

Campbell County Democratic Party Meeting Minutes November 20, 2025, 6 PM George Amos Building 412 S. Gillette Ave. Gillette, Wyoming 82718

The November Meeting of the Campbell County Democratic Party was called to order by Chairwoman Heidi Kennedy at 6:06 pm. Fifteen people were present including Heidi. Attendees introduced themselves by sharing what they do for their mental sanity during this politically crazy time. Responses included cussing and yelling at the TV, doom-scrolling on Facebook, avoiding social media, hanging out with our dogs, cats and friends, taking long walks, and everything in between.

Approval of Agenda:

By consensus the agenda was approved.

Secretary's Report:

Karin summarized the Oct. 16 meeting minutes. The monthly minutes will now be included in the meeting packet and can also be found on our party website.

Treasurer's Report:

Heidi reported that there was a generous donation from Joan and revenues from 2 recurring monthly donations. Our expenses last month were \$95.00 to Campaign Verify. There's an upcoming expense of \$54.00 for our post office box rental.

Announcements from the Chair:

- Community Outreach We have 235 email and 250 text message subscribers. Followers include 335 on Facebook, 259 on BlueSky, and 74 on Instagram.
- T-shirt sales Forms to order were on the table in the meeting room or contact Heidi.
- Texting Platform Heidi was able to send a bulk email out to all the phone numbers of local Democrats that she had. A few folks have been unsubscribed, but Heidi plans to grow the list.

Old Business:

- Adopt-a-Highway sign It has been ordered, but we're not sure when it will be installed.
- Midterm Elections discussion Many thanks to Brenda K. who shared a
 document last month showing which local and state seats were open in the
 2026 elections, and links to local, non-elected boards. Natrona County has a
 guide that could serve as a template for us. It was passed around.
- Electronic Billboards We will discuss this at a future meeting.



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 Free Little Library - Interesting books were discussed. Elaine R. recommended Forgotten Americans by Willard Sterne Randall and Nancy Nahra. This started a discussion about how to reach people, like ranchers, who may have many of the same values or concerns as the Democratic Party, but with whom we don't often engage.

New Business:

Updates from Wyoming Democratic Party State Committee Meeting

- The state voted on using Mobilize to list our local events. The state party would like every county party to contribute \$50/month towards the cost. Since we are a new party and have a small amount in our account, the cost would be too much for us at this time. Heidi suggested that we might be able to afford \$20/month. We will discuss this again if asked by the WDP.
- The state party would also like one person from each county to be represented on the following caucuses: Labor; Women; and Minorities. Each caucus meets once a month on Zoom and has a vote at state party meetings. It's a great way to discuss issues prior to the legislative session.
- In 2026, there will be discussion of party platform bylaws. More information to come.
- Billy M. said there was a good turnout at the meeting, and it was a good way to become re-energized.

Upcoming Events:

- December's pizza night will be on Wed., Dec. 3rd, at 5:15 pm at Pizza Carrello.
- There will not be a coffee date or monthly meeting in December.
- Tuesday, Dec. 2nd will be the third and final reading of the repeal of the Malicious Harms ordinance at 6 pm in the Gillette City Council Chambers, 201
 E. 5th Street. People are encouraged to attend. Heidi will be meeting with Mayor Lundvall soon.

Adjournment:

Someone moved and someone seconded a motion to adjourn. Motion passed.
 The meeting was adjourned at 6:57 p.m. Social time followed.

Respectfully submitted, Karin Ebertz, Sect.