

## **ALLEN COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMENS GROUP**

### **Minuets – January 21, 2026**

Nicole Keesling called the meeting to order at 5:34 PM and welcomed everyone.

After the pledge of allegiance and introductions, the group discussed the drafted bylaws.

1. Jen Jackson moved, Tammy Taylor seconded, and the motion carried to create an affiliate membership classification for men who support the Allen County Republican Women’s Group.
2. Michelle moved, Jen Jackson seconded, and the motion carried to limit the Treasurer’s term to six consecutive years (three terms).
3. Jen Jackson moved, Sam Chenery seconded, and the motion carried to allow for proxy voting with three days prior notification.
4. Jen Jackson moved, Tammy Taylor seconded, and the motion carried that meeting notifications be sent at least seven days in advance by any electronic means.
5. Lori Dewitt moved, Jen Jackson seconded, and the motion carried to allow any member, including those running for elected office, to serve on the Bylaws (Governance) Committee.
6. Lori Dewitt moved, Lindsey Hammond seconded, and the motion carried to remove the language requiring prior nomination, allowing nominations from the floor on the day of the election.
7. Sam Chenery moved, Tessa Helge seconded, and motion carried to approve bylaws as amended.

Election of officers will be held on February 25, 2026 at 5:30 PM at Summit Grille.

Nicole Keesling adjourned the meeting.

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Nicole Keesling, President

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