

# **RESOLUTION OF CONDEMNATION FOR ACTIONS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR VIOLATING BYLAWS AND SUBVERTING A FUNDAMENTAL PURPOSE OF THE LIBERTARIAN PARTY OF COLORADO (LPCO)**

**Whereas**, the Board of Directors and its Executive Director have a fiduciary duty to the LPCO Bylaws, the national Bylaws through its affiliation with the National Party, and basic non-corporate governance principles in addition to basic Libertarian contractual principles;

**Whereas**, the Board of Directors and its Executive Director knowingly and deliberately took actions which abrogate said duty and defrauded the members of the LPCO by publishing a so-called Liberty Pledge which involves colluding with the Republican Party of Colorado and Republican candidates for office, promising not to nominate, or to withdraw nominated, Libertarian candidates against Republicans who sign the Liberty Pledge;

**Whereas**, the Board of Directors and its Executive Director knowingly and deliberately took further actions in abrogation of said duty by attempting to remove Chase Oliver and instead place RFK, Jr. as the Libertarian candidate for President on the Colorado ballot and attempted to defend their actions when a suit was brought against them in the District Court of Denver;

**Whereas**, these actions were confirmed as violations of the national and LPCO bylaws in a written opinion from Burch Balch, one of the authorship team of the current edition of Robert's Rules of Order, a copy of which opinion is appended hereto; and

**Whereas**, even to this day, the Board of Directors and the Executive Director actively supports candidates of other parties and continues to promote their Liberty Pledge collusion with the Republican Party;

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the members of the Board elected at or appointed following the 2023 convention, with the exception of any who resigned prior to, or because of these issues, are hereby condemned for knowingly and repeatedly violating the bylaws forbidding the endorsement and support of non-Libertarian candidates for partisan office and for obstructing duly nominated candidates of the Libertarian Party and thus are held in contempt of the delegates to the annual state and national conventions; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that, for their extensive roles in driving these activities, Hannah Lyn Goodman and James Brooks Wiley are declared unfit to serve the LPCO in any elected, appointed, or paid position or to be nominated as a candidate for public office.

Reference: [Parliamentarian Balch Opinion Letter CO P VP Libertarian Candidates c.pdf](#)

