

PROPOSED OCDP BYLAWS CHANGE

(additions in ALL CAPS; deletions are ~~struck~~)

ARTICLE VII: STANDING COMMITTEES

Section 2. Standing Committees shall include the following:

7. DIVERSITY, EQUITY, AND INCLUSION COMMITTEE - THE COMMITTEE HAS THE PURPOSE OF IMPLEMENTING ARTICLE III, SECTIONS 2, 3 AND 4 AND SHALL WORK TO ENSURE THAT OCDP REPRESENTS AND SUPPORTS THE BROADEST POSSIBLE PARTICIPATION ~~WITHOUT DISCRIMINATION ON GROUNDS OF ACTUAL OR PERCEIVED RACE, COLOR, CREED, SEX, AGE, NATIONAL ORIGIN, ECONOMIC STATUS, RELIGION, ETHNIC IDENTITY, ANCESTRY, MARITAL STATUS, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, GENDER IDENTITY, GENDER EXPRESSION, PHYSICAL APPEARANCE, OR DISABILITY.~~ THE COMMITTEE IS TASKED WITH IDENTIFYING WAYS THAT THE OCDP CAN IMPROVE UPON ITS REPRESENTATION, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO MEMBERSHIP RECRUITMENT, EVENT PARTICIPATION, AND LEADERSHIP DIVERSITY, WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

8. COMMUNITY SUPPORT COMMITTEE - THE COMMITTEE SHALL WORK TO CONDUCT AND SUPPORT ALL CHARITABLE AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES OF OCDP. THE COMMITTEE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR IDENTIFYING AREAS OF NEED, ~~CHARITABLE FOUNDATIONS,~~ AND COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES THAT OCDP COULD PROMOTE, DONATE TO, OR PARTICIPATE IN, WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

9. YOUNG DEMOCRATS COMMITTEE – THE COMMITTEE, COMPOSED OF DEMOCRATS UNDER THE AGE OF 29, SHALL WORK TO EXPAND PARTICIPATION AND INVOLVEMENT OF YOUNG PEOPLE IN THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY AND THE ELECTORAL PROCESS. THE COMMITTEE IS TASKED WITH IDENTIFYING WAYS THAT THE OCDP CAN IMPROVE UPON YOUTH MEMBERSHIP RECRUITMENT, EVENT PARTICIPATION, LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT, AND IN OTHER WAYS, WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

