### FIRST DISTRICT DEMOCRATS MISSION STATEMENT

The First District Democrats is a volunteer-based organization located in King and Snohomish counties.

We are dedicated to increasing political participation and civic engagement through:

- Educating voters and fellow citizens
- Serving our community
- Supporting leaders who share our values
- Effecting change through grassroots organizing

#### We Support:

- **E** Environment
- Q Quality, Free Education
- U Unions
- A Affordable Housing
- **L** − Living Wage
- R Road & Infrastructure
- I Immigration
- **G** Gender Parity
- H Healthcare
- T Tax Reform
- **S** Safety

Please join us at our General Meetings every 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month!

Date changes for general meetings are rare but do happen on occasion. Please check the **calendar** to keep up to date!

All meetings start at 7PM via Zoom. A link to register for the zoom will be sent to your email days before the meeting.

### 1<sup>st</sup> Legislative District of Washington

1st of 49 total Legislative Districts in WA State

One State Senator, two State Representatives

Major cities in the 1st LD:

Bothell, Brier, Lake Forest Park, Kenmore, Kirkland (partial), Woodinville

### **Key Functions of the District**

- ▶ Membership endorses candidates to all levels of executive, legislative and judicial office within 1st LD territory.
  - ► Partisan and non-partisan offices
- ► For Primary and General elections, messages and ads for endorsed candidates are compiled in a walk-piece, delivered door-to-door in each precinct by PCO's and volunteers.
- ► Mid-July Primary Election Day
- ► Mid-October General Election Day
- ▶ Since COVID we've ramped up phone banking and postcards/mailings as an additional outreach method.
- ► Committees guide the work of the LD, enhancing community engagement, representing the 1st to other organizations, keep the LD organized, and marshal resources.



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### **Standing Committees of the First LD**

- Communications & Technology
  Email Communications Committee Chair
- <u>Diversity</u>, <u>Equity</u>, <u>and Inclusion</u>
  Email DEI Committee Chair
- <u>Elections</u>
  <u>Email Elections Committee Chair</u>
- <u>Issues</u>
  <u>Email Issues Committee Chair</u>
- Membership
  Email Membership Committee Chair
- PCO Committee
  Email PCO Committee Chair

All paid members and current PCO's can attend and participate at any committee meeting.

Check our First LD Calendar (<u>Event Calendar | First District</u> <u>Democrats (1stlddems.org)</u>) to find the committee meetings dates. Send an email to the chair for the Zoom meeting links.



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## **Our Elected Representatives**



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**State Representative Pos. 2** 

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### **Our Standing Rules and Bylaws**

Bylaws 2023-2024 (Approved Jan. 11, 2023)

Standing Rules 2023-2024 (Approved Jan. 25, 2023)

To conserve paper and ensure access to the most recently updated standing rules and bylaws, we encourage all membership to maintain digital copies.

Paper copies are available on request.

Thank you for participating in the democratic process!