



## [FM GOP] Campaign updates plus FMARC welcomes Erin Anderson discussion of property taxes

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***Reaching out to Republicans in Flower Mound and the rest of south central Denton County with information about meetings, events, and activities that may interest you; with an emphasis on meetings and activities hosted by Flower Mound Area Republican Club.....***

**We now have details for the Konni Burton block walk this Saturday.** It will start at 9:30 from Tarrant County GOP headquarters, located at 7524 Mosier View Court, #230, Fort Worth, TX 76118. The Facebook event notice is [here](#). To expedite getting the expected large number of volunteers out, the campaign asks that you register [here](#).

### **FMARC welcomes Erin Anderson with insight on property taxes - Tuesday, September 18, 2018**

Flower Mound Area Republican Club finally welcomes Erin Anderson, who has lately focused on property tax issues. We originally booked Erin as a speaker for True the Vote a few years ago, but that was postponed. Just as it was rescheduled, Erin left True the Vote for Empower Texans. That was good news twice as we welcomed Catherine Engelbrecht and Empower Texans added a great resource. As a bonus, she will have additional information on voter issues, as a follow up to last month's presentation by Aaron Harris. Between her time with True the Vote and Empower Texans, she has a lot of knowledge in these areas.

We cannot fix property taxes without clear knowledge of how they work, especially in school districts. Come learn about the property tax structure and the games and borderline electioneering employed by some entities. Given how increasing property taxes are driving us toward the poor house, we decided that hamburgers would be appropriate for the buffet. No worries though as they are really good, and the homemade chips are awesome.

On-line reservations are now open through the FMARC website link below. Reservations are not required to attend, but help us plan seating. Reservations are highly recommended by the Friday before if you plan to take advantage of the buffet, which varies monthly.

**Tuesday Evening, September 18**  
**6:00 Social Hour with Optional\* Hamburger Buffet**  
(Complimentary iced tea, water and coffee; plus cash bar available to all attendees.)  
**7:00 Call to Order**

**Bridlewood Golf Club**  
**4000 West Windsor Road, Flower Mound 75028**  
Casual, business, or FMARC attire

\* The buffet price is \$15.00 for adults and \$7.50 for students.

Please try to make your reservation [here](#) by noon Friday, September 14.

If you do not want to go through the website, you can email [rsvp@fmarc.us](mailto:rsvp@fmarc.us), but be sure to specify buffet or not. If you respond on Facebook and plan to eat, please be sure you also make a reservation through the website or email.

*Please note: FMARC is obligated to pay for reserved meals.*

*If you reserve a meal and find that you need to cancel, please email [rsvp@fmarc.us](mailto:rsvp@fmarc.us) by noon on Tuesday, September 18. Otherwise the club will expect reimbursement for unclaimed buffet reservations.*

## **Mark your calendar**

FMARC - Flower Mound Area Republican Club (Bridlewood Golf Club, [4000 West Windsor, Flower Mound](#))

DCRP - Denton County Republican Party

DCRA - Denton County Republican Assembly (Angelina's, 1400 N. Corinth St., Corinth)

LARC - Lewisville Area Republican Club (Landmark Grill, 1297 Justin Rd. (FM 407), Lewisville)

- Tuesday, September 4, 6:00 optional dinner / 6:30 meeting - DCRA hosts Aaron Harris
- Saturday, September 8, 8:00 am, DCRP "4 Corners Coffee" at Argyle City Hall, [308 Denton Street, E](#) [UPDATE]
- Saturday, September 8, 9:30 am, [see above] block walk for Konni Burton, SD10
- Saturday, September 15, 8:00 am, DCRP "4 Corners Coffee" at Fuzzy's Frisco, 285 Main Street {UPDATE}
- Saturday, September 15, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm - FMARC staffs DCRP booth at Duck Derby, Flower Mound Riverwalk
- Tuesday, September 18, 6:00 buffet & social / 7:00 meeting - FMARC - Erin Anderson, Empower Texans
- Thursday, September 20, 6:00 social / 7:00 meeting, Denton GOP Exec. Committee Meeting, Lakeland Baptist, Lewisville [NEW]
- Saturday, September 22, 9:00 am, Flower Mound block walks TBA
- Sunday, September 23, 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm - DCRP Rally for America, Doubletree Ranch Park, Highland Village
- Tuesday, September 25, 7:30 to 8:30 am, FMARC board meeting, First Watch
- Friday, September 28, 11:30 lunch / 12 noon meeting - LARC hosts Rafael Cruz
- Saturday, September 29, 9:00 am, Flower Mound block walks TBA
- Saturday, September 29, 8:00 am, DCRP "4 Corners Coffee" in Lewisville TBA
- Wednesday, October 3, 7:00 pm, candidate meet and greet, Lantana Golf Club
- Saturdays in October, 8:00 am, DCRP "4 Corners Coffee" TBA
- Saturdays in October, 9:00 am, Flower Mound block walks TBA
- Tuesday, October 16, 6:00 buffet & social / 7:00 meeting - Rafael Cruz at FMARC monthly meeting
- October 22 - November 2, Volunteers with canopies at early voting sites [NEW]
- Tuesday, October 23, 7:30 to 8:30 am, FMARC board meeting, First Watch
- Tuesday, November 6 - **KEEP TEXAS RED**
- Tuesday, November 13 (one week early), 6:00 buffet & social / 7:00 meeting - FMARC veterans program TBA and officer elections

For details on other Denton GOP events, please see <http://dentongop.org/events-calendar/> .

## **Precinct Chairmen Vacancies Effective June 11**

With some precinct chairmen choosing not to run again, a few precincts will be needing chairmen. Vacancies in our area include:

Flower Mound - 3024, 4025, and 4026

Lewisville (west side) - 3007, 3009, 3013, 3014, and 3015

Lewisville (east side) - 3020

Copper Canyon - 4020, and Lantana 4046

Note: Precincts with active applicants or under 500 voters not listed.

Applications can be made online [here](#).

## **Conservative gathering at Fuzzy's - every Thursday morning**

Going on more than three years now, the folks in the Facebook group Getting Real have been gathering at Fuzzy's in Flower Mound (FM 2499 - south of Dixon) every Thursday morning from 7:30 to 8:30 (or longer). This is not a club, and there is rarely a program - just a gathering on conservatives meeting for breakfast tacos, coffee, and conversations. Just show up when you can.

## **4 Corners Coffee**

Denton County Republican leaders are hosting 4 Corners Coffee, a series of Saturday morning coffees at various places around the county up to election day, with public and party officials. Here's hoping that attendees will go straight from the coffees to area block walking and other activities that may be scheduled.

## **Ted Cruz Yard Signs**

FMARC obtained Ted Cruz yard signs from a campaign-authorized provider. The club will have some available to attendees at monthly club meetings through October. Some were also used to respond to several requests that were made at the events on July 4. Reply to this email if you want a Ted Cruz yard sign. Please put Cruz Sign in subject line. Since FMARC paid for these signs, we respectfully request that placement be limited to the Flower Mound area.

## **Need Volunteers**

FMARC will attempt to have activities and/or campaign walks every Saturday morning from September 8 through November 3. This is ambitious, and success will depend on you. This includes the Duck Derby on September 15 and a possible voter registration event on September 22. Please try to block off Saturday mornings starting at 9:00 and watch for opportunities. We now know that there will be a huge get out the vote door hanger project, as well. To volunteer, send

email to [info@fmarc.us](mailto:info@fmarc.us) .

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