

Chairs year end Report 2019

As per our Bylaws Article II, Section 1, the duties of the State Chair are as follows: The State Chair shall be the chief executive officer of the Party, holding the powers of administration pertaining to the ordinary business affairs of the Party and such other powers as may be delegated by the Board of Directors. The State Chair may appoint such Party functionaries as a recording and corresponding secretary, an office manager, and an events chair. The State Chair shall compile, maintain and make available to the Board of Directors. The State Chair of Directors. The State Chair shall compile, maintain and make available to the Board of Directors. The State Chair shall specify the date and time of the next Convention at least 45 days before it is convened. The State Chair, or his or her designee, including other Board members acting within their designated job duties at the direction of the Chair, shall be the person who shall communicate on behalf of the Party. The State Chair shall file any amendments to the Party's Constitution or Bylaws with the Secretary of State within fifteen days after such amendments are adopted.

This year has been a great year for the LPCO. We have implemented a business plan model for direction and accountability for the directors and, and I believe that it has been, overall, a success. WIth a little revision, it will be better this year.

All of the affiliates have grown significantly and we've had three new development groups that are thriving as well as well as two more that will be started with the State Parties help in the next months after convention. That was my goal when elected, to grow the party through grass root efforts and it is working.

We now have a much more functional database management system and a Database Manager that is doing a fantastic job, and with more time under our belt, we will become more effective reaching the Libertarians of Colorado.

We have also been successful in growing our communications efforts to the public by recruiting several talented writers and we are being published on a regular basis in several of the main periodicals in Colorado

Colorado still has to work on growing National Memberships, as the more National Members that we have from Colorado, the more delegates we will have at the National Convention. We were in the top ten states, when the delegates were allotted, but have slipped to eleventh. We need to put our efforts back into National Membership recruitment.

Our outreach efforts have been quite robust, not only in the State level, but on the local level from the affiliates as well.

Last year there were only about 75 calls for more information, but this year, I have been getting 35-40 inquiries a month and that shows that the party is causing people to want to know more about us and what we stand for.

We also have a great Technology Chair and we now have all of the Board meetings live streamed and recorded, so all the meetings can be reviewed by anyone during the meetings, or at a later date.

This upcoming year will be better yet, with more volunteers and activities to keep us all busy, but we need your help. The State board is made up of only eleven directors and they can't get everything done without your help. Please feel free to reach out to me and I'll put you to work.

Respectfully Submitted, Wayne Harlos State Chair, LPCO



VICE CHAIR REPORT – End of the Year Report 2019

Art II Sec 2 of the By-Laws of the Libertarian Party of Colorado:

"The Vice Chair shall assist the State Chair in the performance of executive duties, act as Chair in the temporary absence of the State Chair, develop and support affiliate parties and district caucuses, ensure affiliate compliance with requirements in the Party Constitution and Bylaws, communicate with Affiliate Representatives on a monthly basis, and facilitate resource sharing and cooperation among the affiliates."

Actions:

Joined the LPCO as Vice Chair in November 2018

Created a speakers list although it still needs contact information.

Attended all but two of the monthly LPCO board meetings.

Attended all but three of the monthly Arapahoe County meetings throughout the year.

Attended a Boulder County bi-monthly meeting.

Attended an El Paso County monthly meeting.

Attended several of the Denver affiliate monthly meetings.

Attended several of the Douglas County affiliate monthly meetings.

Attended the candidates committee meeting in November.

Attended the December Festivus party.

Helped with all but three outreach events, some as far way as Cedar Edge.

Was keynote speaker at a monthly event hosted by the Center for Natural Law.

Held two LPCO fundraisers and Convention calling events in my home.

Served on the Bylaws and Constitution committee.

Worked with Matthew DiGi on the convention location and schedule.

Attended several sign waving and signature gatherings for candidates.

Compiled and ordered the awards for the 2019 convention.

Help to proof read the new LPCO website.

With the help of Matthew DiGi and Kevin Gulbranson, I formatted, printed, and (snail) mailed the newsletter to 300 members with a personal message to each one. Posted on social media.

Respectfully submitted, Michele Poague Vice Chair, LPCO



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Treasurer, 03 April 2019

As per our Bylaws Article II, Section 9, the duties of the Treasurer are as follows:

The Treasurer shall be responsible for maintaining accurate records of all income and expenses associated with the operation of the Party and shall present a summary of all income and expenses incurred at the regular meeting of the Board. The income and expense summary may be limited to activity since the last regular meeting of the Board. The Treasurer shall also prepare budgets for the other board members or assist them in preparing their own budgets.

As of 03 April 2019, PayPal balance was \$1,222.59. As of 03 April 2019, BBVA Compass balance was \$26,738.81. As of 03 April 2019, Stripe balance was \$290.03. As of 03 April 2019, FEC account balance was \$20 Held in reserve:

> Standard reserve \$1,500.00 State Convention reserve \$10,894.36 Marketing & Outreach \$250.00 Clear Creek Co DG \$40.00 Denver Co DG \$503.00 JeffCo DG \$55.00 Larimer Co DG \$15.00 Weld Co DG \$15.00

The earmarked contribution that we received November 2018 was placed in sub-account "Marketing and Outreach" to facilitate accounting. Since most of our expenses are marketing and outreach, it is somewhat inaccurate to consider this earmarked amount as "reserved" but its usage is limited so henceforth it will be handled as such.

As of 03 April 2019, <u>AVAILABLE FUNDS</u> (reserved funds excluded) was \$13,187.36.

Available funds have increased \$2916.08 since last month.

Monthly since 24 May 2017 I started corralling one twelfth the annual NationBuilder fee in QuickBooks and in this report so that the sudden expense in April doesn't catch us unprepared. Based on the NationBuilder annual fee paid 24 April 2018, the monthly cut was \$260. After switch to WordPress and CiviCRM, the NationBuilder account was closed 11 Feb 2019 by

Database Manager. Reserved funds were returned to general account 12 Feb 2019 by Treasurer.

Any anticipated large future expenses (> \$1,000 annually), whether one-time or instalment, I propose to budget in the same manner as with NationBuilder, where I reserve funds monthly into a specific sub-account. For clarity for me and subsequent treasurers, the standard reserve of \$1,500 has been placed in a sub-account. Starting April 2018 state convention funding is being reserved on a monthly basis.

2019 annual subscription donations to PayPal, Stripe & Compass Bank, \$6051.40, a decrease of \$1,499.84.

2019 state convention donations (2018 & 2019 conventions during April 1 to April 3 report period): \$5,976.60.

I request that any Board member who receives cash or check from a donor please email me with the date received, check number, amount, and name & address of the donor. If the check is \$100 or more, then I also need the donor's occupation and employer. Please refer to the postscript in Treasurer's Report July 2016 for a list of TRACER-accepted occupation names. We can't accept cash donations over \$100. We can't accept contributions from corporations or from foreign nationals. The party can accept anonymous donations less than \$20 but if anonymous donations are collected by someone not authorized to accept funds for LPCO (not a board member) then that someone is considered a conduit and the collected aggregate is counted against their personal contribution limit and the funds conveyed to LPCO can't include more than \$100 in cash.

FEC Filing: Reports filed 04/11/2018, 07/08/2018, 09/30/2018, 10/21/2018, 11/30/2018, & 01/25/2019. Next report due 07/31/2019.

Filed TRACER reports 05/02/2018, 05/16/2018, 06/03/2018, 06/17/2018, 06/28/2018, 07/27/2018, 08/29/2018, 09/12/2018, 09/29/2018, 10/10/2018, 10/15/2018, 10/24/2018, 11/30/2018, & 04/05/2019. Next report due 07/15/2019.

01 November 2018, paid \$1,000.00 deposit out of convention reserve fund to Hotel Elegante (Colorado Springs) for 2019 convention.

Convention ticket sales to date are \$5,443.50. Convention sponsorship sales to date are \$2,767.20.

Respectfully Submitted, John Hjersman



FUNDRAISING DIRECTOR ANNUAL REPORT 2019

Article II - DUTIES OF THE BOARD - Section 10:

The Fundraising Director shall be responsible for establishing and operating fundraising activities including, but not limited to, a monthly pledge program, and for reporting all income and expenses related to fundraising at the regular Board meeting.

Here are the actions and results from the Fundraising Director for 2019:

I took over as fundraising director in January of this year because of the request of several board members.

We held two fundraising events and a matching challenge.

There were donations of over \$10,000 some of which were due to fundraising efforts in 2019

Nothing further to report for this month.

In liberty,

Victoria Reynolds



CAMPAIGNS DIRECTOR END-OF-YEAR REPORT

DUTIES AND POWERS BY Art II Sec 4

"The Campaigns Director shall identify political races and coordinate candidate and issue development. The Campaigns Director shall be responsible for, and coordinate, all political campaigns of the Party."

New Campaigns Director:

Kim Tavendale stepped in to take over from the former Campaigns Director who resigned midway through the year.

I have been trying to familiarize myself with the new CiviCRM program, as it allows the Campaigns Director a greater ability to enter, sort and manipulate data for potential candidates and volunteers.

I have also created an online form using JotForm to respond to inquiries for running for office. This form is a comprehensive questionnaire to ascertain the prospective candidates' credentials and qualifications, and to encourage both voter registration as a Libertarian and national party membership. The form can be viewed and completed online: https://form.jotform.com/90133641784154

2018 Elections:

The November 2018 mid-term elections returned a somewhat disappointing result for Libertarians, but such a result reflected the political climate in Colorado as a referendum on national politics. We had 27 candidates run as Libertarians in state House and Senate, and US Congressional seats, and our state party Chair, Wayne Harlos, ran in a local election. Two of our candidates did have excellent results, with John Pickerill obtaining 26% of the vote for State Senate District 3, and Wayne achieving 24% in his Castle Rock City Council race.

Campaigns Committee:

After the election, the Campaigns Director instituted a Campaigns Committee, to assist candidates and the LPCO to run more candidates and more successful campaigns.

The Committee has the following positions:

Chair:	01	Kim Tavendale (Campaigns Director)
Vice Chair:		Joshua Robertson
Secretary:		Lance Cayko
Regional Representatives:		Eric Mulder, Arapahoe County
		Ken Biles, Adams County
		Matthew DiGiallonardo, Weld County*



Thomas MeWhirter, Jefferson County John Pickerill, El Paso County Jay Stooksbury, Western Slope Caryn Ann Harlos, Douglas County Kevin Gulbranson Michele Poague David Maloney Ross Klopf

*As Matt DiGi stepped down from the committee to focus on more pressing responsibilities, a new representative for Weld County is sought, along with other representatives for eastern, southern and western regions. Ideally, each affiliate and development group would have a representative on the committee, along with any other counties or regions that have an interest.

The Campaigns Committee held its first meeting in person in Thornton Colorado at 3pm on Sunday 18th November 2018. Subsequent meetings have been held by Zoom, an online meeting app, to ensure that Committee members and LPCO members all around Colorado can participate or attend virtually, removing a barrier to attendance.

This year, the focus of the Campaigns Director and the Committee is on having more candidates run in non-partisan local elections and for local boards and committees. By having Libertarian candidates participate in these elections, we believe we can begin a strategy of winning at the local level by offering common sense libertarian solutions in our local communities, thereby building relationships and name recognition for future races at the state and national level. One of the arguments Libertarians face is that we "don't win" so by running in smaller local races we can build a culture of winning, and also influencing local politics with Libertarian ideals. To this end, the Committee has compiled a list of as many local election races held in 2019 as possible in a number of cities and counties, as well as regional seats up for election. Candidates will be sought at the LPCO Convention, as well as through state-wide and targeted email blasts.

The Committee is dedicated to finding quality candidates and providing as much information and supporting candidates with as much advice as possible.

It is my recommendation that the elected Campaigns Director be the Chair of the Campaigns Committee.

It has been my honour to serve the members of the Libertarian Party of Colorado as a member of the Board and Chair of the Campaigns Committee. I offer the newly elected Campaigns Director as much support as they may want and wish them much success in their term.

Kim Tavendale CAMPAIGNS DIRECTOR

General Members:



OUTREACH DIRECTOR ANNUAL REPORT – 2019 LPCO STATE CONVENTION

Article II, Section 5, of the By-Laws of the Libertarian Party of Colorado:

"The Outreach Director shall be responsible for recruiting members, having speakers, conducting recruiting events, organizing and supporting student clubs and organizations at high schools, colleges, and universities and setting up and operating a speakers bureau."

Libertarian Party of Colorado – Outreach Year in Review.

Colorado Libertarian Outreach hit the ground running after our 2018 LPCO State Convention. One of the primary responsibilities that I was charged with as Outreach Director was to plan, organize and work as many Outreach Events as possible throughout the year.



Outreach events give us the opportunity to reach and speak to thousands of politically disenfranchised or politically homeless Coloradans with the message of Liberty and a more thorough explanation of Libertarian Principles. There are many festivals, fairs and other events around the state where we can take our message. This requires quite a bit of effort and resources. We typically walk

attendees through the

World's Smallest Political Quiz and use the results to show them, much to their surprise, that they are much more libertarian in their thinking than they would have believed. We use much of the format recommended by The Advocates for Self-

Government's Operation Politically Homeless Mini-





Manual for Operating an OPH Booth. I make this manual available to volunteers as a training aid for working our Outreach booths.

We must make sure that we have the financial resources to pay for the space. This usually amounts to an expenditure of \$500 to \$600 per event to cover application fees, cost of space and required liability insurance.

We must make sure that we have sufficient materials to stock our booth and make available to political seekers to help communicate our message. These include brochures, t-shirts, buttons, bumper stickers, coffee mugs, etc. These along with the event fees all



cost money which is a limited resource in our party. Consider this a shameless plug for fundraising – WE NEED YOU!



Finally, we need to make sure that we have sufficient human resources to adequately staff our booth to accommodate the crowds that we are trying to reach. Events can run

anywhere from one 8-hour day to three or more days with hours going from 7:00 am to midnight plus setup and teardown. Again – WE NEED YOU!!!

Following is a partial list of those Events that I have been involved in throughout the past year.

- 4/15/18 Libertarian Party of Douglas County Tas Protest Sign Wave
- 4/20/18 420 LNC Meet & Greet Fundraiser at our home
- 5/5-6/18 Denver's Cinco de Mayo Festival Denver's Civic Center Park
- 6/2-3/18 People's Fair Denver's Civic Center Park
- 6/16-17/18 PrideFest Denver's Civic Center Park
- 6/30-7/3/18 LNC National Convention New Orleans, LA



7/26-29/18 Arapahoe County Fair – Aurora8/4/18 Carbon Valley Music Festival – Dacono



9/14/18Peddle the Plains – Bennett9/15/18Broomfield Days – Broomfield



9/21-23/18 24th Annual Loaf 'N Jug Chile & Frijoles Festival – Pueblo 10/6-7/18 AppleFest – Cedaredge



- 10/13/18 Meet & Greet LP Candidate Governor, Scott Helker Glenwood Springs
- 11/7/18 LPCO Election Night Watch Party at our home
- 12/6/18 Festivus, the Airing of Grievances! A LPCO tradition Lonetree
- 2/9/19 Libertarian Presentation to Natural Law Coalition Centennial
- 2/14/19 Libertarian Lobby Day State Capital Denver
- 3/2/19 LPCO Phone Bank Fundraiser at our home



4/6/19 LPCO Phone Bank Fundraiser at our home4/13/19 LP Tax Protest Sign Wave – Douglas and Arapahoe Counties

In addition to the events listed above, I have attended local Affiliate and Development group meetings for Arapahoe County (where I serve as a Board Member), Denver County, Jefferson County, Boulder County, Douglas County and El Paso County.

I am a member of the LPCO Legislative Committee and LPCO Campaigns Committee and participant/observer in the Constitution & Bylaws Committee and Convention Committee.

Outreach Director Report I post on behalf of the LPCO on social media specifically in support of Outreach events and solicitation of volunteers. I was a candidate for State House and worked in support of LP candidates in the 2018 Election cycle. I helped to compile, label and mail the first LPCO Newsletter in years.

The LPCO is already registered and committed to the following upcoming events and will be looking for volunteers to help the new Outreach Director.

5/4-5/19 Denver's Cinco de Mayo Festival – Denver's Civic Center Park 6/15-16/19 PrideFest – Denver's Civic Center Park

I want to offer a word of thanks and

acknowledgement to the many volunteers who participated in the set-up, tear-down, and staffing of our events throughout the course of the year. We could not possibly attend these events throughout the year and reach so many Coloradans with the message and hope of Individual Liberty without your support and sacrifice of time. I hope and trust that you will continue this same level of support for successor!



I intend to participate in as many future Outreach events as possible and will bring **Doritos!!**



A special thank you and acknowledgement goes to my life partner, best friend, and love of my life, Michele Poague. Without her support and sacrifice I would not have been able to do any of this.



Respectfully submitted, Kevin Gulbranson Outreach Director, LPCO



Peddle to the Plains - Bennett – September 2018



LPCO Candidates Election Watch Party November 2018







Regions Director Annual Report – Long Version 2019

As per LPCO bylaws, Article II, Section 3, The Regions Director shall be responsible for

representing the regions and for coordinating campaigns, media, outreach, and other party

functions, within the regions—which shall be composed of the following counties:

- 1. Pikes Peak: El Paso, Park, Teller
- 2. Upper Arkansas: Chaffee, Custer, Fremont, Lake
- 3. Southeast: Baca, Bent, Crowley, Huerfano, Las Animas, Otero, Prowers, Pueblo
- 4. San Luis: Alamosa, Conejos, Costilla, Rio Grande, Saguache
- 5. **San Juan:** Archuleta, Dolores, Hinsdale, La Plata, Mineral, Montezuma, San Juan, San Miguel
- 6. Western Slope: Delta, Gunnison, Mesa, Montrose, Ouray
- 7. Central: Clear Creek, Eagle, Garfield, Gilpin, Grand, Pitkin, Summit
- 8. Northwest: Jackson, Moffat, Rio Blanco, Routt
- 9. Metro: Adams, Arapahoe, Boulder, Broomfield, Denver, Douglas, Jefferson
- 10. Northeast: Larimer, Logan, Morgan, Phillips, Sedgwick, Washington, Weld
- 11. Plains: Cheyenne, Elbert, Kiowa, Kit Carson, Lincoln, Yuma

Of the 64 counties comprising Colorado, there are five active affiliates and approximately 20 county development groups.

County Affiliates:

Arapahoe Boulder Delta

Douglas

El Paso.

Counties with development groups or active contacts:

Adams Archuleta Clear Creek Custer Denver Dolores Elbert Fremont Garfield Jefferson Kit Carson Lake Mesa Park Phillips Pueblo Routt Teller Washington Yuma

Work is underway to recruit regional representatives, with one identified thus far.

An incomplete sample list of Facebook followers for certain affiliates and development groups: Boulder—4460 El Paso—1700 Douglas--1200 Arapahoe—990 Denver--860 Jefferson—680

The February 19 Denver kickstart meeting was a success, with about 30 people in attendance and the election of new leadership. Kyle Furey, Josh Walen and Raymon Doane were elected chair, vice chair and treasurer respectively. They have created a website, in addition to their Facebook page.

The Jefferson County LP development group is holding regular meetings, has created new bylaws, and will be seeking affiliation.

The Mesa County development group is holding regular meetings in Grand Junction. Speakers at their events included the Grand Junction city manager, an independent candidate for city council, and an advocate for a tax increase to build a "community center". The Mesa development group is promoting its meetings through Meetup, Facebook, phone calls, e-mails, and texts.

The Pueblo County development group will hold its first meeting May 21, with meetings scheduled for the following months.

I continue to process volunteers, sending their information to the appropriate county LP leaders.

Respectfully Submitted, Steven Gallant



April 28, 2019 Legislative Director Annual Report.

As of this report we are 85 days into the 120 days into the 1st Regular Session of the 72nd Colorado General Assembly. To date 281 pieces of Legislation have been introduced in the House and 219 have introduced in the Senate. Of those introduced in the House 24 have been signed into law by the Governor and 35 in the Senate.

This session has been consumed with many controversial pieces of legislation including HB19-1177 Extreme Risk Protection Orders/Red Flag. With this specific piece of legislation, it created a great opportunity to work with an Issues group Rally for Our Rights to push back against this legislation that will lead to firearms confiscation. Even though the legislation passed, Libertarian Party activist joined with me in a big way to testify in both the House and Senate Committees with opposition to this legislation. We also attended town halls, called and e-mailed the legislators, and participate in daily activism opportunities for over a month, in a way I've never seen before, since serving almost 3 terms as Legislative Director for the Libertarian Party of Colorado.

Respectfully Submitted, Michael Stapleton Legislative Director Libertarian Party of Colorado



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COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR ANNUAL REPORT - LONG VERSION 2019

As per our Bylaws Article II, Section 6, the duties of the Communications Director are as follows:

Section 6: The Communications Director shall be responsible for all communications, web sites, multimedia, social media, press releases, media appearances, and media inquiries.

Social Media Posting Schedule:

Facebook:

All times Mountain Standard Time and DAILY unless noted otherwise

9am - Daily Except Friday - Local News - Maya Humphrey 9am - Friday - D.K. Williams - Podcast

10am* - Monday Legislative Director (when in session) - Michael Stapleton

10am* - Daily Except Monday Volunteer Requests/Events - Andrew Swartz

11:15am - Meme - Hannah Burnham
Noon - News Commentary - Communications Director or Michael Stapleton
2pm - Inactive Affiliate Share - Beatriz Sutton
5pm - Meme - Mason J. Haley

7pm* - TTh Outreach Director - Kevin Gulbranson 7pm* - MWFSUN Independent Libertarian Events 7pm* - Saturday Chair - Wayne Harlos

8pm - Reason or FEE article - Joey Gallagher 10pm - Twitter Post - Maya Humphrey

Twitter:

At will or upon request via Robert Bentley, WB Rice Rice, and Jamie St Pierre, and Maya Humphrey

Instagram:

At will or upon request via Emily Baker, Maya Humphrey, and Joe (the.chill.libertarian@gmail.com)

Code of Conduct for All Platforms:

No F-Words in memes or post captions No Conspiracy Theories Keep it Libertarian

NOTE I HAVE ALL SLOTS NOW FILLED WITH VOLUNTEERS!

Our total Social Media statistics are as follows:

SOURCE	LIKES	COMMENTS
FACEBOOK	26,743	This is a year over year increase of 1,181. We have resumed getting shares from National and also have started using an automated tool to invite more people to like the page
TWITTER	2,259	Year over year increase of 370.
INSTAGRAM	946	This is a year over year increase of 518.

Our total Facebook reach between the dates of 3/24/18 and 3/17/19 was **8,811,583**. All of the data for this 360 day period can be found at the following links:

https://drive.google.com/open?id=1Urd6Eu6Mp8BARhHmBuimZ89XOuXsrDol

https://drive.google.com/open?id=1BqzSibdFeTQs6DZQNuiUMiNJRDjh_pGP

Website:

The website is currently up to date and being excellently maintained by David Aitken and our wonderful new tech chair Mike.

Media/Events/Press Releases:

We did 33 press releases in the past year and they were picked up by the Westword, Chieftain, Denver Post, Being Libertarian, The Mountain Gazette, and Colorado Politics. This is a record number of press releases for the party and an average of 2.75 per month. These can all be found at the following links:

https://drive.google.com/open?id=172PM2GOvagwsQI_8jyV2SP3_bf3uUKXq

https://drive.google.com/open?id=11qTX2na5BphjNkivw1viQ0Z9xI-3w3GT

We started the year with one writer being Jay Stooksberry and now have five:

- Jay Stooksberry
- John Pickerill
- Bonnie Hobart
- Michael Lopez
- William Jackson

Respectfully Submitted, Lance Cayko Communications Director



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Annual Convention Report Records Director March 2019

In addition to recording minutes and other duties of my office, I worked on a number of liberty actions supported by the Colorado Libertarian Party.

Ballot Initiative

I and Natalie Menten, with help from some generous donors, were able to get nearly 100,000 signatures on a petition to put the FairTax initiative on the November ballot. We ran a crew of over 30 individuals and used a petitioning company. Unfortunately, after spending nearly \$50,000 we realized we didn't have time to collect the remaining required signatures. We shut down the FairTax petition drive at the end of May.

We might have been successful if we had been able to start earlier. The Supreme Court challenges used up valuable time. We did have another \$75,000 available so funding was sufficient.

This failure is particularly costly in light of the current attempts to circumvent TABOR and dramatically increase taxation.

Jefferson County Development Group

Ross Klopf, Steve Gallant and myself set up a Restart Jeffco event in the Fall. This attracted nearly 40 people. From this, and repeated calling, we have been able to sustain regular meetings of the reconstituted Jefferson County Development Group. With the help of the previous chair, I was able to finally close down the competing Jeffco Libertarian Facebook page.

Although we've had difficulty finding and keeping a functional meeting space, we've been able to host several excellent speakers.

Currently we are working to get candidates we can support for local offices and we are considering becoming a full affiliate.

Various Liberty Activities

I worked to stop a Lakewood TABOR evisceration ballot measure. Sadly this partly illegal initiative passed.

I filed several blue book arguments against various ballot initiatives. I was successful in stopping a tax increase for my neighborhood.

I continued to file financial reports with the Secretary of State for the Approval Voting Party and helped with their Secretary of State candidate's campaign.

Duties of Office

I continued to maintain the motion tracking, small office, and password databases. I compiled and posted the two days of 2018 convention minutes (recorded by Steve Gallant) and worked with others to ensure the our founding documents were correctly updated with the results of the convention.

Respectfully Submitted, Mike Spalding Records Director



Database Manager Annual Report for 2019

I spend about 20 hours per month importing voter records, merging duplicate records, providing member files to affiliates, development groups, and candidates, sending emails with events and news, posting news items, press releases, events, and board reports to the website, and training board members.

Moved our website and member database from Nationbuilder (\$3,000/yr) to the CiviCRM / Wordpress website provided by the National LP (\$0/yr). This project currently lacks the ability to send emails to counties and political districts that have more than 50 members with email addresses. National plans completion in 2019. As a substitute, we plan to use MailChimp (\$75/mo) for mailings to local affiliates. We also support the CRM project at \$180/month which buys us 5 hours of website and database priority support from National. Progress on these projects depend on your support. Contribute here: <u>https://my.lp.org/state-crm-project/</u>.

I served on the 2019 Constitution and Bylaws Committee.

Respectfully Submitted,

David Aitken Database Manager Libertarian Party of Colorado