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# **DOLPHIN DEMOCRATS**

# GENERAL MEETING MINUTES March 13, 2024 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

- 1. Welcome/Call to Order: Meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by President Alfredo Olvera
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
  - a. Michael Albetta provided the pledge.
- 3. Attendance/Quorum: Secretary
  - a. Determination of Quorum: Quorum was met with 49 voting members in attendance.
- 4. Approval of Minutes
  - a. General Meeting Minutes: Feb 14, 2024
    - i. Minutes were approved without opposition.
- 5. New Business:
  - a. Guest Speakers:
    - i. Tina Polsky State Senator
    - ii. Christine Hunschofsky State Representative, District 95
    - iii. Andy Madtes President AFL-CIO
    - iv. Robert Kesten Stonewall National Museum & Archives
  - b. Recognition of exiting Board of Director Members
  - c. President Olvera announced the Dolphin Democrats gala and theme: "Unite, Embrace, and Soar." Encouraged members to purchase tickets early.

### 6. Recognitions

- a. Elected Officials, Candidates, Party Leaders
- b. Silver, Gold, Harvey Milk, and Jamie Bloodworth Members
- c. Exiting Board of Directors: three recognized

## 7. Reports:

- a. **Treasurer:** Jason Gad presented to the current budget and expense since the last meeting. There were no questions.
  - i. Last Reported Bank Balance: \$ 20,135.75
  - ii. Current Bank Balance: \$ 24,504.61
  - iii. For the full February report, click <u>HERE</u>

### b. President's Report:

- i. Announcements
  - 1. Next meeting April 10, 2024.
  - 2. Broward Dems Dinner: Sat. Mar. 23, 2024
  - 3. Election Delegates President Olvera extended a welcome for members to apply to become a delegate for Florida.
  - 4. Election next week
- 8. For the Good of the Party: No announcements.
  - a. Transgender Visibility Day March 31, 2024 at Equality Park at the Pride Center
- 9. Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 8:24 PM by President Alfredo Olvera