OKLAHOMA DEMOCRATIC PARTY
2019 STATE CONVENTION
Renaissance Oklahoma City Convention Center & Hotel
10 N Broadway Ave, Oklahoma City, OK 73102
June 7th - 9th, 2019
Oklahoma Democrats,

We’re excited to welcome you to the 2019 Oklahoma Democratic Party Convention. Please join us on Saturday, June 8th at 10:00 a.m. through Sunday, June 9th, at the Renaissance Oklahoma City Convention Center & Hotel, 10 N Broadway Ave, Oklahoma City, OK 73102. Friday, June 7th will be a day of training and hospitality events beginning at 10:00 a.m. and going on through the evening.

Credentialing begins at 3:00 p.m. Friday, June 7th, 8:00 a.m. June 8th, and 8:00 a.m. June 9th on the second floor Convention Center near the main Ballroom and Skywalk.

We hope that you will join us not only for the Convention on Saturday and Sunday, June 8th and 9th, 2019 but also for the Carl Albert Dinner on Saturday evening, with Keynote Speaker Congresswoman Deb Haaland NM-01, one of the first Native American women elected to Congress. We will also present the Carl Albert, Opio Toure, Bob Lemon Humanitarian, and George Nigh New Leaders Awards, honoring some of those who have worked hardest to elect Democrats across the state.

At this Convention, as well as at the recent County and District Conventions, we are laying the foundation for our work in the 2020 Presidential election cycle. When the gavel closes this Convention, we will have completed our constitutional requirements for organizing our Party. We will then fan out across Oklahoma and get to work electing Democrats and spreading the message that Oklahoma Democrats support progress, equality, and fairness. At the same time, we know how valuable it is for us to spend time together--to gather as Democrats, to visit with friends, to plan for elections and put in the work to build a better future for the people of our state.

We invite you to visit the State Democratic Party website at okdemocrats.org/2019-state-convention to learn more about the Convention training schedule, review party documents, the 2017 Convention Minutes, and learn more about our Honored Keynote Speaker, Congresswoman Deb Haaland.

Thank you for all you do, and we look forward to seeing you at Convention!

Democratically yours,
Anna Langthorn
Brian Jones
Tim O’Connor
Rachael Hunsucker
Bylaw 09. Meeting Committees
The County, Congressional District, and State Central Committees shall appoint the following committees of their respective Conventions at the earliest possible date, but not later than the date on which the respective call is issued:

A. A rules committee to promulgate such rules as may be necessary or expedient to the orderly conduct of the meeting. Such rules shall be consistent with the Constitution and Bylaws of the Oklahoma Democratic Party and with any appropriate Convention Bylaws. Rules for any Convention meeting shall be printed and made available to the delegates at least seventy-two (72) hours prior to the Convention date with copies available at the meeting site at least one (1) hour prior to convening the meeting.

B. A credentials committee, whose appointed members may otherwise be delegates to the convention and a volunteer staff adequate to insure each credentials table is not left unattended to:

B.01. Prepare a list of delegates certified by the State Secretary as delegates to the Convention,
B.02. Hear challenges to the right of any delegate to be seated at the Convention meeting,
B.03. Make prior arrangements for an orderly process in distributing credentials, including arranging credentials tables at district and state conventions to group counties in alphabetical order without regard to congressional district,
B.04. Prepare a credentials “badge” to present to each certified Convention delegate,
B.05. Report to the Convention on the number of delegates issued credentials and or the resolution of any dispute,
B.06. Review and record valid proxy statements,
B.07. Remain open until the adjournment of the Convention meeting; and
B.08. Make revised reports to the Convention as may be required.

C. A resolutions committee to:
C.01. Review resolutions proposed to the Convention,
C.02. Propose resolutions on the initiative of its own members,
C.03. Revise and draft resolutions,
C.04. Recommend the adoption of resolutions in its report to the Convention, and
C.05. Print and make available to delegates all resolutions recommended by the committee at least seventy-two (72) hours prior to the Convention date, with copies to be made available at the meeting site at least one (1) hour prior to convening the meeting.

D. An arrangements committee (which shall be optional) to handle all the details of securing the meeting site, obtaining any necessary supplies and holding a fund- raising event, if appropriate.

E. A Constitution and Bylaws Committee for the State Convention to
E.01. review all proposed changes the state party receives,
E.02. to propose on the initiative of its own members,
E.03. revise and draft proposed changes, and
E.04. recommend the adoption of proposed changes in its report to the convention,
E.05. Print and make available to delegates all proposed changes at least seventy-two (72) hours prior to the Convention date, with copies to be made available at the meeting site at least one (1) hour prior to convening the meeting.

The 2017 Proposed Rules, Resolutions and Constitution & By-Laws Reports, and 2017 Convention Minutes are available online: okdemocrats.org/2019-state-convention
Oklahoma Democratic Party
2019 State Convention Call
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Convention Business Begins Saturday, June 8th at 10:00 AM
Credentialing begins at 3:00 PM Friday, June 7th, 8:00 AM Saturday, June 8th, and 8:00 AM Sunday, June 9th

AGENDA SATURDAY & SUNDAY

10:00 AM MAIN BALLROOM 2ND FLOOR
- Call to Order & Welcome
- Colors & Pledge
- National Anthem
- Introduction of Congresswoman Horn
- Introduction of Governors
- Credentials Report/Adoption
- Proposed Rules/Adoption
- Secretary’s Report & Minutes/Approval
- Treasurer’s Report
- Pass the Hat
- Constitution & By-Laws Report/Adoption
- Resolutions Report/Adoption

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- Updated Credentials Report/Adoption
- Election of State Officers:
  - Affirmative Action Members (Male)
  - Affirmative Action Members (Female)
  - State Chair
  - Vice-Chair
  - Secretary
  - Treasurer
- Adjournment
COMMITTEES
Committees meet Saturday, June 8th at 8-10:00 AM, the second floor convention center, Room 14.

Credentials Committee
Tim O’Connor - Chair
Demetrius Bereolos
Helen Kusek
Crystal Lagrone
Shailaja Marion
Deborah Mason
Amy Zacher
Wyatt McGuire
Charles Wilkes
Cortez Johnson
Twan Jones
Genaro Blake

Constitution & By-Laws Committee
Brian Jones - Chair
Alicia Andrews
Ali Canada
Kate Corbett
Nadine Gallagher
Earl Mitchell
Andrea Waldron
Sean Webster
Aron York
Troy Green
Alexandra Scott
Demetrius Bereolos
Brondalyn Coleman

Rules Committee
Tim Reese - Chair
Leslie Bonebreak
Nadine Gallagher
Cortez Johnson
Twan Jones
Rachel Morse
Dominick Palamara
Jacintha Webster
Calvin Rees
Ashley Combs
Charlotte Bell
Brian Jones

Resolutions Committee
Crystal Lagrone - Chair
Eric Barr
Allison Ikley - Freeman
Will Irwin
Helen Tang
Jacobi Crowley
Wesley Forbes
Lauren Craig
Chris Odneal
Sache Primeaux-Shaw
Hermorene
Douglas-Ezeobe
MEETING: ________________________________

LOCATION: ________________________________

DATE: ________________________________

I, ________________________________, do hereby give my PROXY to ________________________________

who is a Democrat, registered within the ________________________________ County and the ____________

District/Precinct, with authority to vote in my place on any and all matters that may come before

said meeting unless otherwise instructed below.

Signature: ________________________________

Print Name: ________________________________

Office: ________________________________

Address: ________________________________


Instructions for use of Proxy (if none, write “None”)

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Name ________________________________ Signature ________________________________

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