

UD Committee Persons

4-year term - Primary 2018 til primary 2022. 2 Democrats per each of 19 precincts/districts in UD. Must circulate nominating petition in Feb-March and get at least 10 valid D signatures in district. Must be elected by Ds in district. If office is vacant, can be filled by appointment by municipal chair, area leader and county chair. Resignations are made in writing.

Staffs poll for 2 elections per year. 6:45am - 8:15pm. May act as watcher to collect counts in evening. Does his/her best to get as many Ds as possible to the poll each election day. Greets voters and encourages them to examine sample ballot. Answers voter questions.

Attends county endorsement convention ~ Feb 15. 7-9ishpm. Gets proxy if can't attend. Each Committee Person has a vote at convention, in local party elections, and for local party decisions regarding candidate endorsements and the allocation of funds.

Attends and helps run UD Dems' Fundraisers/events. Picnic is typically Sunday afternoon Mondauk Park ~July 20. Petition-signing party is Sat AM or weekday PM mid-February @ Operating Engineers.

Attends 12 monthly meetings of UD Dems. Meetings alternate between Thurs @ 7pm and Sat @ 9am. If is unable to attend, makes sure to find out what happened.

Helps register new move-ins and 18 year-olds. Reports deaths and move-outs so rolls are accurate.

Distributes absentee ballots to students, elderly, people who travel. Contacts those who need a ride.

Is active in community and neighborhood. Attends school board a/o commissioner meetings so is informed about our government. Reads Ambler Gazette and Inquirer. Keeps up with events in DC, Harrisburg, Montco and UD. Is a political resource for those in precinct -- a local public figure.

Volunteers to help local party with fundraising, communication, petitions, phone banks, candidate recruitment.

Distributes literature in precinct, knocks doors, distributes yard signs, collects emails. Helps UD officials stay in touch with their voters.

Attends events around the community and county to support candidates and party. Montco Dems have at least 3 events per year as fundraisers and opportunities to meet candidates and officials: Golf Outing is August. Before both elections there are cocktails and dinner for 400 county Dems. Attending is fun and informative.

Is in touch with inside poll workers to assure poll is staffed. Keeps ear to ground to hear what's going on at poll. No one should be unhappy with facility and treatment when voting.

Speaks up at meeting to inform others of issues and to ask questions. Suggests improvements! Change is good.

Uses social media to support party and candidates and promote favorable ideas. Writes blogs, comments, letters to editor.

Answers emails and phone calls from constituents. Ideally sets up block captains within his/her territory so GOTV job is manageable.

Joins other political organizations and volunteers outside UD to make sure Democrats up and down the ticket are elected. Acts as go-between between UD to elsewhere.