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**DOLPHIN DEMOCRATS
SPECIAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING
ENDORSEMENTS
MINUTES
July 8, 2026
7:00 PM - 8:20 PM
The Pride Center
2040 Dixie Hwy., Wilton Manors**

1. **Welcome/Call to Order:** President Olvera called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM
2. **Pledge of Allegiance:** By Michael Ferguson
3. **Attendance/Quorum:** Secretary
 - a. Determination of Quorum: Quorum was met with 88 members present.
4. **Approval of Minutes:**
 - a. Motion by Hillary Dougherty to approve the minutes of the June 10, 2026, and June 24, 2026 meetings. Seconded by Paul Sparandera Jr. Motion passed. Minutes were approved.
5. **Reports:**
 - a. **President's Report:** President Olvera informed the members about the Florida LGBTQ+ Democratic Caucus conference. Announced the dates for the next 3 rounds of endorsement meetings and other events.
 - b. **Treasurer's Report:** Jason Gad reported a current bank balance of \$62,840.82
6. **New Business:**
 - a. The members voted to endorse the following candidates:
 - i. **Robin Bartleman** for State Senate District 103 General Election
 - ii. **Lauren Book** for State Senate District 30 in the General Election
 - iii. **Rosalind Osgood** for State Senate District 32 in the General Election
 - iv. **Maura McCarthy Bulman** for School Board District 1 - Primary Election
 - v. **Cynthia Dominique** for School Board Districts 7 - Primary Election
 - vi. No endorsement was reached in School Board District 8
7. **Adjournment:** President Olvera adjourned the meeting at 8:20 pm