

BENEFITS OF BECOMING A PRECINCT COMMITTEE PERSON:

1. **Stay in the loop** – you'll know what Democrats are doing and candidates they are supporting throughout Yavapai County.
2. **Connect with fellow-Democrats** – no more feeling alone in your views and values.
3. **Sharpen your leadership skills** – provide your neighborhood Dems with ways to take action and/or organize PCs as a Precinct Leader.
4. **Help formulate County strategy** - put your two cents in through your Precinct Leader or as an Officer of the Yavapai County Executive Committee.
5. **Have a voice in the Arizona State Democratic Party** - become a member of the Arizona State Committee and influence the ADP platform, resolutions and election of State officers.



BASICS OF BEING A PRECINCT COMMITTEE PERSON

Yavapai County Democratic Party

Inspire  Empower  Act

What is a Precinct Committee Person (PC)?

- PCs represent the Arizona Democratic Party at the precinct level*.
- PCs are the ground game of the Arizona Democratic Party.
- PCs play an important role in building the long-term infrastructure of the party from the grassroots up.

**There are 45 precincts in Yavapai County*

Who's eligible to be a PC?

- Any registered Democrat.

What are a PC's responsibilities?

- Keep in touch with your Precinct Leader.
- Attend gatherings with PCs and Dems
- Phone, leave literature, send postcards and/or promote voter registration.

How do I become a PC?

- You may be elected by attending a PC petition signing Party, held every two years.
- You may be appointed by contacting the YCDP Precinct Leadership Chair for an available spot in your precinct.

THINGS YOU HAVE IN COMMON WITH EVERY GREAT PC!

You have a life. You know your availability best. PCs should be able to set some time aside regularly for PC work – YOU'RE IN CHARGE OF YOUR TIME.

You want to stay safe. Due to the Covid-19 pandemic there will be NO DOOR-TO-DOOR CANVASSING for the foreseeable future.

Phone calling can be frustrating. Even wrong numbers and Do Not Call requests help improve our phone banking going forward. YOU'LL GET A SCRIPT FOR EVERY CALL, JUST LET US KNOW THE RESULT.

For more information, contact

2021 TIMELINE

JANUARY-FEBRUARY-MARCH

*Attend training and use
"Request to Speak"*

*Attend virtual meeting with
your Precinct Leader/fellow PCs*

APRIL-MAY-JUNE

*Attend virtual meeting with
your Precinct Leader/fellow PCs*

JULY-AUGUST-SEPTEMBER

Begin calling campaign to

- *Greet new Democrats*
- *Promote Permanent Early
Voting List (Vote by Mail)*

OCTOBER-NOVEMBER- DECEMBER

Continue PEVL outreach

*Attend virtual meeting with your
Precinct Leader/fellow PCs*

2021 STRATEGY

Vision #1 - Strong connections

In this year of Covid restrictions and continued turbulence in Washington D.C., one of the best things we can do is connect with, support and encourage one another. By forming PC-to-PC relationships, when the 2022 midterms roll around, we'll be primed to work together and elect Democrats.

Action Step: All PCs receive a list of fellow PCs in their precinct including contact information. Do you already know some of them? Who lives in your own neighborhood? Use the list to stay in touch and make new connections.

Vision #2 - Strong Precinct Leaders.

We need Precinct Leaders to get their PC's together (via Zoom or other online tool) several times this year. Whether it's a virtual cocktail party or a serious political discussion (or both!), let's get to know each other, share information, and be ready to take action together.

Action Step: Contact the YCDP Precinct Leadership coordinator at alexandrapiacenza@gmail.com to get more information about being a Precinct Leader.

Vision #3 - Strong voices

Civic Engagement Beyond Voting (CEBV) provides updates on legislation being proposed at the State Capital and the Democratic Party position on them. You can then input your comments to the State's Request to Speak program.

Action Step: Training is being scheduled on how to register with CEBV and enter your opinions online for submission the legislative committees considering the bills. Look for the announcements and sign up.

PC ACTIVITIES

****Canvass**

Phone Voters

Send Postcards

**Talk w/Friends &
Acquaintances**

***Until pandemic conditions end,
“contact-less” canvassing only*

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PC GOALS

Register Voters

Add Voters to PEVL**

Get Out the Vote

**Engage Neighbor-
hood Democrats**

***Permanent Early Voting List
(Vote by Mail)*

Go to <http://www.yavapai.us/gis/gis-mapping-applications> to:

- **See a map of all Yavapai County precincts** – Scroll down to Static PDF Maps and click on Election Precincts with Inset Map.
- **Find out what precinct you live in** – Under Mapping Applications, click on Election Vote Centers. Enter your address then click on the Elected Officials tab.
- **View a detailed map of your precinct** - Scroll down to Static PDF Maps and click on Election Precinct Atlas.