

# **PebbleCreek Democratic Club General Meeting**

**Minutes for November 4, 2025**

**Tuscany Falls Ballroom**

**Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order by President Vicki Barber at the Tuscany Falls Ballroom at 6:45 pm.

**Pledge of Allegiance:** Jim Sheard led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Minutes:** All minutes for the General Membership and Executive Board Meetings are posted on the website. If there are any questions, comments, or corrections, please contact the Club Secretary, Barbara McMahon.

President Vicki welcomed all visitors, guests and our new members. Guests included Mayor Joe Pizzillo. City Council Members: Benita Becker, Laura Kaino, Brannon Hampton, and Trey Terry. City Council Candidates: Jason Kiss, Sheri Lauritano

Goodyear Chief of Police: Brian Issitt. Acting Deputy City Manager Paul Luizzi. Goodyear Deputy Fire Chief Ed Paul. Goodyear City Engineering Director Steve Scinto

LD 29 Candidate for AZ Senate Eric Stafford and LD 29 Candidate for AZ House Christine Scianna and LD 29 Representatives: Jon Mannella, Margarita Silva, and Lynn Peters

Principal of Lattie Poor Elementary School Giovanni Orozco

## **Financial Report:**

Treasurer Tammy Dana Bashian prepared the following  
Financial Report

<b>September 1, 2025 Cash Balance</b>	<b>\$10154</b>
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<b>Receipts</b>	
Dues	<b>225</b>
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>225</b>
<b>Disbursements</b>	
Due to Member	<b>786</b>
Membership - Name Badges	78
Meetings - Bar Setup	100
<b>Total Disbursements</b>	<b>964</b>
<b>September 30, 2025 Cash Balance</b>	<b>\$9,415</b>

**Membership Update:** Sheryl Archer, Chair

**2026 Membership Dues must be paid by Dec 31, 2025**

1. See website for instructions.
2. Remember to pickup your membership badges at registration table.

**Social Committee:** Frankie Veltri, Chair

- i. November 6: Friendsgiving Women’s Luncheon
- ii. November 11: Veterans and Spouses recognition
- iii. November 13: Happy Hour 4pm-8pm Oasis Pool

**Community Outreach:** Judy Hart, Chair

- i. 1,187 pounds of goods donated in October

**Veteran Services Committee:** Chuck Veltri, Chair

- I. Chuck shared the Veterans poem
- II. Chuck introduced Giovanni Orozco, Principal of Lattie Poor Elementary School. Principal Orozco provided a brief overview of the students and his appreciation of our Club’s involvement with Secret Santa.

- III. Chuck introduced the Veterans' Committee Secret Santa Program. The program will provide Christmas gifts to 226 kindergarteners and first graders. For more info, contact Chuck Veltri. Gifts must be returned by Dec 3.

**Political Committee:** Marsha Wallick, Chair

- I. Weekly requests continue to be sent to members. Check website for information on current issues, making phone calls, writing articles, etc.
- II. Vicki recognized those who contributed to the Make A Difference List at our last General Meeting. A copy of the list was available on the Political Table.
- III. Vicki recognized Diana Wiedower for her weekly Call To Action emails sent to all members.
- IV. Vicki congratulated the members on the commitment to change.
- V. Vicki solicited and encouraged members to assist in our Petition Signature Project. During the next few months members are asked to solicit petitions for our three Democratic AZ candidates trying to qualify for the Primary Elections. Candidates are Eric Stafford running for AZ Senate LD 29, Christine Scianna running for AZ Congress LD 29, and Dani Sterbinsky running for AZ Congress CD9.
- VI. The goal of the Petition Signature Project is to deliver a huge number of signatures on Petitions to our Speaker at the Dec 3 General Meeting.
- VII. **CHECK YOUR VOTER REGISTRATION:** There is a concern that more than **83,000 Maricopa Residents** are at risk of being removed from the voter rolls. Don't be one of them! **Check your voter registration status** by going to [BeBallotReady.vote](http://BeBallotReady.vote). A postcard was provided to all members with the QR Code to be able to access voter information.

**Volunteers Needed: Anyone interested in writing articles or providing political updates, serving as Asst. Treasure or Asst.**

**Webmaster or taking a Club Leadership role, please contact our president Vicki Barber.**

**LD29 Updates:** Charlotte Krause, LD29 Treasurer – Vicki updated the club on the following:

- a) Next LD29 Meeting is November 19<sup>th</sup>, 5:30pm-8:00pm at El Mirage Senior Center, 14010 n El Mirage Rd, El Mirage
- b) Speakers are **Alexis Hermosillo, Mayor of El Mirage and Donna Winston, Councilmember El Mirage.**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Check the Website

- a) Men's Breakfasts-2<sup>nd</sup> Wed Eagles Nest 8:15AM
- b) Club Breakfast Each Saturday at 8:00 am, Eagles Nest –
- c) Monthly game nights – Singles Group – Book Club

Note: Above events are available to PCDC Members, except Saturday Breakfasts Open to All

**GUEST SPEAKER:** President Vicki Barber introduced Goodyear Mayor Joe Pizzullo who updated the members on the progress of Goodyear.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:15 pm. Next meeting is Dec 3rd at the Tuscany Falls Ballroom. Guest Speaker will be Charlene Fernandez, AZ Democratic Party Chair.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara A. McMahon". The signature is written in dark ink on a light-colored background.

Barbara McMahon, Secretary