



**WESTERN MONTANA  
DEMOCRATIC SOCIALISTS OF AMERICA**

**Business Meeting Agenda - DRAFT**

**January 14, 2023 10:00 - 11:30 am**

**Missoula Public Library Blackfoot Room and on Zoom**

- **Openings (15 min)**
  - Native Land opening - Sarah
  - Zoom setup/moderator - Robbie
  - Introductions: Name, Pronouns, and Question: "How many screens do you have?"
  - Community Agreements for Respectful Discussion (brief) (Tony)
  - Rotating Roles: facilitator – Sandy , time – Robbie, stack – Mark, notetaker – Sarah
  - Agenda: additions and approval -- Meeting Minutes: correction and approval
  - Treasurer's Report (Sarah)
- **Working Group Reports (30 min)**
  - Ecosocialists (Sarah)
  - Common Good Missoula (John)
  - Editorial (Robbie)
  - RJWG/Legislative Action (Sandy)
  - Labor (Mark/Jackie/Wren/Jeff)
- **Nominations Committee Approval: Jackie, Mark, Sandy (10 min)**
  - Steering Committee Open for nominations
- **Approve delegates to MT DSA Legislative Action (5 mins)**
- **Chapter General Election: March 4 (5 min)**
  - March 4: Elections, Budget setting for the year
  - Library is reserved for 3 hours, could look into Common good + potluck/games
  - Help needed: Prep OpaVote, turnout crew
- **Land Acknowledgement Discussion (15 min)**
- **Announcements (10 mins)**
  - Organizing For Power Workshop
  - Bylaw amendment committee
  - Chapter Instagram Account – continue to contribute
- **Newsletter(1min)**
  - Newsletter submissions – by Wednesday Jan 25
- **Regional and National DSA (1 min)**
  - Regional leadership meeting w/Hayley Banyai-Becker –
- **Media (2 min)**
  - "Voice of the People: Radio by & for the 99%" radio show, Saturdays 1-3 pm, KFGM 101.5 FM, 1015kfgm.org, or podcast on <https://anchor.fm/vop-montana>
  - Montana DSA has a podcast! <https://anchor.fm/montana-dsa>