GREEN PARTY COUNTY CONVENTION MINUTES

A Green County Convention was held in accordance with the Texas Election Code and the Texas Green Party Rules at

(location) ____________________________________________________________

in __________________________ County, Texas on the 14th day of March, 2020. Said County Convention was called to order at

_____ a.m./p.m. by _______________________________ (county chair, or if absent, any qualified voter) who served as Temporary Chair of the Convention.

Before transacting any business, the Temporary Chair made an Attendance List of each participant, noting the name, residence address, and precinct number for each participant. The voter presented either a marked “Green Party” registration card or a Certificate of Affiliation was issued at a Precinct Convention. These sheets or copies are attached to all official copies of these Minutes.

The Temporary Chair then announced that this convention would be conducted in accordance with the Texas Election Code, and the Rules adopted by the Party in accordance with Section 181 of the Election Code; that the Rules for Consensus Seeking Process, would govern procedure; and that a copy of the Party Rules was available for inspection.

The Chair briefly explained the ways in which action at this convention would influence important Party action and decisions at subsequent conventions and reviewed Party Rules governing County Conventions.

The Temporary Chair next called for nominations for Permanent Convention Chair, and the following individuals were nominated: (list names)

(Name) ____________________________________________________________ was elected by (underline one) acclamation/majority vote and assumed the position of Permanent Chair.

The Permanent Chair then called for nominations for Convention Secretary, and the following individuals were nominated: (list names)

(Name) ____________________________________________________________ was elected by acclamation/majority vote and assumed the position of Convention Secretary.

The Convention Chair then announced that certification of the precinct vote for candidates for nomination would take place. The Convention retabulated the votes from the official ballots from the Precinct Conventions, and verified the totals for all races were accurate and reported such on a Vote Tally sheet for the County. These official results will be posted in the same public cloud space as the ballots.
The nominees for all offices wholly situated within the county boundaries were added to an official certified list of nominees to be submitted to the county elections office. Results for District and State offices will be passed on to the state cochair for use at subsequent conventions.

The Permanent Chair then called for nominations for the District Convention delegates and alternate slots in a number sufficient to fill both types of seats. The convention attendees held an election using Approval Voting in which the highest vote-getters became delegates and the next highest became alternates. This process was repeated for State Convention Delegates.

The Chair then called for consensus on whether or not to elect an additional County Executive Committee to the existing one. The result was:

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After the convention transacted its business, the Permanent Convention Chair announced the names of all the delegates and alternates elected.

The Chair then instructed the Convention Secretary to fill out the District and State Delegate Lists with the names of all delegates and alternates. In the event an individual not present at the convention is elected a delegate or alternate, his or her name should be added to this list as well.

The Permanent Chair then called for any resolutions, and the attached resolutions were adopted.

There being no further business, the Convention adjourned by consensus.

SIGNATURE OF PERMANENT CHAIR ____________________________
SIGNATURE OF CONVENTION SECRETARY ______________________

CHAIR’S EMAIL ADDRESS ____________________________
SECRETARY’S EMAIL ADDRESS ______________________

CHAIR’S PHONE NUMBER ____________________________
SECRETARY’S PHONE NUMBER ______________________

Upon adjournment, the Permanent Convention Chair and Convention Secretary shall sign the Precinct Convention Minutes and include email and phone contact information in the spaces provided. The Permanent Convention Chair shall then deliver the signed original of the Precinct Convention Minutes, official ballots cast, location of their images online, and all Lists to the County Chair. Retain a copy for your records.

In accordance with the Texas Election Code Section 174.027, the signed original and copies are to be delivered to the County Chair of this County (in person or by mail) within three (3) days after the date of this Precinct Convention. (Note: If the Convention Minutes and Attachments are delivered by mail, the Election Code requires that the original be deposited in the mail not later than the second day after the date of the Precinct Convention).

The County Clerk does NOT receive a copy of these records, nor maintain copies of these records.