

# 2024 PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE CANDIDATE SELECTION COMMITTEE

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MADISON, WISCONSIN

JANUARY 2, 2024

## MINUTES

The meeting of the 2024 Presidential Preference Candidate Selection Committee was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by Robert Kehoe, Deputy Administrator of the Wisconsin Elections Commission (WEC).

Roll call was taken by Deputy Administrator Robert Kehoe and recorded as follows:

### Members Present:

Ben Wikler, Chairperson of the Democratic Party of Wisconsin  
Brian Schimming, Chairperson of the Republican Party of Wisconsin  
Senator Chris Kapenga, President of the Senate  
Senator Dianne Hesselbein, Minority Leader of the Senate  
Representative Scott Krug, Designee of the Assembly Speaker  
Representative Greta Neubauer, Assembly Minority Leader  
Henry Pahlow, Democratic National Committeeman  
Martha Love, Democratic National Committeewoman  
Kim Babler, Republican National Committeeman  
Hannah Testin, Republican National Committeewoman

A motion was made by Senator Hesselbein to select Bob Lang as Chairperson of the 2024 Presidential Preference Selection Committee. The motion was seconded by Senator Kapenga. The motion carried unanimously on a roll call vote.

Mr. Lang assumed the role of Committee Chairperson.

Chairperson Lang briefly described the contents of the committee packets, which included:

- Meeting agenda,
- Wisconsin Statute 8.12 describing the statutory duties of the Presidential Preference Committee
- List of committee members

Chairperson Lang entertained a motion to accept the meeting agenda without change. A motion was made by Senator Kapenga to accept the proposed meeting agenda without change. The motion was seconded by Senator Hesselbein. The motion carried unanimously on a voice vote.

Chairperson Lang asked the committee members if a short recess was required in order to caucus. Both parties indicated no recess was necessary and both parties reported they were prepared to submit their respective list of candidates. Chairperson Lang then asked the parties to submit their lists to him.

The Republican Party submitted the following six names to be listed on the Republican ballot:

Chris Christie	Asa Hutchinson
Ron DeSantis	Vivek Ramaswamy
Nikki Haley	Donald Trump

The Democratic Party submitted one name to be listed on the Democratic ballot:

Joe Biden

Chairperson Lang asked the committee members if there were any changes to the proposed candidates. No committee members indicated there were any changes to the lists.

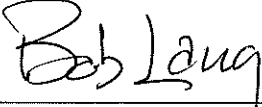
Chairperson Lang asked for a motion to accept the lists from the Republican Party and the Democratic Party. A motion was made by Representative Krug and seconded by Representative Neubauer. The motion was carried unanimously on a voice vote.

Chairperson Lang asked for a motion authorizing him to review and approve the minutes of the meeting and sign the certification of candidates selected by the Committee and submitted to the WEC. A motion was made by Chairman Schimming and seconded by Committee Member Pahlow. The motion was carried unanimously on a voice vote.

10:05 a.m.: A motion to adjourn was made by Representative Neubauer and seconded by Committee Member Testin. The motion carried unanimously on a voice vote.

Minutes Prepared by: Riley Willman  
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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

  
Bob Lang, Chairperson  
Presidential Preference Selection Committee

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