

Amador County Democratic Central Committee
June 1, 2026
Minutes

Call to Order at 5:30 pm

1. Roll Call & Set Quorum

Members: Lynne Standard-Nightengale, Gail Sweet, Robert Dalton, Lori Jagoda, Luisa Almeida, Elizabeth McCulloch, Steve Christensen, MarySue Bizzarri (Zoom), Maurice Bizzarri, Martijn Fenaux (Zoom), Jill Fenaux (Zoom), Ed Moore, Mari Galino, Barry Wadsworth, Bob Enyeart (Zoom)

Guests: Amanda Aikawa, Chris Taylor, Christeen Ferree, Amy Hines-Shaikh

Quorum set with four of five districts represented plus all officers.

2. Public Comment: Lynne Standard-Nightengale attended a meeting with the hospital CEO who gave his personal cell phone number for anyone who has an issue with Sutter Amador Hospital to call and talk to him. Lynne shared the number with members present. Lori Jagoda reported the updated sales amount for the May yard sale is \$3343.50 and will be slightly higher with continued sale of specific items.

3. Approval of Agenda: Discussion of County Fair added to the agenda followed by M/S—Liz/Lynne. Approved

4. Approval of minutes – M/S—Liz/Luisa. Approved

5. Treasurer Report – MarySue reports the balance as of April 30 is \$2,643.60. The county fair booth fee of \$684.00 was paid. Donation request emails brought in \$644.00. MarySue will update who has paid Central Committee membership dues by the next meeting.

6. New Business

- **Formation of a Finance Committee:** Bob Dalton proposed the formation of a Finance Committee which is a requirement per our by-laws. The purpose would be to examine our budget and see if there are any cost cutting measures we can take given our small income. What is involved in completing California and Federal reporting requirements? What are the services provided by our bookkeeper? MarySue, Liz, Bob Dalton, Ed Moore, and Lynne volunteered to serve on this committee to research and make recommendations at the next meeting.
- **Local Taxpayer Protection Act to Save Proposition 13:** Amy Hines-Shaikh made a presentation via Zoom in opposition to this measure. Website is <https://www.taxpayerdeceptionact.com/> A proposition number will be assigned June 26.
- **Discuss the last minute things we can do before the primary: VOTE!**

- **Swearing in of new members:** Chris Taylor and Amanda Aikawa introduced themselves and were then sworn in as members by Steve.
- **County Fair booth:** Lori reported she and Mitch Hodson will be meeting to discuss the fair booth for this year. The theme is “More Cowbells.” Maurice volunteered to help with set up and tear down. Mari and Christeen volunteered to help Lori and Mitch. Steve has an Amador Democrats banner he will drop off to Mitch. Volunteer schedule will be developed and shared.

7. Old Business

- **Vote to approve ACDCC Bylaws** – M/S Lynne/Gail Approved.
- **Social Media Committee** – Facebook membership has grown to 870. Maurice requests that all rally information be sent to him to add to the website. No issues with BlueSky per Jill.

8. Announcements

- Monthly rally is Saturday, June 6 at Safeway/Lowes complex.
- There is a possible No Kings event on June 14 to counter Donald Trump’s birthday celebration.

9. Meeting adjourned at 6:30 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Lori Jagoda, Secretary