

Caucus Committee General Meeting Minutes



March 14, 2023 7:00PM - 9:00 PM

Gorton Center, Stewart Room

President's Report – David Hunt

Caucus Committee Meeting called to order: The meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm by David Hunt, President. A quorum was in attendance.

Don Adams made a motion to approve the minutes from the 2/28/2023 meeting, and Eric Carrier seconded the motion. The Caucus Committee voted to approve the minutes.

Mayoral Campaign Update - Dr. Stanford "Randy" Tack

Dr. Tack gave an update to the Caucus Committee about the current campaign and what he is hearing from the community. Dr. Tack asked for continued canvassing in our own neighborhoods to support the Caucus Candidates. Sign-ups are available for time slots to go out and canvas for the candidates.

Gorton Board Candidate Interview

Michael O'Neill briefed the Committee on the purpose of the Gorton Board candidate, and that the Board is looking for someone to fill an opening for the Operations side of the Board.

Gorton Board Candidate Interview – Bob Scales

Bob Scales introduced himself to the Caucus Committee, sharing his personal and career experiences, the volunteer positions he has held in Lake Forest, and the reasons he is seeking the position on the Gorton Board. Bob detailed his experience with the City of Lake Forest and other committees. The Caucus Committee then interviewed Bob regarding his qualifications and experience.

Gorton Board – Paul Thomas

Paul Thomas introduced himself to the Caucus Committee, sharing his personal and career experiences, the volunteer positions he has held in Lake Forest, and the reasons he is seeking the position on the Gorton Board. Paul detailed his experience with the City of Lake Forest and other committees. The Caucus Committee then interviewed Paul regarding his qualifications and experience.

Deliberation

The Caucus Committee deliberated on the two candidates and took a vote to move Bob Scales forward for the Gorton Board.

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Closing Remarks – David Hunt

Caucus Committee ballots will be in mailboxes around March 25th and are due, postmarked by April 8th.

There being no further business, a motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Kent Novit, seconded by Aneeqa Aqeel. The meeting was adjourned at 8:48 P.M.

Minutes respectfully submitted by: Kristin Vallaly, Secretary