



SACRAMENTO REPUBLICAN WOMEN FEDERATED

2022 Board Members:

President – Tabitha Gomez
1 VP – Nina Caron
Membership 2nd VP – Janice Price
Treasurer – Shelly Waggoner

Recording Secretary – Terri Lyn Alexander
Corresponding Secretary – Peggy McGinness
Financial Review Officer – Janet Gardner
Parliamentarian – Terri Lyn Alexander

1. The Meeting was called to order at 12:02 PM by President Tabitha Gomez.
2. The Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chaplain Kimberly Woods and Laverna Maguren.
3. Welcome & Introductions: Tabitha Gomez welcomed and introduced the following members and guests:

Our Members:

NFRW Region – Dottie Linden
Sacramento County GOP Chair – Betsy Mahan

Our Guests:

Dr. Hans Backer, Natalie Barentson, Mike Bogdan, Peggy Boling, Colette Cartolano, Stella Denton, Carol-Leena Fenske, Millie Hanney, Valerie Jackson, Lynda Kasigian, Katie Osborn, Beverly Shelton, Cary Wilcox and Martine Wrinkle.

Our New Member: Jan Gomez

Our New Affiliate: Jack Frost

Tabitha wanted everyone to introduce themselves to those at their table and share something thankful. She said the decorations on the table are not for sale and are the property of the special events coordinators.

Tabitha announced the date of December 3rd will be our 2022 Christmas Event and we are in need of unwrapped gifts or gift cards for military children and baby items, such as diapers, baby wipes or bottle for the Pregnancy Crisis Center. Tabitha also announced that we are in need of Opportunity Gifts for our drawing that we have each month.

4. Membership Report:

Our club has 3 new members bringing our total of new members to 43 for this year. We have a total of 98 Renewals with 16 Affiliates and 4 Associates. Our club has a grand total of 162 members for 2022.

5. General Meeting Minutes and the Treasurers Report were approved as presented.

Beginning Balance - Oct. 1, 2022	-\$ 10,045.92
Receipts -	\$ 3,445.00
Expenses -	\$ 5,814.23
Ending Balance - Oct. 31, 2022	\$ 7,676.69

6. Honorary Membership: Karen Klinger was not available to receive her special award due to a family death today.

7. Caring for America – Olga Hermann – She needs supplies for infants for the 3 Pregnancy Centers.

8. **Director of Legislation** – Karen Juten – She needs volunteers to canvas for phantom voters in Sacramento County.

9. **Nominating Committee for 2023:**

Our Nominating Committee consisted of the following members:

Kyle Krough, Chairman, Kim Durham, Donna Mayfield, Carol McDonald, Janice Price, Shelly Waggoner and Katarina Birchell

President Tabitha Gomez thanked everyone for serving on the nominating and the time they spent filling the board positions.

10. **Program, Nina Caron, 1st VP:**

Nina introduced the Moderator, Betsy Mahan and the panelists.

The 7 candidates running for school boards

Craig Deluz, Jon Fenske, Michah Grant, Tanya Kravchuk, Jen Laret, Jennifer Tarbox and Jason Walker.

Betsy Mahan had 3 questions for the panelists. The panelists were given different questions and these are the questions that were asked:

. Please explain what authority a school board has over all aspects of our children's education, including opportunities to reject state mandates, impact health decisions, keep school grounds safe, and set curriculum.

. As a new school board member, what is the most important issue you want to impact, and how will you accomplish your goal?

. As a school board member, what is your position on adding this new vaccine? And if you oppose it, what can be done to give parents control over this health decision for their child?

The overall thoughts were that the districts are failing the students, the districts do not listen to their parents and the parents are frustrated. The test scores keep falling and the classrooms are not preparing children for the real world. They need to take away politics in schools and have freedom of choice with the covid shots. The parents want to restore academics, more parent participation and make schools safer. Questions from the audience was then taken as directed to any member of the panel.

11. Opportunity Drawing: Peggy McGinness and Terri Lyn Alexander led the opportunity drawing

12. The meeting was adjourned at 1:57 PM.