

## JOIN THE CLUB!

If you are a registered Democrat in the 14th Ward and would like to participate in our forums and vote in our pre-primary Endorsement Election, or if you just support our efforts, become a member of the Club. The Club is not an official Democratic Party organization.

<http://pgh14widc.org>

\_\_\_ Individual annual membership \$15

\_\_\_ Family annual membership \$25

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## 2018 ENDORSED CANDIDATES



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save this and take it to the polls on May 15 for reference.**

## 14th Ward Independent Democratic Club 2018 ENDORSED CANDIDATES

U.S. Senate  
**Bob Casey, Jr.**

U.S. House of Representatives, new 18<sup>th</sup> District  
**Mike Doyle**

PA Governor  
**Tom Wolf**

PA Lieutenant Governor  
**Nina Ahmad**

PA House of Representatives, District 23  
**Dan Frankel**

PA House of Representatives, District 24  
**Ed Gainey**

PA House of Representatives, District 34  
**Summer Lee**

PA State Democratic Committee, District 43  
**Jessel Costa**

**Barbara Ernsberger**

**Abigail Gardner**

**Ryan Herbinko**

**Marvin Leibowitz**

**Jessica McCurdy**

**Caroline Mitchell**

**Ryan Morden**

**Judy O'Connor**

## Summer Lee for State Rep District 34

Summer Lee, attorney, is a native of District 34. She has a track record of fighting for social justice and civil rights: she fought for workers' rights as an organizer for the Fight for \$15, which advocates for \$15/hour minimum wage and a union for fast food workers. She also helped bring much-needed change to Woodland Hills School District when the school board failed to take action in the face of repeated violence against students. Currently, she serves on the Woodland Hills Commission on Youth Development and Learning.

Summer supports raising the minimum wage, single-payer healthcare, equitable funding for schools, ending mass incarceration, and a moratorium on fracking.

[www.summerforpa.com](http://www.summerforpa.com)  
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## Club Constitution and By-Laws Amendments Approved

The approved amendments include:  
Adding a new conflict of interest policy for board members.  
Clarifying who is eligible to vote for candidate endorsements, board positions, other matters where "voting members" vote.  
Adding a 3rd Vice-President to chair the Fundraising Committee which includes organizing the annual spring fundraiser.  
And other matters where board members vote.

Find your polling place at:  
[apps.county.allegheny.pa.us/VoteDistricts/Lookup.aspx](https://apps.county.allegheny.pa.us/VoteDistricts/Lookup.aspx)

## Nina Ahmad for Lt. Governor

Nina Ahmad is running for Lieutenant Governor to restore integrity to the office and to be the progressive voice that Pennsylvania needs. She earned her Ph.D. from the University of Pennsylvania, and has achieved success as a molecular biologist. As a scientist, Nina believes that data-driven, evidence-based policy is key to driving the best outcomes for our country and for our state. She believes deeply in her plans for progressive change in Pennsylvania, including universal health care, a moratorium on fracking, and debt-free college.

As a public servant, Nina Ahmad has served as Deputy Mayor for Public Engagement under Philadelphia Mayor Jim Kenney, and served on President Obama's Advisory Commission on Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders and on Mayor Nutter's Commission on Asian American Affairs.

Nina Ahmad has the experience and values to be Lt. Governor, and to be a progressive voice in Harrisburg.

<https://ninaforpa.com/>  
<https://www.facebook.com/NinaforPA/>

**Tuesday - May 15th go to the polls and VOTE!**

## Bob Casey for U.S. Senate & Tom Wolf for PA Governor

**Bob Casey**, in his two terms in the U.S. Senate, has been a champion for Pennsylvania workers, seniors and middle class families. He's fought to expand access to affordable health care, increase investment in our schools and infrastructure, and eliminate obstacles that hold working families back. He's passed legislation to protect victims of sexual assault on college campuses, help Americans with disabilities save for their future, and combat discrimination. Casey has taken on the gun lobby, fought back against the Trump administration's harmful policies, and stood up to corporate special interests that stack the deck against the middle class. Bob Casey will never stop fighting for the idea that we are one American family where everyone deserves a fair shot.  
<https://bobcasey.com/>

**Governor Wolf** is fighting everyday to change Harrisburg. He has restored Gov. Corbett's billion dollar cut to schools, increased enrollment in early childhood programs, and expanded opportunities for career and technical education. He expanded access to health care for 720,000 people through Medicaid expansion and reduced our uninsured rate to its lowest point in history.

He increased opportunities for tens of thousands of seniors to age in their homes. He vetoed the most anti-choice bill in the country which criminalizes abortion and bans abortions after twenty weeks, leaving no exceptions for rape, incest, health or tragic fetal anomalies. He instituted online voter registration that has been used by more than one million people and expanded protections from discrimination for the LGBTQ community.  
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