



## LPNM CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEETING RULES

November 4, 2017

1. Except as otherwise set forth in the Party Constitution and Bylaws, or herein, Robert's Rules of Order, Newly Revised, shall govern the proceedings of the meeting.
2. Central Committee members may vote once in person, or through the Zoom teleconference system, on each vote that is called. Should the Zoom system fail, any Central Committee member in a remote location shall be allowed to submit an immediate email vote to [chair@lpnm.us](mailto:chair@lpnm.us) or a text message vote to 505-357-8818. Email or text message votes received more than 5 minutes after the vote is called during the meeting shall be considered null.
3. The Chair shall not vote unless it is required to break a tie.
4. Registered Libertarian voters ("LPNM Members") in attendance must have their registration validated prior to the Call to Order, will be identified by wearing a yellow sticker and shall be allowed to participate in the member debate and discussion periods. LPNM Members participating from a remote location via the Zoom system must have their registration validated in advance of the Call to Order with the Vice Chair or Secretary and a notation made on paper with their name so they may be recognized by the chair during discussion and debate.
5. Members of the general public (i.e.: those who do not provide evidence they are registered Libertarian voters in New Mexico, or those who did not have their Libertarian registration validated before the Call to Order) shall not be recognized to speak during any discussion or debate periods, except during periods noted on the agenda for open discussion.
6. Debate and discussion of any individual agenda item shall be time-limited as follows:
  - No more than 2 minutes, in aggregate, of speaking time per person per discussion
  - No more than 10 minutes, in aggregate, of discussion time per agenda item
7. Debate and discussion periods shall proceed in the following format:
  - The Chair will recognize an individual at random and cede the floor

- The individual will stand and deliver his or her remarks loudly enough that anyone participating via the Zoom system can hear what is being said
- The Vice Chair shall call time if the speaker exceeds his or her allotted time
- The Chair shall then recognize another individual at random and cede the floor
- This process will continue until the maximum discussion time allotment has been exhausted or until there are no further speakers
- The Chair may terminate debate if, in the judgment of the Chair, there is a general consensus on the agenda item being debated

8. Motions to suspend these rules shall state the purpose, must have a second, shall require a two-thirds vote of the Central Committee to pass, and shall not be debatable.

9. This meeting shall be live-streamed to the public and recorded via the Zoom teleconferencing system. Your participation expressly grants your permission to have your remarks and/or likeness be broadcast and audio- and/or video-recorded.

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