



Clark County Democratic Party 2022 Convention Rules

Approved by the CCDP Rules and Bylaws Committee on April 13, 2022

Convention Date and Times

1. The 2022 Clark County Democratic Party Caucuses and Convention will be held virtually on Saturday, April 30, 2022.
 - a. Precinct caucuses will begin at 10:00 AM PST.
 - b. Convention business will begin at 3:00 PM PST.

Registration and Self-Nomination

1. Convention Registration will be open from Wednesday, March 30, 2022 to Friday, April 29, 2022.
2. Democrats interested in participating in the 2022 convention must register online either through the CCDP's Convention Hub (<https://convention.clarkdems.com>) or at <https://demsnv.com/convention/clark>
3. During registration, Democrats may self-nominate for one or more of the following:
 - a. Delegate to CCDP Convention (Delegate-CC)
 - b. Pending election as Delegate-CC, member of the Clark County Democratic Party Central Committee (CCCC)
 - c. Pending election as Delegate-CC, delegate to the NV Dems State Convention (Delegate-NV)
 - d. Pending election as Delegate-NV, member of the NV Dems State Central Committee (SCC)

Vetting

1. All individuals who wish to be seated as convention delegates, elected to the Clark County Democratic Party Central Committee, and/or elected to the Nevada State Democratic Party Central Committee must meet the following requirements:
 - a. Reside in Clark County, Nevada.



- b. Be a registered Democrat for at least 30 days prior to the commencement of the convention.
2. All disputes involving eligibility will be reviewed and adjudicated by the Credentials Committee.
3. Party affiliation and residency of all individuals who register for the convention will be verified using the Democratic Party's Voter Activation Network (VAN).

Convention Business

1. All convention business will be conducted virtually.
2. Voting, debate, and all matters of parliamentary procedure will be facilitated electronically.
3. All online voting is subject to auditing by the CCDP following the conclusion of the convention.

Participation and Debate

1. The chat and/or messaging feature(s) may be disabled or limited during the convention.
2. A convention attendee who desires to speak must first be recognized by the Chair.
3. Debate on motions is limited to three (3) speakers in favor and three (3) speakers opposed.
4. The time limit per speaker is 90 seconds.
5. No attendee is entitled to be called on to speak a second time in a debate on the same motion until everyone who is seeking recognition has had their first opportunity to speak.
6. An attendee may not speak more than two times on any one motion.
7. The speaker must keep statements on-topic and appropriate. If the speaker is wandering off-topic or the content is not appropriate, the Chair (or assigned designate) can interrupt the speaker and redirect them back to the specific question.
 - a. Speakers who go off-topic will receive one warning before being muted by the Chair.
8. Only business items delineated in the convention agenda will be conducted during the convention; no motions from the floor will be permitted.

Seating and Election of Delegates

1. In accordance with Nevada State law, a maximum of 11,111 delegates may be seated at the CCDP Convention.



2. Of the seated CCDP convention delegates, a maximum of 3,704 delegates may be elected to the Nevada State Democratic Party Convention.

Election of Central Committee Members

1. All individuals who wish to serve as Clark County Central Committee members shall be elected either as precinct captains, precinct representatives, or at-large members.
2. Per the CCDP Bylaws, the Clark County Central Committee may consist of no more than
 - a. 426 Precinct Captains (1 for each voting precinct)
 - b. 426 Precinct Representatives (1 for each voting precinct)
 - c. 127 At-Large Members
3. For all precincts with fewer than three (3) nominees to the CCCC, the first registered nominee will be elected the precinct captain and second registered nominee will be considered the precinct representative.
4. All precincts, regardless of the total number of nominees county-wide, with three (3) or more nominees for the CCCC, will elect their precinct captain and precinct representative on the morning of April 30.
5. Any nominees that fail to be elected precinct captain or precinct representative for their home precinct will be assigned to an open precinct.
6. Should more than 852 people self-nominate for the CCCC, a maximum of 127 people will be designated as at-large members of the CCCC on a first-come, first-served basis.

Code of Conduct

1. Prior to the beginning of the convention, the Chair shall designate a Sergeant at Arms for the purposes of enforcing this code of conduct and muting or removing from the convention any individual who fails to abide by it.
2. All convention attendees are required to stay respectful and receptive at all times.
3. Bullying, repeated disruption, or any other malicious behaviors will not be tolerated. Members who engage in such behaviors are subject to removal from the convention.