

Carlisle Democratic Town Committee, Agenda Jan 4, 2018

Members: send any requests for changes to nancycdtc@rosepath.com

All: Please shoot for arriving a few minutes before the meeting start so that we can begin on time with a quorum. Last, but far from least, we would love to reconnect with members we have not seen in a while – this is an [election year and there is work to do!](#)

6:30 – 7:00	Optional, informal conversation and business, build quorum (9.)
3 min	Welcome members and introduce visiting candidates (Bob Wallhagen)
20	Gubernatorial candidate Jay Gonzalez, talk and take questions
15	Rufus Gifford, candidate for Niki Tsongas seat, talk and take questions
3	Treasurer’s report and vote to accept. (Nancy Kronenberg for Rick Oches)
5	Comments and vote to accept minutes from previous meeting. (Bob Luoma)
5	Partnering with Carlisle Rising - update (Maureen Deery)
8	A few announcements (Nancy K)
15	What is ALEC? Report, Q & A. (Bonnie Miskolczy)
10	Future external activities of interest (Bob W, and others: MAD & GLAD,...)
8:30	Adjourn

Note about candidate visits. A month ago I attended a Littleton DTC meeting to get ideas for improvement ourselves. They had to juggle time with candidates (both invited and drop-in.) The invited candidate making the dtc rounds herself gave me a little advice about what drop-ins expect. In the future, unless the agenda has spare time, candidates who come by with little or no notice will be told that they can say a quick hello and leave literature. In meeting announcements after Jan 4, the Democratic Dispatch Carlisle meeting listing will include encouragement to candidates who want to drop by to give us a few days of notice at least. We’ll also try to communicate to visiting candidates that they can come at 6:45 to get acquainted with members who arrive early. So this would be your chance to get a candidate one-on-one.

Thanks, Nancy K.