

SLAD Agenda

March 15, 2022; 7:00 pm

- **Call to Order / Welcome** – Casey Copp called the meeting to order at 7:07 pm
 - **Endorsement Committee** – Shawn Perttunen led a discussion on the Slotkin endorsement & potential donation. The group voted to donate the maximum amount we can give to a federal candidate (\$999).
 - **Speaker:** US Congresswoman Elissa Slotkin addressed the group and answered questions.
 - **Youth Activist Scholarship** – Lisa Purvis gave quick reminder to ask members to share the scholarship information with seniors
 - **Membership renewal** – Lisa Dilg reminded the group that we need everyone to renew their memberships for 2022 and pay dues.
 - **Planning Update** – we discussed some of the priority items from last meeting
 - **Billboard** – Val mentioned that we need someone to design the billboard and then discussed the process we then would have to go through to get it approved.
 - **Social activities** – Lisa Purvis mentioned that we had potential for a first social gathering before Adopt a Highway on May 1.
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- **SLAD Executive Board Nominations** – Jen Barshaw opened nominations & announced elections in April. The following nominations were made:
 - **Chairperson:** Casey Copp
 - **First Vice-Chair:** Shawn Perttunen
 - **Second Vice Chair** – Lisa Purvis
 - **Treasurer** – Val Whalen
 - **Secretary** – Lisa Dilg
 - **Members at large (2)** – Sarah Lambi; Allison Ranusch
 - **Treasurer Report** – Val Whalen reviewed the reports and mentioned that we need to start determining what candidates to give PAC money too
 - **T-Shirts** – Lisa Dilg mentioned that we had T-shirt pick up / payment today. Others should make arrangements for pick up at home.
 - **Defend Democracy “convention”** – Casey announced that the Novi Dems will be joining with SLAD and others groups for a convention on September 17
 - **Member announcements / comments** – Jason Morgan introduced himself and reminded that he is running in HD23.
 - **Adjourn** – the meeting was adjourned at 8:17 pm
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