

# Democratic Party of Wisconsin 2022 Resolutions

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This packet contains resolutions adopted by the assembled membership of the Democratic Party of Wisconsin on June 26, 2022 at its convention in La Crosse, WI and cyberspace. The DPW Platform and these resolutions, along with the resolutions passed in 2019 and 2021 represent the current adopted positions of the Democratic Party of Wisconsin.

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1 **RESOLUTIONS CONCERNING FOREIGN AFFAIRS**

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3 **22-FA-01: SOLIDARITY WITH UKRAINE (98 WORDS)**

4 WHEREAS, on February 24th, 2022 Russia invaded Ukraine, causing global instability and unnecessary  
5 suffering;  
6 WHEREAS, the DPW stands for liberty, democracy, and international cooperation;  
7 WHEREAS, Vladimir Putin and his nationalist allies have continuously interfered in foreign elections in an  
8 attempt to weaken democracy and global alliances around the world; and,  
9 WHEREAS, Vladimir Putin continually spreads misinformation to support his divisive and imperialist goals;  
10 THEREFORE RESOLVED, the DPW stands in solidarity with the Ukrainian and Russian people who are  
11 fighting against this war;  
12 FURTHER RESOLVED, the DPW condemns Vladimir Putin and calls for harsh long-term sanctions against  
13 the Kremlin.  
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16 **RESOLUTIONS CONCERNING AGRICULTURE AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS**

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18 **22-AGE-01: SUPPORT THE NATIONAL EVERY KID OUTDOORS PROGRAM (90 WORDS)**

19 WHEREAS, Wisconsin has a proud tradition of providing and maintaining both state and regional parks;  
20 WHEREAS, we are increasingly becoming aware of the importance of being outside and in nature for our  
21 mental health; and,  
22 WHEREAS, young people may need encouragement to leave their 'screens' and get outside to use this  
23 valuable resource;  
24 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, that DPW urge the Legislature to join the National Every Kid Outdoors program  
25 whereby all fourth-graders and their families receive a one-year pass to National Parks, and to include  
26 free admission to Wisconsin State Parks.  
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28 **22-AGE-02: RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF GREEN ENERGY JOBS (91 WORDS)**

29 WHEREAS, fossil fuels pose grave risks to our environment and health;  
30 WHEREAS, fossil fuel projects continue our dependence on foreign oil revenues and products;  
31 WHEREAS, fossil fuel projects often deepen historical injustices by their location in places where residents  
32 lack financial wealth and political influence;  
33 WHEREAS, we support Green Energy infrastructure and jobs, protection of natural resources, access to  
34 clean drinking water, and environmental justice;  
35 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, DPW supports Governor Evers' Clean Energy Plan, limiting fossil fuel  
36 infrastructure projects in the United States, and expanding Green Energy infrastructure and job creation.  
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1 **22-AGE-03: RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF GREEN ENERGY JOBS AND STOP EXPANSION OF FOSSIL FUEL**  
2 **PROJECTS (100 WORDS)**

3 WHEREAS, fossil fuels pose serious risks to our environment;

4 WHEREAS, fossil fuel projects, expansion of tar sand pipelines, replacement and expansion of Lines #3,  
5 #5, Twin Line #66 and refinery projects, continue our dependence on foreign oil revenues and products;

6 WHEREAS, we support green energy infrastructure and jobs, clean drinking water access, pipeline  
7 decommissioning jobs and new opportunities to eliminate dirty energy projects;

8 WHEREAS, DPW demands clean water and resources under the Public Trust;

9 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, DPW opposes new and foreign fossil fuel infrastructure projects in the United  
10 States; and,

11 FINALLY RESOLVED, DPW supports green energy infrastructure and job creation.  
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13 **22-AGE-04: RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF COMBATING CLIMATE CHANGE CRISIS AND PURSUING**  
14 **ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE (97 WORDS)**

15 WHEREAS, climate change is the greatest challenge of our time and 97% scientists agree human activity  
16 from greenhouse gas emissions/fossil fuels has warmed the planet causing detrimental effects of extreme  
17 weather events;

18 WHEREAS, we must stabilize global temperatures by moving to renewable energy sources; and,

19 WHEREAS, funding is needed in rural communities to create climate change action plans and pass  
20 resolutions at local county boards;

21 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, we need democratic support for Wisconsin to be carbon free by 2050 and  
22 implement 100% clean energy strategies/economy supporting sustainable jobs dedicated to renewable  
23 energy through policy, practice, and innovation.  
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25 **22-AGE-05: LEGISLATIVE TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY (89 WORDS)**

26 WHEREAS, the Joint Finance Committee has refused to act on six DNR Knowles-Nelson passive review  
27 requests due to anonymous objections from Committee member(s);

28 WHEREAS, elected officials must be accountable to taxpayers for their legislative actions and justify those  
29 actions; and,

30 WHEREAS, the DPW supports elected officials that are fully transparent about their support or opposition  
31 of these projects and all legislative actions;

32 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, the DPW demands the Joint Finance Committee reconvene and act on these  
33 conservation measures and eliminate the anonymous hold rule from the Committee's operating  
34 procedures.  
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36 **22-AGE-06: SUPPORTING FAMILY FARMS (85 WORDS)**

37 WHEREAS, family farms have been and remain a backbone of Wisconsin's rural economy;

38 WHEREAS, Wisconsin has lost 7,500 family farms in the last 15 years; and,

39 WHEREAS, there has been a significant reduction in farm suppliers and commodity markets, limiting ways  
40 for small farms to reduce their costs and sell their products;

41 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, the DPW supports agricultural policies that provide a buyout/down program to  
42 reduce large-scale farms, provide disincentives for over-production, and focus on improved efficiencies to  
43 raise farm incomes rather than increased productions.

1 **22-AGE-07: PURE AND CLEAR WATER RESOLUTION (99 WORDS)**

2 WHEREAS, we acknowledge the recreational, environmental, and economic importance of state  
3 watersheds and aquifers; and,

4 WHEREAS, the DNR is charged with protecting Wisconsin’s water quality now and into the future;

5 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, the DPW supports increasing funding of the DNR to monitor groundwater of  
6 agricultural operations, including CAFOs, and expanding testing of privately-owned wells, ensuring  
7 corrective actions occur;

8 FURTHER RESOLVED, fund the DNR to complete mapping of groundwater and require routine statewide  
9 groundwater monitoring and expand PFA monitoring and their environmental impact, and develop  
10 advisories to protect public health; and,

11 FINALLY RESOLVED, protect children by replacing Lead Service Lines.

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13 **22-AGE-08: ALLEY CROPPING INCENTIVES (91 WORDS)**

14 WHEREAS, as Wisconsin undergoes the impacts of anthropogenic climate change and biodiversity loss,  
15 now is the time to adapt and conserve vital environmental systems;

16 WHEREAS, implementation of sustainable agricultural methods will improve the security and sustainability  
17 of Wisconsin fisheries and agricultural land; and,

18 WHEREAS, alley cropping has many positive benefits such as: increased water retention and carbon  
19 capture; reduced soil erosion, nitrogen leaching, artificial eutrophication of waterways, and pesticide  
20 usage; improved ecosystem diversity and resilience, carrying capacity;

21 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, Wisconsin should adopt subsidies or grants to farmers that implement alley  
22 cropping.

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25 **RESOLUTIONS CONCERNING JUSTICE, HUMANS CONCERNS, AND**  
26 **DEMOCRACY**

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28 **22-JHD-01: DECRIMINALIZE DRUG ADDICTION (84 WORDS)**

29 WHEREAS, the War on Drugs has lasted over 50 years with no reward and resulted in horrific racial  
30 disparities;

31 WHEREAS, the opioid epidemic continues to take the lives of Americans young and old;

32 WHEREAS, the lives of citizens are important; and,

33 WHEREAS, the State of Oregon is already road mapping successful drug decriminalization and treatment  
34 models;

35 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, DPW believes the State of Wisconsin and the United States should end the war  
36 on the addicted by decriminalizing drug possession and creating pathways to treatment.

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38 **22-JHD-02: STATEHOOD FOR DC AND PUERTO RICO (97 WORDS)**

39 WHEREAS, a guiding principle of our nation's founding was “No Taxation, Without Representation,”

40 WHEREAS, the population of DC, which is larger than both Wyoming and Vermont, majority black, and  
41 majority millennial, is unrepresented in federal government thus increasing disparity and  
42 disenfranchisement;

1 WHEREAS, Puerto Rico has incredibly unique needs not currently represented in the federal government  
2 and is populated by nearly 3.2 million disenfranchised Americans;  
3 WHEREAS, majorities in both DC and Puerto Rico have already voted for Statehood;  
4 THEREFORE RESOLVED, DPW believes that Washington, DC and Puerto Rico should be adopted as the  
5 nation's 51st and 52nd States.

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7 **22-JHD-03: ABOLISH TIPPED EMPLOYEE MINIMUM WAGE (84 WORDS)**

8 WHEREAS, the federal minimum wage is already devastatingly below a living wage;  
9 WHEREAS, the minimum wage for tipped employees is even lower, at only \$2.13 an hour;  
10 WHEREAS, tipped employees are often underrepresented in unions, work long hours, and have physically  
11 intensive jobs;  
12 WHEREAS, tipped employees often face wage discrimination issues due to race, gender, and many other  
13 protected classes;  
14 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, tipped employees should share the same minimum wage as other employees;  
15 and,  
16 FURTHER RESOLVED, the minimum wage should be a living wage.

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18 **22-JHD-04: COMPREHENSIVE DENTAL HEALTH REFORM (82 WORDS)**

19 WHEREAS, 79 million Americans don't have dental coverage;  
20 WHEREAS, many people can't pay for the cost of dental care, even with dental insurance;  
21 WHEREAS, necessary dental procedures, such as dental implants, are not covered by dental insurance;  
22 WHEREAS, people without access to dental care are at increased risk of diseases like cancer, heart  
23 disease, stroke and diabetes; and,  
24 WHEREAS, unhealthy teeth can create unnecessary barriers in society;  
25 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, the DPW supports dental reform legislation at both the state and federal level.

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27 **22-JHD-05: RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF LGBTQ+ EQUALITY (94 WORDS)**

28 WHEREAS, Wisconsin has a diverse LGBTQ+ community that contributes to the well-being of the State;  
29 WHEREAS, Wisconsin statutes do not reference gender identity;  
30 WHEREAS, the State lacks statewide gender identity protections in antidiscrimination laws;  
31 WHEREAS, the American Psychological Association reports harm from conversion therapy; and,  
32 WHEREAS, conversion therapy is not banned statewide;  
33 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, DPW supports expanding discrimination protections to include gender identity;  
34 FURTHER RESOLVED, that DPW supports the federal Equality Act, which provides full non-discrimination  
35 protections across the country, including Wisconsin; and,  
36 FINALLY RESOLVED, the DPW supports banning conversion therapy for all citizens.

1 **22-JHD-06: RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT WISCONSIN ON HEALTHCARE (97 WORDS)**

2 WHEREAS, COVID relief passed by Congress helped states provide healthcare;  
3 WHEREAS, the funding ends with the pandemic and insurance prices will climb again;  
4 WHEREAS, expanding Medicaid would provide more than 82,000 Wisconsin residents with access to  
5 affordable healthcare; and,  
6 WHEREAS, expanding Medicaid would bring millions in investment dollars to counties across the state,  
7 lower premiums for Wisconsin residents with private insurance, and save Wisconsin taxpayers more than  
8 \$1,000,000,000 dollars under provisions in the most recent COVID relief act;  
9 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, that Wisconsin adopt Medicaid expansion to help solve the healthcare crisis.

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11 **22-JHD-07: RESOLUTION TO ABOLISH THE ELECTORAL COLLEGE (79 WORDS)**

12 WHEREAS, the Electoral College violates the democratic principle of "one person, one vote" and therefore  
13 is not representative of the will of the people;  
14 WHEREAS, a president may be elected who did not win the national popular vote; and,  
15 WHEREAS, in the last presidential election there was an attempt to overturn the will of the people by  
16 illegally installing slates of false state electors;  
17 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, DPW supports the abolition of the Electoral College by amendment to the  
18 Constitution.

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20 **22-JHD-08: RESOLUTION TO RETAIN THE BIPARTISAN ELECTION COMMISSION (72 WORDS)**

21 WHEREAS, the current system with a Bipartisan Election Commission officiating over election laws, voting  
22 and certification of results offers representation from both parties;  
23 WHEREAS, changing the system by appointing one person to head the agency may introduce bias to  
24 favor one political party; and,  
25 WHEREAS, this individual may use the power of the office to determine the election results;  
26 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, DPW fully supports the current system of a bipartisan election commission.

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28 **22-JHD-09: SUPPORT VOTING RIGHTS ACTS (96 WORDS)**

29 WHEREAS, Congress passed the Voting Rights Act in 1965 to protect against race discrimination in  
30 voting;  
31 WHEREAS, recent decisions by SCOTUS have weakened the VRA;  
32 WHEREAS, more than 440 bills to restrict voting access have been introduced in 49 states;  
33 WHEREAS, the John Lewis Voting Rights Act and the Freedom to Vote Act have been approved by the  
34 House, but have been filibustered in the Senate;  
35 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, DPW supports passage of the John Lewis Voting Rights and Freedom to Vote  
36 Acts; and,  
37 FINALLY RESOLVED, DPW supports abolishment of the filibuster with regards to voting legislation.

1 **22-JHD-10: ABORTION RIGHTS PRESERVATION ACT (81 WORDS)**

2 WHEREAS, Wisconsin has an 1849 law on the books that bans abortion with no exceptions for rape,  
3 incest, or the health of the mother, and this law applies from conception; and,

4 WHEREAS, if the Supreme Court overturns Roe v. Wade, Wisconsin's 1849 law will once again become  
5 enforceable, denying a woman's right to control what happens to her own body;

6 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, DPW supports the Abortion Rights Preservation Act; and,

7 FURTHER RESOLVED, DPW supports codifying Roe v. Wade into Federal law.  
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9 **22-JHD-11: REFORM THE U.S. SENATE FILIBUSTER (83 WORDS)**

10 WHEREAS, 41 minority party senators can prevent voting on legislation;

11 WHEREAS, the minority party of senators currently represent a minority (43.5%) of eligible voters; and,

12 WHEREAS, the use of the filibuster has been used repeatedly by the minority party to prevent legislation  
13 from being voted on;

14 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, the DPW supports returning to the original Senate rule of cutting off debate  
15 and proceeding to voting with a motion passed by a simple majority and to limit debate to one hour per  
16 Senator, non-transferrable.  
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18 **22-JHD-12: VOTING RECOUNTS AND INVESTIGATIONS (99 WORDS)**

19 WHEREAS, multiple vote recounts, judges, court cases, and bipartisan election reviews found no  
20 widespread fraud in the 2020 Wisconsin election; and,

21 WHEREAS, Special Counsel Gableman continues to spend taxpayers' money at considerable expense to  
22 search for non-existent voter fraud 18 months later;

23 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, the DPW supports limits to the number of vote recounts to two, paid for by the  
24 party requesting the recount;

25 FURTHER RESOLVED, to limit voting investigations to one, conducted by a bipartisan committee of State  
26 Assembly or Senate; and,

27 FINALLY RESOLVED, to prohibit the use of outside consultants to oversee either voting recounts or  
28 investigations.  
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30 **22-JHD-13: IN SUPPORT OF A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO OVERTURN CITIZENS UNITED AND  
31 RECLAIM OUR DEMOCRACY (95 WORDS)**

32 WHEREAS, the U.S. Supreme Court has granted corporations the status of persons and equated money  
33 with speech, although these ideas are mentioned nowhere in the Constitution; and,

34 WHEREAS, in Citizens United vs. FEC the court decided that limiting corporate electoral spending violates  
35 the "free speech rights" of corporate "persons";

36 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, the DPW calls for amending the U.S. Constitution to make clear that  
37 corporations and other such entities are not persons and money is not speech;

38 FURTHER RESOLVED, the DPW will advocate for integration of this position into the national platform of  
39 the Democratic Party.

1 **22-JHD-14: RANKED CHOICE VOTING (59 WORDS)**

2 WHEREAS, a thriving, functional democracy requires fair elections;  
3 WHEREAS, ranked choice voting makes elections less divisive and results in campaigns with higher voter  
4 engagement; and,  
5 WHEREAS, ranked choice voting results in greater diversity of representation, especially for minority and  
6 female candidates;  
7 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, DPW supports the implementation of ranked choice voting for all elections in  
8 the state of Wisconsin.

10 **22-JHD-15: RAISE THE AGE (77 WORDS)**

11 WHEREAS, Wisconsin is one of the most incarcerated states in the United States and world, and one of  
12 the few states to prosecute children in adult court;  
13 WHEREAS, incarcerating children creates a cycle of recidivism that disrupts families and communities,  
14 increases poverty, and increases the state's incarceration rate; and,  
15 WHEREAS, mass incarceration is an expensive, inefficient, and ineffective form of rehabilitation;  
16 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, DPW supports legislation to raise the age of juvenile court to 21 years old.

19 **RESOLUTIONS CONCERNING EDUCATION, LABOR, AND ECONOMICS**

21 **22-ELE-01: IMPLEMENT ANTI-RACISM EDUCATION (89 WORDS)**

22 WHEREAS, DPW is committed to ending systemic racism;  
23 WHEREAS, many public school districts do not teach a full picture of American history in relation to the  
24 contributions of and crimes against People of Color, Women, and the LGBTQ+  
25 WHEREAS, it is vital for students and educators to learn how to be Anti-Racist;  
26 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, DPW advocates for public schools to implement anti-racism curriculum,  
27 accurate history curriculum, and diversity training for staff;  
28 FURTHER RESOLVED, that DPW condemns the racist dog whistles being used on this issue by  
29 opportunistic politicians

31 **22-ELE-02: RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF A \$15 MINIMUM WAGE, ASAP (82 WORDS)**

32 WHEREAS, \$7.25/hour supports a very meager quality of life and impedes the ability to contribute to the  
33 economy in a meaningful way;  
34 WHEREAS, higher wages will stimulate the economy through increased consumer spending, and tax  
35 revenue;  
36 WHEREAS, the number of people living in poverty is over 10%, while a \$15/hour minimum wage would  
37 decrease that number dramatically; and,  
38 WHEREAS, \$15/hour minimum wage provides a starting point for advancing a living wage standard;  
39 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, that DPW supports an immediate increase to \$15/hour.



1 **22-ELE-03: RESOLUTION ENSURING THE WELL-BEING OF SOCIAL SECURITY (65 WORDS)**

2 WHEREAS, one in five people receive Social Security benefits;  
3 WHEREAS, low or no other-income retirees depend on Social Security for survival;  
4 WHEREAS, the Congressional Budget Office forecasts significant benefit cutbacks in the near future if the  
5 program isn't shored up; and,  
6 WHEREAS, Congress has failed to address this important issue;  
7 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, Congress must shore up the financing of Social Security to maintain earned  
8 benefits.

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10 **22-ELE-04: RESOLUTION ADVOCATING A PROGRESSIVE TAX SYSTEM (73 WORDS)**

11 WHEREAS, tax cuts by Republicans have overwhelmingly benefited the rich and corporations;  
12 WHEREAS, Republican tax cuts are regressive by flattening tax rates;  
13 WHEREAS, the federal accumulated debt continues to climb to worrisome levels; and,  
14 WHEREAS, the rich are getting richer and middle-class hollowed out;  
15 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, the DPW supports a progressive tax system based on ability to pay.

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17 **22-ELE-05: VOUCHER SCHOOL OVERSIGHT (90 WORDS)**

18 WHEREAS, Wisconsin maintains the Racine, Milwaukee, and Wisconsin Parental school voucher  
19 programs;  
20 WHEREAS, these programs have income caps and participation limits;  
21 WHEREAS, our GOP controlled Legislature has proposed removing these limits causing an anticipated  
22 participation increase (65% or \$577 million); and,  
23 WHEREAS, voucher schools are not subject to the same Wisconsin statutes as public schools;  
24 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, DPW supports legislation requiring all public funds allotted to voucher schools  
25 be overseen by elected school boards, and be required to meet the same oversight, testing, and  
26 curriculum standards as Wisconsin public schools.

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28 **22-ELE-06: PUBLIC SCHOOL SUPPORT (82 WORDS)**

29 WHEREAS, quality public education is the cornerstone of our democracy;  
30 WHEREAS, one function of public schools is to guarantee every child equal access to opportunity in our  
31 society; and,  
32 WHEREAS, public schools and teachers have the responsibility for children while in their care;  
33 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, the DPW supports school boards and school districts that work to keep their  
34 students and staff safe; and,  
35 FURTHER RESOLVED, the DPW supports school boards and school districts that provide equal opportunity  
36 for success for all students.

1 **RESOLUTIONS CONCERNING PARTY GOVERNANCE**

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3 **22-PG-01: GENDER DIVERSITY IN DEMOCRATIC LEADERSHIP (92 WORDS)**

4 WHEREAS, the Democratic Party of Wisconsin supports gender diversity and equitable, inclusive, and  
5 affirmative access to party leadership positions; and,

6 WHEREAS, the constitution of the Democratic Party of Wisconsin currently requires elected positions for  
7 Chair, Vice Chair and Second Vice-Chair must be "a combination of either 2 males and one female or 2  
8 females and one male;"

9 THEREFORE, RESOLVED, the DPW encourages the Democratic Party of Wisconsin Administrative  
10 Committee to amend bylaws to include people who identify as gender non-binary or non-conforming at  
11 every level of party leadership.