



Auburn Area Democratic Club

161 Palm Ave, Suite 8 & 9
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AADC E-Board Meeting – May 15, 2026

Officers Present:

President: Cindy Engen

Vice President: Don Ferguson

Controller: Emily Gaber

Secretary: Joan Jernegan

Committee Chairs and Co-Chairs Present:

Membership Co-Chairs: Sandy Floyd and Edlene McKenzie

Community Events Chair: (Vacant)

Communications Chair:

Voter Registration Co-chairs: Leslie Moonshine and Gail Bartlow

Fundraising: (Vacant)

Absent: Susan Roughgarden (Communications Chair)

Guest(s) Present: Sheila Ryan Weintraub

I. Call to Order

A quorum being present, the meeting was called to Order by President Engen at 12:30 p.m.

II: Introduction Cindy Engen, President Welcome & Housekeeping
No housekeeping matters at this time.

III: Approval of Minutes

- April 17, 2026 E-Board Minutes

MOTION: Leslie Moonshine MOVED to accept the April 17 E-board minutes as edited. 2nd by Gail Bartlow. Minutes were approved by a voice vote.

IV: Officer Updates

President Cindy Engen

Feedback of last General Meeting - Consensus was all speakers were good.

President Engen announced that notes from an EBoard meeting will be used to apply for General Certification.

Next General Membership Meeting is two 2 days after election. Julann offered to speak about AADC vs. the whole structure of CADEM, but decision made to continue to a later date.

Twiana Armstrong of See My Child may speak, if she is well enough to promote Juneteenth, celebrated on June 20th. An additional speaker might be Tomas Evangelista, Neva Parker's campaign manager.

President Engen directed Communications Committee clarify statement that Home Depot boycott event is sponsored by Indivisible and not endorsed by AADC. We will just say it is supported by INDIVISIBLE, a sister organizing.

- **Vice President - Don Ferguson**

Don Ferguson reported on Volunteer List. Will not send confirmations. Need volunteers to work at tables for Pride event, Saturday, SFUU also on Saturday, and Tuesday Nights in Roseville.

Takeaways from Coffee and Conversation – continuing to have one general conversation., breaking into two rooms when warranted.

- **Controller – Emily Gaber**

Emily is working to get up to date. She shared copies of Wells Fargo statement and Draft quarterly report provided by Gail Bartlow and President Engen.

Secretary-Joan Jernegan - No update at this time.

V. Committee Reports

Ad Hoc Scholarship committee

Chair Jernegan reported that Colfax Scholarship awarded to Emily Kors on Mon, May 11 by Lucy Clark & Mike McGinnis. Next award ceremony is Placer High on May 18th by Mike McGinnis and Edlene McKenzie. Regret letters were mailed to 10 other applicants today.

- **Membership- Sandy Floyd and Edlene McKenzie (Co-Chairs)**

Chair Floyd reported that 54 AADC members and 27 guests attended the General Membership Meeting on May 7, 2026, for a total of 81 attendees.

Report on Membership drive in April, seven new members joined, and four additional since then for a total of 218 memberships as of May 1st. President Engen will follow up when new members come to meetings

Chair Bartlow reported that we need to fill out donations forms when buying pizza, with personal information every time.

- **Community Engagement Committee- Vacant**

- Gold Country Fair in September. President Engen suggested that Mobilize be utilized to recruit tabling volunteers. Joan Jernegan reported that at PCDCC's last meeting at Joe Mlakar stated that PCDCC intended to take responsibility for organizing volunteers. Clarification needed.

- Juneteenth will be celebrated June 20th. More information is needed from Twianna Armstrong.

Poll Workers- Chair Gail Bartlow

Gail Bartlow reported that all dates have been covered by AADC poll workers except May 26, May 28 and May 29. Of the initial 31 volunteers, 10 have dropped out.

Voter Registration Committee– Co-Chair Leslie Moonshine

Co-Chair Moonshine reported that Sierra College has finished for the semester so there will be no further registration at that location until the fall semester.

- **Fundraising- Vacant**

President Engen reported on plans for picnic August 29th. Need to write copy and put in What's Happening and website asking for signups and suggestions of what to bring. Reserved Auburn Recreation Park. No auction – maybe raffle. Decision has been made to purchase sandwich tray from Costco; need members to volunteer to bring salads.

President Engen reported on get together for a club/friendship lunch at El Tapatio on June 6th from 11:30AM until 1PM. El Tapatio will give AADC 20% of proceeds. Needs to be put on website and What's Happening asking for signups.

- **Communications- Susan Roughgarden (Absent Chair) - No report**

VI. Old Business -none

VII. New Business

President Engen reported that due to the July 4 holiday, the July General Membership Meeting will be held on Thursday, July 9th, and the EBoard meeting will be the following week on July 17th.

VIII: Adjournment:

Without objection the meeting adjourned at [2:20 p.m.](#)