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"Prosecutors tend to avoid scrutiny so it's genuinely hard to be called out on your bad behavior by your state supreme court, a federal appellate court, the Commercial Appeal, the New York Times, and Harvard Law School, but Amy Weirich managed to do it."

- Alex Bassos, Sr. Advisor to Memphis Watch, as quoted in Commercial Appeal, 10/6/21

MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27, 6:30 PM *ZOOM MEETING* OUR DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES FOR GOVERNOR

We have invited each of the four announced candidates for the 2022 Democratic nomination for governor. Each will be given a set time to speak, followed by a brief Q&A.

WEDNESDAY, NOV 17, 6:30 PM *ZOOM MEETING* SCDP CHAIR GABBY SALINAS

Newly elected chair of the Shelby County Democratic Party Gabby Salinas will be with us to share her vision for the party.

DECEMBER – GDC OFFICERS ELECTION

In late November or early December ballots will be mailed out for the biannual election of officers of the Germantown Democratic Club. If you wish to run for one of these offices (see column at left), please contact Dave Cambron at 901-830-3283, so that your name can be put on the ballot. The ballots will be sent to contributing members.

IN-PERSON MEETINGS

It is our sincere hope that we will be able to return to in-person meetings in 2022. We are, however, going to retain our Zoom subscription, because it gives us the option to have guests from across the state, or even across the country, thereby giving us greater flexibility.

2022 ELECTIONS AND IMPORTANT DATES

The following information has been condensed from the Shelby County Election Commission website, shelbyvote.com. Please refer to the website if you require additional information. Please remember that your districts may change when the redistricting is completed.

SHELBY COUNTY PRIMARY ELECTION: MAY 3, 2022

District Attorney General, Shelby County Mayor, Shelby County Commissioner Districts 1-13, Assessor of Property, County Trustee, Sheriff, Circuit Court Clerk, Criminal Court Clerk, Juvenile Court Clerk, Probate Court Clerk, County Clerk, Register of Deeds

First Day to Pick up Petitions	Monday, December 20, 2021 (could be delayed due to re-districting)
First Day for Absentee Request	Wednesday, February 2, 2022
Qualifying Deadline	Thursday, February 17, 2022, 12:00 Noon
Withdrawal Deadline	Thursday, February 24, 2022
Voter Registration Deadline	Monday, April 4, 2022
First Day of Early Voting	Wednesday, April 13, 2022
Last Day for Absentee Request	Tuesday, April 26, 2022
Last Day of Early Voting	Thursday, April 28, 2022
Election Day	Tuesday, May 3, 2022

COUNTY GENERAL ELECTION, STATE PRIMARY ELECTION: AUGUST 4, 2022

In addition to the above races, all the county judicial races will be on the August 4 ballot, several SCS school board positions, and a City of Memphis Special Election for Municipal Court Judge. The federal and state races will be for all US House seats, all State House seats, the odd numbered State Senate seats (29,31,33), all state party committee members, and State Court judicial retention questions.

First Day to Pick up Petitions	Monday, February 7, 2022 (for local races, this applies to the non-partisan offices that were not on the primary ballot)
Qualifying Deadline	Thursday, April 7, 2022, 12:00 Noon (Independent Candidates must qualify by Apr 7, even though they will not be on the ballot until
	November.)
Withdrawal Deadline	Thursday, April 14, 2022
First Day for Absentee Request	Friday, May 6, 2022
Voter Registration Deadline	Tuesday, July 5, 2022
First Day of Early Voting	Friday, July 15, 2022
Last Day for Absentee Request	Thursday, July 28, 2022
Last Day of Early Voting	Saturday, July 30, 2022
Election Day	Thursday, August 4, 2022

STATE GENERAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 8, 2022