



Chatham County Democratic Party

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RESOLUTION CALLING ON THE NORTH CAROLINA DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN PARTIES TO SEND THE CONTRIBUTIONS FROM GREG LINDBERG TO NORTH CAROLINA-BASED NON-PROFIT GROUPS

Whereas the platform adopted at the NCDP convention in 2016 supports tough campaign finance laws; and

Whereas the same platform adopted at the 2016 convention states that “the North Carolina Democratic Party will continue to support measures to reduce the cost of campaigning for public office, including the gradual introduction of a public financing option”; and

Whereas in the post-Citizens United political landscape the United States of America has witnessed the growth of dark money, independent expenditure groups, mega-donors and super-pacs that have injected the will and intentions of corporate interests and very wealthy families and individuals into all political parties and political processes, to the detriment of democracy and in many cases the will of the people; and

Whereas the North Carolina Democratic Party has been a recipient in 2018 of at least a \$250,000 contribution from mega-donor Greg Lindberg and at least a \$250,000 contribution from one of Greg Lindberg’s companies to the North Carolina Democratic Party building fund; and

Whereas the North Carolina Republican Party has been a recipient of at least a three million dollars from mega-donor Greg Lindberg; and

Whereas the mega-donor Greg Lindberg is under investigation by the Charlotte US Attorney’s Office; and

Whereas the Charlotte US Attorney has also issued subpoenas to the North Carolina Republican and Democratic Parties regarding the investigation of its office into mega-donor Greg Lindberg and his companies; and

Whereas the Charlotte US Attorney has alleged in the subpoenas that the office is investigating “drug offenses, crimes against financial institutions, or money laundering crimes”;

Now, Therefore Be It Resolved that the Chatham County Democratic Party respectfully request that the North Carolina Democratic Party (NCDP) and North Carolina Republican Party (NCGOP) immediately remove the funds from mega-donor Greg Lindberg and his companies from their treasury and send the funds to non-profit groups based in North Carolina that assist the victims of Hurricanes Florence and Michael.

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