August 14, 2026 Minutes | Gratiot County Democratic Party Executive Committee

Meeting Held at our Office on Wright Ave. Alma, MI

Meeting called to order by Chair, Christie Freestone at 2:10.

Leadership Roll Call -

Christie Freestone (Chair) - P
Dan Greening (Vice-Chair) - P
Lisa Gregory (Secretary) - P
Brent Devries (Treasurer) - P
Nancy O'Brien (Parliamentarian/Governance) - P
Caroline DeGraaf (Membership) - A

- Nancy O'Brien gave information on elections based on her experience with the Board of Canvass.
- Nancy Gott reported on the Fall Harvest Dinner. It was agreed to make the focus of the dinner raising money for candidates.
- We are working on a budget for 2027. More information will be shared.
- The following expenditures were approved:
    - $500 donation to the campaign to elect Serenity Hope Salak
    - $250 for postcard stamps
    - $100 for the purchase of 500 buttons
- We will be creating a slate of endorsed candidates
- Our new office hours will be:
    - MRS 10-12
    - TWF 4-6

Meeting adjourned at 4:30

Our next meeting will be our General Membership Meeting on August 17, 2026 at 7:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted by Lisa Gregory