Corbett-Sanders – Kirkside 74.4%

Overall improvement in turnout for Mount Vernon was about 50% from 2015 (44% increase - 30.3% to 43.5%)

Most improved turnout – Laurel Hill 94%, Lorton 92% - almost double turnout % from 2015, and more than double the number of votes!

- Communications
- Outreach
- Standing Committee Reports - Voter Registration/Protection(Gina Medsker). For the apartment blitz—we garnered 165 new voter registrations; Through the school voter registration we had 600 new registrations.

### **Old Business**

### **New Business**

- Paul Jameson is running for Chair of Mt. Vernon. Paul addressed the Committee and set forth his view of the role of chair;

### **Upcoming Events**

FCDC Annual Holiday Party, December 7<sup>th</sup>, 3pm – 6pm, Home of Peter Appel, 6927 Churchill Rd., McLean, VA 22101. Cost: \$40 before 11/22

MVDDC Mardi Gras! February 22, 2020, Don Beyer Subaru, 7416 Richmond Hwy. Stayed tuned for details!