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NORWF President Letter**

President's Letter NORWF January 2026

Welcome to a new year of making a difference!

As we look back on two decades of dedication and achievement, it is inspiring to see how far our organization has come. The commitment and leadership of our founding members have been instrumental in shaping Northwest Orange Republican Women Federation's (NORWF) legacy and its ongoing success. as we celebrate the 20th anniversary of the founding of NORWF. We are so fortunate to have two active and engaged founding members as we plan for 2026. Carolyn Booth is our First Vice President and Marty Harrison is our Chairperson for Scholarships and Bylaws.

As we embark on this milestone year, I invite each of you to play a part in our continued growth\whether by joining a committee, sharing your ideas, volunteering at events, or supporting our mission in any way that fits your schedule. *NORWF's objective is to educate the community and help to promote Republican leaders on a local, statewide, and national level.* Together, let us make this 20th anniversary a celebration of our commitment to making a difference as valued members of NORWF. Please share any ideas/ recommendations that you have for me in my role as President. Do you have an expectation for me as President that is nor bring met or something I should be adding /doing as President?
Loretta.Forlaw@gmail.com

Make time for Joy!
I look forward to a great 2026!
Loretta Forlaw
President





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Northwest Orange Republican Women Federated (NORWF)

JANUARY 15TH MEETING JAMES T. FISHBACK

First meeting of 2026 ... Fresh Finance Outlook

Florida Updates



James T. Fishback is the Founder and CEO of Azoria, a free-thinking investment firm that manages "SPXM," an anti-DEI ETF investment fund. Prior to Azoria He is also the founder of Incubate Debate, a non-profit with a mission to challenge young Americans to debate. Incubate hosts no-cost, in-person tournaments for thousands of middle and high school students and equips teachers nationwide with a free toolkit to host in-class student debates tied directly to the curriculum. His work has earned praise from Vivek Ramaswamy, who said that James "is a major star in our pro-America movement," and Bari Weiss who said that what James has built at Incubate Debate "gives me hope."



Reservations: MARTY HARRISON: email MARTYAOIL.AOL.COM or call 407-493-0471.

COST: \$25 with reservations by Monday, 1/12 and \$30.00 thereafter

Mingle at 11:00 a.m. – Meeting at 11:30 a.m. Visit us at
<https://www.facebook.com/NORWFC> <https://www.norwf.org>



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GREAT INFORMATION SHARED BY JAMES FISHBACK

MEMBERSHIP: Newsletter: We are going back to following our guidelines for publishing. The 3rd of the month is deadline for submission to the newsletter. PLEASE this is your newsletter. Every officer, every committee member should be submitting updates, requests, and timely information pertaining to that committee. The 20th year should have something submitted every month. This is your newsletter! Every committee above has deadlines and guides the committee can use the newsletter to promote. If individual has something of great interest/heart issue they want submitted please submit! The new deadline date for submission Wednesday, January 8th. The newsletter always was sent before the meeting reason is part of the lateness but also deciding what everyone wants to see and read and more importantly WHAT NORWF needs educated on is totally YOU as membership needs to let me know. Communication is everything. Have idea for committee or speaker please let us know.

Charlotte

NOTE: ELECTIONS HELD AT THURSDAY MEETING (NOVEMBER): CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING NEW OFFICERS FOR 2025-2026 INSTALLED DECEMBER MEETING!

President	Loretta Forlaw
First Vice President	Carolyn Boothe with support by Charlotte White
Second Vice President	Katie Hope
Treasurer	Sue Dewbre
Recording Secretary	Paulette Chessa
Corresponding Secretary	Sandy Bove



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Please consider GETTING INVOLVED IN ONE OF THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEES.... PICK A PROJECT AND FURTHER OUR GROWTH, SUPPORT, AND EXCITEMENT.... WHAT TOUCHES YOUR HEART??

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| 1 | <u>Americanism</u> | 7 | <u>Federation Fund</u> |
| 2 | <u>Armed Services</u> | 8 | <u>Leadership Development</u> |
| 3 | <u>Awards</u> | 9 | <u>Legislation and Advocacy</u> |
| 4 | <u>Campaigns and Elections</u> | 10 | <u>Literacy and Education</u> |
| 5 | <u>Caring for America</u> | 11 | <u>Regents Program</u> |
| 6 | <u>Email Network</u> | | |

EVERY MEMBER HAS A GOD GIVEN GIFT HOW ARE YOU GOING TO USE YOURS THIS YEAR TO SUPPORT NORWF, LORETTA AND THE BOARD? BEAUTIFUL LADIES SERVING IS HOW WE BECAME 20 YEARS STRONG!!!

CONGRATULATIONS LORETTA FORLAW ON BEING APPOINTED BY FFRW AS THE STATE



COMMITTEE CHAIR FOR THE ARMED SERVICES! SO PROUD OF YOU LORETTA!!

ALSO, GONGRATULATIONS CHARLOTTE WHITE.... CHARLOTTE WAS INVITED TO RETURN FOR SECOND TERM ON THE NFRW CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE....



ALSO WAS ELECTED AS THE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE IN NOVEMBER AND IS NOW THE DISTRICT EXECUTIVE FOR THE STATE OF FLORIDA. THE TERRITORY FOR THIS POSITION IS FROM PANHANDLE TO KEYES. SHE HAS 12 DISTRICTS. TO ENCOURAGE SUCCESS AND MAINTAIN WRITTEN REPORTS TO CLUBS....

DUES ARE PAST DUE PLEASE SEE APPLICATION INCLUDED IN NEWSLETTER AND RETURN TO PRESIDENT OR TREASURER!

NORTHWEST ORANGE REPUBLICAN WOMEN, FEDERATED, INC
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

MEMBERSHIP TYPE: [] New Member [] Annual Renewal (Place an * next to new/updated information)

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Spouse's Name _____

Street Address _____ Precinct # _____

City _____ State _____ Zip+4 _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Birthday (month + day) _____ How did you hear about our organization? _____

MEMBERSHIP LEVELS: Active Membership \$45.00/year Associate Membership \$30.00 per/year

Women who are associate members must be an active member in another Federated club. List the FFRW Club of your Active Membership _____

Male Associate Membership—\$30.00/year

Young Republicans/Student Associate Membership—\$5.00/year

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS: Includes one year of active or associate membership

Platinum Eagle \$251 + Gold Eagle \$200 - \$250 Silver Eagle \$100 - \$199 Bronze Eagle \$50 - \$99

Membership includes free monthly newsletters via email. Additional \$10/year for hard copy.

I AM INTERESTED IN SERVING ON THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEES (please check all that apply)

STANDING COMMITTEES: [] Bylaws [] Campaign Activities [] Community Relations [] Finance (Ways & Means) [] Membership [] Legislative/CAP/Resolutions [] Programs

SPECIAL COMMITTEES: [] Achievement Awards [] Adopt-A-Soldier [] Americanism [] Caring for America [] Armed Services & Veterans [] Historian/Press Book [] M.E.L.P. [] Newsletter [] Public Relations [] Scholarships [] Sunshine [] Telephone [] Chaplain [] Newsletter/Website [] Parliamentarian

AMOUNT PAID:\$ _____ Check # _____ Cash _____ CC _____

Signature on this application certifies that I am a Registered Republican. By signing this application, I also agree to abide by the By-laws and Standing Rules of NORWF, to include supporting Republicans only in partisan and non- partisan races.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

PLEASE RETURN APPLICATION & PAYMENT TO: NORWF, P.O. BOX 56, APOPKA, FL 32704-0056

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: NORWF



WHO ARE WE?

We are a non-profit, grassroots organization dedicated to promoting political cultural and civic goals in a conservative tradition of individual rights and freedoms.

OBJECTIVES:

- ◆ *Elect qualified, capable and strong leaders into political office.*
- ◆ *Educate the public about the Republican party and its leaders.*
- ◆ *Seek qualified candidates and promote for office.*
- ◆ *Increase Republican votes and voter turn-out.*
- ◆ *Promote loyalty and support of the Republican party.*
- ◆ *Uphold the values and traditions of the Republican party.*
- ◆ *Bring issues of importance to the public's attention.*

NORWF CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR 2025

DATE

January 15th James Fishback

GENERAL MEETINGS

Financial and political advisor



**AS WE START 2026, WE NEED TO REALLY CONSIDER OUR HIGHWAY OF FINANCES!!!
OUR AVAILABLE FUNDS FOR THE ANNUAL BUDGET IS MINIMAL FOR 20th
ANNIVERSARY YEAR!!!**

**A JANUARY FUNDRAISER IS A MUST!!! HELP NORWF BY COMING ALONG AND HELP
ORGANIZE FUNDRAISER AND RE-BUILD FUNDS!!! SO, LETS GAME IT UP AND COME UP
WITH FUN FUNDRAISER!**

FUNDRAISER CHAIR NEEDED ...NORWF WANTS YOU!!



**THANK YOU FOR ALL WHO SERVED THIS 2025 YEAR.... PLEASE EMAIL BF
BEFORE DECEMBER 31ST WITH YOUR MONTHS TO SUPPLY DESSERT OR P
BASKET.**



**Please let Membership Brenda Solomon
know which month you will be donating desert or
basket (can share a basket).**

NORWF 2026 Volunteers

Raffle Basket

Dessert

Month	Name	Phone #	Name	Phone #
January	Sandy Bove	407-463-9431	Verlie Norris	407-221-8011
February	Carolyn Booth	407-461-0929	Lil Finno	407-703-4743
March	Hillary Courson	407-402-8733	Sandy Bove	407-463-9431
April	Sue Dewbre	805-801-5371	Marty Harrison	407-493-0471
May			Paulette Chessa	321-229-6888
June	Loretta Forlaw	407-579-5971		
July	Charlotte White	407-461-2135		
August	Paulette Chessa	321-229-6888		
September				
October			Beverly Blackman	407-361-6715
November				
December				

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR MEMBERS

January 9th Joe Chessa



Find the FFRW on Social Media!

- Join FFRW on our private **Facebook GROUP**
- Like FFRW on our public **Facebook PAGE** (YOU CAN SHARE FROM HERE!)
- Follow FFRW on **X (formerly Twitter)**
- Find FFRW on **Instagram**
- Follow FFRW on **Truth Social**



I want to learn more about the

National Federation of Republican Women?

- NFRW's website (www.NFRW.org)
- Follow formerly Twitter ([@NFRW](https://twitter.com/NFRW))
- NFRW on Facebook
- Find NFRW on Instagram

