

From: Brita Horn <brita@cologop.org>
Sent: Monday, January 19, 2026 9:03 AM
To: Raymond Garcia <r.garcia@coloradohispanicrepublicans.org>
Cc: coloradohispanicrepublicans.org Garcia <USMCStingray1@aol.com>; Richard Holtorf <richard@cologop.org>; Russ Andrews <russ@cologop.org>; Alec Hanna <alec@cologop.org>; Shana Black <shana@shanablack.com>
Subject: Re: Petition Challenge

Mr. Garcia,

Your appeal will be scheduled following receipt of Secretary Russ Andrews' minutes, per standard procedure.

The assertion that we are "refusing" to schedule is inaccurate. The scheduling process follows established procedures, which include the Secretary providing minutes. Once that occurs, the meeting will be scheduled accordingly.

On Sat, Jan 10, 2026 at 4:11 PM Raymond Garcia <r.garcia@coloradohispanicrepublicans.org> wrote:

Brita, Richard, Russ, Alec...

I just needed to show continued communication with you all for documentation that you have been refusing to schedule the legal SCC meeting to hear my appeal.

That should just about cover everything I need.

Thanks.

Raymond

From: Raymond Garcia <r.garcia@coloradohispanicrepublicans.org>
Sent: Sunday, November 30, 2025 9:58 PM
To: Brita Horn <brita@cologop.org>
Cc: coloradohispanicrepublicans.org Garcia <USMCStingray1@aol.com>; Richard Holtorf <richard@cologop.org>; Russ Andrews <russ@cologop.org>; Alec Hanna <alec@cologop.org>
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Brita,

Stop trying to stall this process. You can not sit on this indefinitely.

I expect an SCC meeting for January at the latest. This needs to be scheduled in the near future.

Raymond Garcia

Chairman

Colorado Hispanic Republicans.

From: Brita Horn <brita@cologop.org>
Sent: Wednesday, November 26, 2025 2:19 PM
To: Raymond Garcia <r.garcia@coloradohispanicrepublicans.org>
Cc: coloradohispanicrepublicans.org Garcia <USMCStingray1@aol.com>; Richard Holtorf <richard@cologop.org>; Russ Andrews <russ@cologop.org>; Alec Hanna <alec@cologop.org>
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Mr. Garcia,

Thank you for following up on your appeal. Your original email went to spam. We acknowledge receipt of the appeal and will begin the process to schedule an SCC meeting for the appeal. As for the party's attorney, you are incorrect. Mr. Klenda was neither fired by the party nor represents a conflict of interest. He is still the party's attorney.

On Wed, Nov 26, 2025 at 11:00 AM Raymond Garcia <r.garcia@coloradohispanicrepublicans.org> wrote:

Brita,
It is coming up on a week since I formally informed you of my appeal.
I also requested you to inform us what attorneys represent the party and each party officer...
I still have not heard back from you, despite repeated requests.
I again ask when will this appeal be heard?
And who are the attorneys representing both the COGOP and each officer individually.

sincerely
Raymond Garcia
Chairman
Colorado Hispanic Republicans

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From: Raymond Garcia <r.garcia@coloradohispanicrepublicans.org>
Sent: Friday, November 21, 2025 7:17:50 PM
To: coloradohispanicrepublicans.org Garcia <USMCStingray1@aol.com>; Brita Horn <brita@cologop.org>; Richard Holtorf <richard@cologop.org>; Russ Andrews <russ@cologop.org>; Alec Hanna <alec@cologop.org>
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Brita, Russ, Rich, Alec

We appeal the executive committee's decisions from the last night as it was an obvious effort at denying the petition rights of SCC members.
We expect a prompt scheduling of a meeting of the entire SCC to hear this appeal.

Moreover, please have what attorneys represent the Party and each Party officer separately since Mr. Steve Klenda was fired by the SCC for his obvious conflict of interest.

This information will be helpful when conferral becomes required in the future.

Sincerely,
Raymond Garcia
Chairman of the board
Colorado Hispanic Republicans.

From: Brita Horn <brita@cologop.org>
Sent: Sunday, November 2, 2025 5:36 PM
To: Raymond Garcia <r.garcia@coloradohispanicrepublicans.org>
Cc: Russ Andrews <russ@cologop.org>; Richard Holtorf <richard@cologop.org>; Alec Hanna <alec@cologop.org>
Subject: Re: Petition Challenge

Mr. Garcia,
Due to scheduling conflicts, we are unable to schedule an Executive Committee Meeting this week regarding your challenge to your petition.
Please let us know what evenings you are available the week of November 10 and November 17 that might work for you.

On Thu, Oct 23, 2025 at 4:28 PM Raymond Garcia <r.garcia@coloradohispanicrepublicans.org> wrote:

I am available Wednesday, November 5, at 7:00 PM

Chairman Raymond Garcia
Colorado Hispanic Republicans

From: Brita Horn <brita@cologop.org>
Sent: Wednesday, October 22, 2025 5:08 PM
To: Raymond Garcia <r.garcia@coloradohispanicrepublicans.org>
Cc: Russ Andrews <russ@cologop.org>; Richard Holtorf <richard@cologop.org>; Alec Hanna <alec@cologop.org>; Steven A. Klenda <sklenda@klendalegal.com>
Subject: Petition Challenge

Mr. Garcia,

Pursuant to Article VII, Section D, Subsection 3, Article XV, Section C, and Article XV, Section D of the Bylaws of the Colorado Republican State Central Committee, your petition to have a meeting of the State Central Committee has been challenged. Challenges can be found [here](#).

Pursuant to the bylaws listed above, the controversy will be adjudicated by the State Executive Committee. To ensure both the petitioner and the challenger are able to appear in front of the committee, please advise if any of the following evenings work for you:

Wednesday, November 5, at 7:00 PM
Thursday, November 6, at 7:00 PM
Friday, November 7, at 7:00 PM

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At your service,

Brita Horn
Colorado GOP Chair