

## Libertarian Party of Oregon: Resolution 2024-01 – Establishing an Independent Judicial Committee

Whereas, political parties are no stranger to controversy and disputes in-good faith regarding procedure and governing documents may arise from time to time

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Whereas, the Libertarian Party of Oregon is determined to avoid the intra-party hostility and vitriol of years past and wishes to resolve disputes in a fair and just manner.

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Whereas, LPO bylaws do not presently provide for a neutral and objective body to resolve these disputes, instead leaving sole discretion to the Board of Directors with no other intra-party organ for members to appeal, increasing the chances of intervention in LPO affairs.

Therefore be it resolved, the Libertarian Party of Oregon's Board of Directors establishes a Judicial Committee, which shall be comprised of three LPO members whose term shall end concurrently with that of the LPO Board. The initial membership of this Judicial Committee shall be appointed by the LPO Board.

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Be it further resolved, that Judicial Committee members shall neither serve on the Board of Directors nor seek partisan office during their tenure, or else shall be considered to have automatically tendered their resignation.

and

Be it further resolved, that the Judicial Committee shall elect a Chair among themselves, shall fill their own vacancies arising after their initial appointments, shall establish rules of procedure for considering matters under their purview, shall have authority to hear appeals from LPO members of decisions of the LPO Board of Directors on matters of intra-party governance and procedure.

and

Be it finally resolved, that the Judicial Committee's decisions will be binding unless overturned by the LPO Board of Directors by 2/3rds vote.