

# The Organizer

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## SPUSA National Convention



Socialist Party members from across the US gathered in Newark NJ on October 25-27 for the Party's 2019 National Convention.

The convention updated our Statement of Principles, Platform and Constitution as well as electing a new National Committee and a strategy for the next two years.

### New National Committee

**Co-Chairs:** Pat Noble and Jamie Keesling

**Vice-Chairs:** Claudia Miller and Nicholas Partyka

### National Committee (in order of election)

Lark Lo

Greg Pason

Stephanie Cholensky

Tana Forrester

Heather Moulton-Meissner

Stephanie Gussin

John Palmucci

Canyon Ryan

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## Local and State Party Organizing

### 4th Annual North Piedmont NC Socialist Cookout



The Northern Piedmont local held their 4th annual Socialist Cookout this year at Cannon-Isabella Park in Raleigh. Despite the unseasonably cold weather, members from a variety of socialist, anti-capitalist, and other far-left groups turned out for an afternoon of good food, music, and singing with comrades.

### Capital District NY SP Local Joins Cuba Solidarity Rally in Albany, NY



Capital District SP members joined the Cuba solidarity rally in Albany. Thanks to everyone who came out to support the Cuban Revolution despite the chilly weather. **Hasta la victoria siempre!**

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## Convention continued...

### Alternates (in order of election)

Matt Erard  
Josh Hollandsworth  
Chelsea Rustad  
Evan Clark  
Benjamin Blumberg  
Joshua Bradley  
Dick Lahey  
David Robbins

### Officers and Staff

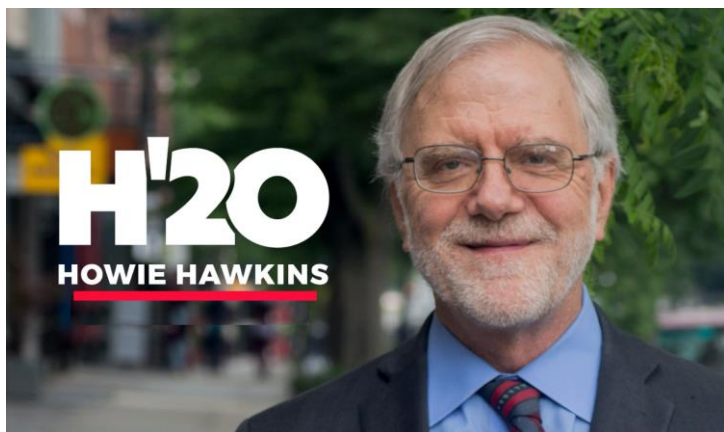
National Secretary: Greg Pason  
National Treasurer: Pat Noble  
Co-Editors: John Palmucci Jr and Lark Lo  
Archivist: Steve Rossignol

### Presidential Nomination



The Socialist Party nominated Howie Hawkins as its 2020 Presidential candidate. Howie is also seeking the nomination of the Green Party US is hopes to build a unified ecosocialist campaign.

The Party thanks Elijah Manley for his campaign for nomination and we had the opportunity to hear from two qualified candidates competing for our nomination.



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## Local and State Organizing continued....

### SP Central Oregon Local Joins the fight Against Jordan Cove Pipeline



The Socialist party USA Central Oregon Local took the fight against Jordan Cove Pipeline to the Oregon state capital. Central Oregon comrades and Salem chapter comrades joined over 300 Oregon residents to voice their opposition to the pipeline project that Governor Kate

Brown has stayed silent on.

The SPUSA comrades talked with other protesters and journalists. They shared their view on these industrial atrocities are the symptom of capitalism and that we need system change to end these environmental attacks.

## 2019 ELECTORAL CAMPAIGNS

**Andy Argo for Kalamazoo City MI Commission**  
Andy Argo received 1,449 votes (7 out of 9)

**Josh Bradley for Raleigh NC City Council District**  
Josh Bradley received 1,223 votes - 10.4%

Coming soon!

A new website for *The Socialist!*

