



“Unions and our progressive allies rebuilt the blue wall in Michigan and defeated Trump. The **Labor Unity Slate** has the support of labor unions and progressive organizations across Michigan because **we know this team will carry us to further success in 2022 and beyond.**”

**Ron Bieber**  
*President, Michigan AFL-CIO*

**Paula Herbart**  
*President, MEA*

MDP VOTING STATUS:

**ELIGIBLE TO VOTE**

On **February 20, 2021** the **Michigan Democratic Party** will host a **virtual convention** to elect new leadership including: a Chair, 1st Vice Chair, 2nd Vice Chair, and members of the State Central Committee. Leadership in the Congressional District Committees will also be elected.

This is an opportunity to elect pro-labor, progressive leaders who will ensure the MDP builds the strategy, resources and talent necessary for successes in 2022 and beyond.



The **Labor Unity Slate** is backed by leaders at some of Michigan's major progressive organizations and largest unions:



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## 1st Vice Chair: Mark LaChey



## 2nd Vice Chair: Fay Beydoun

## Your Congressional District Endorsements\*

### CHAIR: Allison Young

#### State Central Male Delegates:

Tony Tollefson  
Chris Cracchiolo  
Thomas Stephens II  
Geno Alessandrini  
Andy Neumann  
Robert Niemi

#### State Central Male Alternates:

Gordy Bourland  
Bob Spencer  
Chris Wagner  
Larry Milligan  
Jason Chapman

### VICE CHAIR: Robert Kennedy

#### State Central Female Delegates:

Mari Negro  
Betsy Bennett  
Carolyn Bourland  
Elaine Miller  
Christine Khan-King

#### State Central Female Alternates:

Susan Tollefson  
Connie Boylan  
Carol Moore  
Constance Valente  
Nancy Coscarelli  
Allison Young

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### CHAIR: Jason Colella

#### State Central Male Delegates:

Tim Smith  
Jason Colella  
Will Snyder  
Dallas Dean  
Mark Everhart

#### State Central Male Alternates:

John Mierz  
Joseph McClusky  
Jerry McDowell  
Jeremy Roomsburg  
Kenneth Mahoney  
Jeff Beegle

### VICE CHAIR: Donna Secor Pennington

#### State Central Female Delegates:

Robin Aslakson  
Sandy Smith  
Angie Prescott  
Phyllis Loudermill-Watson  
Jan Gwasdacus  
Pam Degryse

#### State Central Female Alternates:

Mary Minnick  
Bridget Fox  
Kim Nagy  
Liddy Olszewski  
Sue Federico

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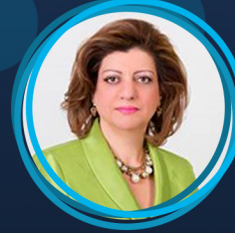


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#### State Central Male Delegates:

Neville Mark  
Blake Mazurek  
Jon Byrd  
Stephen Draft-Peppin  
Joseph "Jeff" Pietrowski  
James Haadsma

#### State Central Male Alternates:

Fred Overeem  
Nelson Brown  
Rob Lyerla  
Brian Bosak  
Bob Smith

### VICE CHAIR: Beth Kelly

#### State Central Female Delegates:

Lynn Mason  
Wendy Winston  
Christine Kosmowski  
Mary Bouwense  
Sonia Riley

#### State Central Female Alternates:

Deb Havens  
Susan Hoppough  
Capalene Howse  
Beth Kelly  
Olivia Bennett  
Eleanor Moreno

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#### State Central Male Delegates:

Steve Lamb  
Scott Zuckschwerdt  
Lance Little  
Eric Schlenkermann

#### State Central Male Alternates:

John Michalec  
Armando Ramos  
John Pakledinaz  
Francis Spaniola  
Bryan Mielke

### VICE CHAIR: Steve Lamb

#### State Central Female Delegates:

Carolyn Ross  
Dawn Levey  
Tamara Lewis  
Amy Urbanowski-Nowak  
Bonnie Lauria

#### State Central Female Alternates:

Carol Spaniola  
Recia Crawford  
Jill Maxwell  
Joan Brauch

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### CHAIR: Art Reyes

#### State Central Male Delegates:

Steve Dawes  
Brent Pilarski  
Larry Roehrig  
Frank Burger  
Scott Birdsall  
Jim Smith

#### State Central Male Alternates:

Don Tilley  
Jessie Collins  
Louis Rocha  
Michael Budda  
Dave Griffel  
Charles "Chuck" Miller

### VICE CHAIR: Christina Sarazin

#### State Central Female Delegates:

Shane Dawes  
Tina Sarazin  
Rita Vater Darnton  
Rosa Holiday  
Geraldine Hall  
Sharon Reeves

#### State Central Female Alternates:

Jenifer Almassy  
Bobby Walton  
Tracy Carlton  
Regina Strahan  
Gail Schmidt  
Catherine Frederick

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### CHAIR: Elanor Riley

### VICE CHAIR: Mark Miller

#### State Central Male Delegates:

Mark Miller  
Arlandar Washington  
Mark Hill  
Rick Catherman  
Ken Willcutt  
Mark Ludwig

#### State Central Male Alternates:

Brian O'Donnell  
Andrew George  
Eddie LaBouf  
Eric Lester  
Mike Saenz

#### State Central Female Delegates:

Elanor Riley  
Mary Ann Crete  
Melissa Clapper  
Mariah Phelps  
Audrey Lester

#### State Central Female Alternates:

Annie Brown  
Millie Lambert  
Doreen Gardner  
Amy Scrima  
Jill Dunham  
Barb Hammon

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### CHAIR: Conner Wood

#### State Central Male Delegates:

Derek Dobies  
Mike Hayter  
Robert Turner  
Chris Savage  
Pat Ulanowicz

#### State Central Male Alternates:

Ruben Marquez  
James Johnson  
Glen Freeman  
Eric Minore  
Rob Kull

### VICE CHAIR: Denise Jennings

#### State Central Female Delegates:

Leigh Kegerreis  
Pamela Schultz  
Denisie Jennings  
Maryann Neopolitan  
Terri McKinnon

#### State Central Female Alternates:

Kelsey Heck Wood  
Amber Pedersen  
Jennifer Fairfield  
Karyl Baker  
Juanita Kelley

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### CHAIR: Thomas Morgan

#### State Central Male Delegates:

Melvin Coleman  
James Harris  
Jeremy Garza  
Gerald Lang  
Dane Morris  
Phil Reid

#### State Central Male Alternates:

Joe Carney  
Ted Lawson  
Paul Torrente  
Adam Smiddy  
Alex Zurek  
Mike Huerta  
Wyatt Ludman

### VICE CHAIR: Kathy Carney

#### State Central Female Delegates:

Sigrid Grace  
Jeanette DiFlorio  
Veronica Johnson  
Melanie Hartman  
Judy Daubenmier  
T'alyce Murray  
Winnie Motherwell

#### State Central Female Alternates:

Maria Enriquez  
Ragen Lake  
Sandy Zerkle  
Eileen Nolton  
Jody Lamacchia  
Cathy Bacile Cunningham

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#### State Central Male Delegates:

Frank Stuglin  
David Hecker  
Jonathan Fielbrandt  
Jaron Garza  
Nick Ciaramitaro  
Arvind Reddy  
Warren Danford

#### State Central Male Alternates:

Barry Lepler  
Jim Carlone  
Eric Rader  
Joel Rutherford  
Robert Roscoe  
William Asher  
Vaughn Derderian

### VICE CHAIR: Melody Magee

#### State Central Female Delegates:

Eliza Parkinson  
Tiffany Rice  
Sharrae King-Reeves  
Jessica Lumbreras  
Elizabeth Pyden  
Alysa Diebolt  
Kris McLonis

#### State Central Female Alternates:

Heather Schulz  
Lawanda Turner  
Peggy Ciaramitaro  
Debbie Rosenman  
Sharon Baseman  
Carole Chi  
Lisa Canada

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#### State Central Male Delegates:

Reginald Griffin  
Brian Negovan  
Kevin Marvin  
Joel Archibald  
Jason Craig

#### State Central Male Alternates:

Bill McGlynn  
Ryan Johnson  
Gary Cynowa  
Jon DeRoo

### VICE CHAIR: Elizabeth Weisenbach

#### State Central Female Delegates:

Rachael Dickinson  
Elizabeth Weisenbach  
Susan Alderman  
Kathy Trongo

#### State Central Female Alternates:

Pamela Kellar  
Debbie Bourgois  
Felicia Hicks  
Terrie Campbell  
Clarice Squillace

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Edward Honsinger  
Kent Douglas  
Anthony Grillo  
Dennis Nazelli  
Randolph Ston  
Percy Johnson  
Bill Helwig

#### State Central Male Alternates:

Carlos Cross  
Ahmed Wahby  
John Erich  
Jim Gualdoni  
John Paul Torres  
Arif Mahmoud  
Jerry Carson  
Al Owski

### VICE CHAIR: Louise Weller

#### State Central Female Delegates:

Lisa DiRado  
Carla Meier  
Linda Furlough  
Brittany Pinnock  
Rashon Byrd  
Susan Erich  
Louise Weller  
Karen Zyczynski

#### State Central Female Alternates:

Karen Adams  
Maria Marcotte  
Renay Weiss-Stansell  
Susan Nichols  
Kate Shishkovsky  
Christine Ingles  
Sarah May Seward

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Charles Browning  
Steven Rzeppa  
Michael Koen  
Michael Aaron  
Sami Khaldi  
Jimmie Wilson  
Adam Zemke  
Brian Mosallam

#### State Central Male Alternates:

Jason Behr  
Walid Fidama  
David Haener  
Jelani McGadney  
Rod Casey  
Robert Joerg  
Jason Morgan

### VICE CHAIR:

#### State Central Female Delegates:

Debbie Chamberlain  
Dora Rodriguez  
Patricia Scribner  
Mary Hall-Thiam  
Deb Blair-Krosnicki  
Mikyia Aaron  
Monica Ross-Williams

### Brenda McKinney Steven Rzeppa

#### State Central Female Alternates:

Oma Jean Pittman  
Julie Bauman  
Terree O'Niel Darling  
Lois Richardson  
Rachel Hess  
Sue Shink  
Sahar Khaldi  
Tajalli Hodge

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### CHAIR: Jonathan Kinloch

#### State Central Male Delegates:

Allen Wilson  
Kenneth Henney  
Terrence Martin  
Nabil Leach  
Donald Mongrain  
Chris McClain  
Jermaine Harris

#### State Central Male Alternates:

Mennen Gibbs  
Assad Turfe  
Donald Stuckey  
Carnel Mickey  
Dion Williams  
Keith Johnson  
Delorean Holmes

### VICE CHAIR: Denise Thomas

#### State Central Female Delegates:

Diane McMillan  
Norma McDaniel  
Samaritan Harvey-Tyler  
Eula Murray  
Lorna Davison  
Valerie Glenn  
Andrea Hunter

#### State Central Female Alternates:

Javonna Atkins  
Diana Stewart  
Lori Wilson  
Alexis Ramsey  
Jenell Mansfield  
Lagina Washington  
Elisa Malile

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Sammy Wright  
Gary Bresnehan  
Steve Reifman  
Joe Person  
Dennis Bryant  
Kenneth Ferguson  
Alex Meyers  
Keith McClellan

#### State Central Male Alternates:

Ray Solomon  
James Mitchell  
Alan Shaw  
Darryl Conliffe  
Colton Dale  
Mike Kerwin  
MD Alam  
Dan Quinn  
Ric Press

### VICE CHAIR: Charlene Yarborough

#### State Central Female Delegates:

Carol Weaver  
Jackie Kalogerakos  
Yvonne Cash  
Laura Dickerson  
Sandra-Tene Ramsey  
Mary Waters  
Dorothy Burrell  
Ulanda Caldwell  
Cynthia Thornton

#### State Central Female Alternates:

Wanda Anderson  
Gloria Harsten-Spann  
Sharon Kelly-Person  
Nikhol Atkins  
Kelly Garrett  
Regina Favors  
Robin Ward Jennings  
Robyn Price

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