**Wilton DTC Caucus Minutes**

**January 16, 2018**

Comstock Community Center

Call to Order: 8:10 call to order by Tom Dubin, Acting Chair; Minutes taken by Ross Tartell.

Attendance – taken at the door

Deborah McFadden, Temporary Chair of the Caucus, called the Caucus to order at 8:10 PM

Jackie Kremer was nominated by Deborah McFadden as the Temporary Secretary and read the Notice of Democratic Caucus. She noted that this caucus was rescheduled from the original date of January 9, 2018.

Deborah then called for the election of the permanent Chair. Tom Dubin was nominated and the vote was unanimous to approve him as the permanent chair.

There were registered Democrats in the room and some additional visitors.

Tom Dubin then nominated Ross Tartell as Permanent Secretary. The vote was unanimous for approval.

Tom Dubin then set the ground rules for running the caucus. The caucus will use Robert’s Rules of Orders to run the meeting. He also noted that at the caucus the participants will endorse the candidates. Following the nominations, there will be an opportunity, by those who were not nominated, and desired to hold office, to have a primary. In order to have a primary, the DTC must be notified by 1/31/2018. Without a primary each DTC member will hold office for two years. In addition, Mr. Dubin reviewed the materials on candidate information and DTC purpose.

Voting on the slate of candidates. Before voting on the slate Alison Mark introduced herself as a candidate for the DTC. Also, Tracy Murray introduced herself as a candidate for the DTC. Ted Hoffstatter nominated Max Fanwick to be a member of the DTC. All three individuals were included in the slate of candidates.

The following candidates were placed into nomination:

Tom Dubin

Richard Creeth

Peter Squitieri

Diane Martucci

Ross Tartell

Bob Carney

Ernest G. Ricco

Charles B. Lewis

Leslie Holmes

Thomas Burgess

Paul Burnham

Max Fanwick

Patti Frisch

Ken Hoffman

Ted Hoffstatter

Florence Johnson

John Kalamarides

Jackie Kremer

Alison Mark

Deborah McFadden

Jeffrey Miller

Tracy Murray

Richard Ricco

Valerie Rosenson

Victoria Rossi

Bob Sabo

Laura Schwemm

Peter Squitieri

Hermon Telyan

Daniel Troph

Steven Wall

Brad Williams

Tom Dubin proposed a slate vote for the 31 candidates for the DTC. Deborah McFadden moved to accept the slate by acclimation. The slated was approved unanimously by acclimation

Motion to adjourn – Unanimously approved 8:30 PM