

**Neighborhood Democrats
April 8, 2019, 7:00 PM**

A G E N D A

7:00 - Welcome, Pledge

7:05 - Club business

- Feedback/Questions/Suggestions cards
- Approval of March club meeting minutes - Andy Hailey
(Sent out as attachment to meeting notice on 4/6/2019)
- Treasurer's Report for March - Judy Stapp-Hollis
- Membership updates - Jim Brown
(Membership dues - \$25/\$50, check or cash preferred)
New member introductions and Thanks to renewing members

7:25 - GCDP Update

- County chair update - John Young
- Fundraising update - Heidi Gordon/Carol Andrews
- GCDP Field Ops Update - Tina Russell

7:35 - Announcements, Candidates, Guest Speaker

- Member announcements (2 minute limit)
- Carl Silverman
- Candidates (4 minute limit)
- Monica Morgan - President Pearland Dems,

8:30 - Q&A

8:35 - Director's Closing Comments

- Next club meeting Monday, May 13, 2019
- University of Houston, Clear Lake "Film & Speaker Series" - <http://www.uhcl.edu/movies>
- Galveston YD: 257 (+2) followers
- NdDems Twitter: 494 (+5) followers
- TDW-GC Twitter: 22 (0) followers
- County Chair Twitter: 532 (+3)
- County other: Email: 1,851 (+2), FB: 1,121 (+6), Instagram: 165 (+4), Twitter: 366 (-1)
- County VAN historical volunteer list: 3,032 (+4)
- NationBuilder Website People (Volunteer, Twitter, Facebook, ActBlue): 7,619 (+30)

Future Guest Speakers/Events:

- May 13, 2019 - Susan Criss
- Jun 10, 2019 - Adrienne Bell
- Jul 8, 2019 - Joe Compian (LULAC)
- Aug 12, 2019 - Kimberley Yancy (NAACP)
- Sep 9, 2019 - Darrell Matula
- Oct 14, 2019 - ?

Club Purpose: 1.) identify and engage Democrats in a friendly forum; 2.) support Democratic candidates for public office; 3.) support Democratic elected officials and causes; 4.) raise public awareness of current issues by disseminating information, holding public forums, encouraging activism, and; 5.) support the Galveston County Democratic Party.

Suggestion/Question/Feedback/Blue Card Ground Rules:

- Limited to club purpose, items listed in meeting agenda, and county related politics
- Limited to two minutes if verbalized or what will fit on one suggestion/feedback card

GCDP Goal and Objectives

- Goal: Elect Democrats to local entity and county government
- Objectives to achieve that goal include, but are not limited to:
 - Double number of GC precinct chairs
 - Identify, train, and promote candidates for local entity and county elected offices
 - Increase visibility of GCDP
 - Secure commitment, "Count Me In," from thousands of former volunteers by April 2020 to support 2020 GOTV
 - Detail a two year budget including monthly expenses and income, mail-in-ballot application mailings, and funding goals (total and monthly sustaining)

Links for volunteering and donating:

- Thousands of volunteer hours are needed for 2020 GOTV efforts, [volunteer here:](#)
- Tens of thousands of dollars are needed, [donate here:](#)