

FCDC 2010-2011 Biennial Membership Application Form

FCDC Membership dues are \$75. To apply for membership, please fill in this form and send it with your payment (check or credit card information) to your District Chair. For your District Chair's address, call FCDC at 703-573-6811. Your membership application needs to be approved by your District and by the Fairfax County Democratic Committee. Should your application not be approved, your dues payment will be refunded.

Fields designated with an asterisk are required

Member and Payment Information

*Name _____
*Address _____
*City/State _____ Zip _____
Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Cell Phone _____
E-Mail _____
*Occupation _____ *Employer _____
*Employer's City and State _____
Supervisor District _____ Precinct Name _____ Precinct Number _____
Congressional District _____ State Senate District _____ House of Delegates District _____
➔ **CHECK ENCLOSED** _____ ➔ **CHARGE MY CREDIT CARD** _____ ➔ **FILING FEE WAIVED** _____
Card Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____
Signature: _____ Date: _____

Note: For the Filing Fee to be waived, the applicant and the District Chair must sign a "Statement of Inability to Pay" which must be attached to this membership application form.)

Membership Agreement and FCDC Approval

"It shall be the duty of every local Committee, as well as each officer and member thereof, to seek the registration of voters, to perfect the Democratic organization within the county or city, and to do all within their power to aid in the victory of the Democratic Party's nominees in all elections, except as otherwise provided in Section 10.9." (Section 8.8)

"No Democratic Committee member or officer of any Democratic Committee shall publicly support, endorse or assist any candidate opposed to a Democratic nominee. In the event any Democratic committee member or officer of any Democratic Committee shall undertake such public activity, the appropriate Democratic committee shall remove said person from office. Such action shall not be taken without at least ten (10) days written notice to the accused member and an opportunity for him or her to refute such charges. In the event that no action is taken against such a person, the district committee shall initiate the necessary action. The Steering Committee may take further action within thirty (30) days after the receipt of a written complaint by any member of the Democratic Party in relation to such matters." (Section 10.8)

I have read the section of the Party Plan printed above and understand that as a Committee member I will be called upon to work for all nominees of the Democratic Party. I understand further that supporting the Party's nominees includes such activities as precinct work, and maintaining and updating voter records.



Signature _____ **Date** _____

PRECINCT NUMBER _____ **AT LARGE** _____ (consult with District Chair to determine which)

DISTRICT COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION _____ **FCDC CONFIRMATION** _____

Your contribution may be used in connection with federal elections and is subject to the limitations and prohibitions of the Federal Election Campaign Act. Federal law requires FCDC to use its best efforts to collect and report the name, address, occupation, employer, and location of employment for individuals who contribute \$200 or more in a calendar year. Other contributions will be deposited into the FCDC non-federal account. Virginia law requires political committees to report the name, mailing address, occupation employer and location of employment for individuals whose contributions aggregate in excess of \$100 in a calendar year.

Contributions are not tax deductible for federal income tax purposes.

This solicitation is authorized and paid for by the Fairfax County Democratic Committee,
Mary Ann Hovis, Chair www.FairfaxDemocrats.org

Member Engagement Checklist

Effective organizations don't just happen; they are built with intention and purpose. Our goal is to build the most effective Fairfax County Democratic Committee possible by capitalizing on the skills and interests of our members and sharing responsibility among all members. Please help us engage you as a Committee Member in the most effective way possible by identifying your **top** interests from the list below:

- Door-to-Door Canvassing (to ID Dem voters; on behalf of a candidate)
- Making phone calls to Committee members or volunteers
- Volunteering at the polls on Election Day
- Hosting an event at my home
- Administrative assistance (data entry; stuffing envelopes)
- Distributing yard signs
- Delivering literature pieces in your neighborhood
- Fundraising (soliciting donors; hosting events; personal contributions)
- Organizing Events (socials; fundraisers; candidate meet & greets)
- Coordinating volunteers for projects
- Technology (website design/maintenance; database management)
- Communications (newsletter articles; info pieces; talking points)
- Diversity Outreach
- Young Dem Outreach (high school; college; young professionals)
- Community Visibility (Farmers Markets; local events/festivals)
- Precinct Building (developing volunteers and leaders in your precinct)

Additional ways you would like to be engaged as a Committee Member, or other things we should know:

Much of our communications to Committee Members takes place via email. Do you regularly check your email, or is there a better way to reach you?
