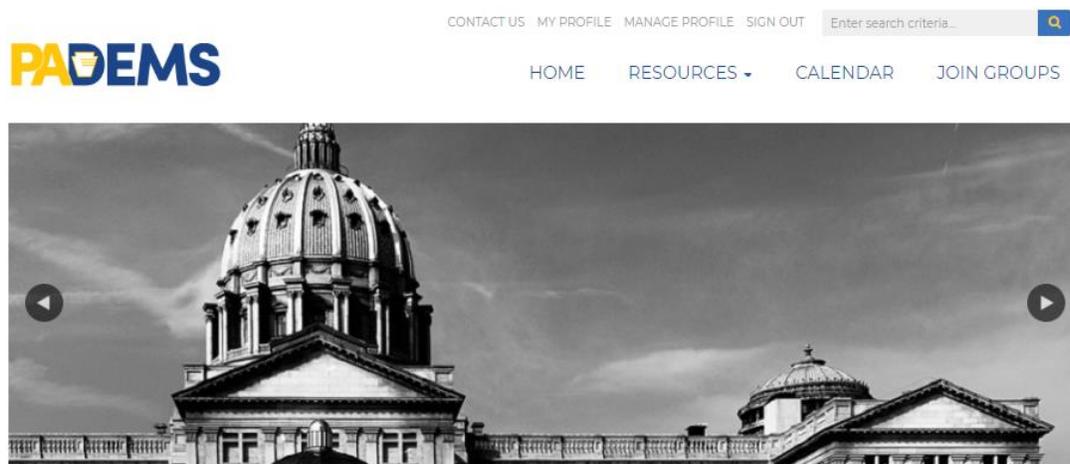


## YOURMEMBERSHIP: INTRO & FAQ

### What is the YourMembership site?

The Pennsylvania Democratic Party is thrilled to introduce a new web platform for use by our most engaged members. This website will serve as a portal for the delivery of key training and how-to documents on every aspect of campaigns and party activity. It is also where you can register for meetings of the State Committee, including signing up for sessions and purchasing tickets to meals.



### Welcome the Pennsylvania Democratic Party

#### State Committee Portal

The specials elections for House Districts 8, 18 and 58 are on March 17th! Our candidates - Phil Heasley, Howie Hayes and Rob Prah need your help to get out the vote. Please [click here](#) to find canvasses or phone banks, and help flip these areas Back to Blue in 2020!

Please contact [helpdesk@padems.com](mailto:helpdesk@padems.com) with any questions about using this website.

#### MY PROFILE

- My Feed
- Profile Home
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- Create Resumé/CV
- Groups
- Networks
- Files & Links
- Bookmarks
- Messages
- Connections (NEW)
- Membership Info
- Refer a Friend

#### SPECIAL ELECTION UPDATE

The special elections for House Districts 8, 18 and 58 is on March 17th. To learn more about our candidates in those races, click the link below.

[LEARN MORE](#)

#### LATEST NEWS

There are currently no news items posted.

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#### CALENDAR

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Summer 2020 Democratic State Committee Meeting

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*The State Party YourMembership homepage (visible to logged-in members)*

## **What kind of resources are available on the website?**

Party staff will be posting providing up-to-date training materials for new digital platforms such as Mobilize, as well as guidance around Act 77 and vote-by-mail practices. You can also find a library of general training resources for parties and campaigns, and other non-public information such as party staff phone numbers.



*The Resources menu (visible to logged-in members)*

## **Who has access to the YourMembership site?**

Event postings (such as for State Committee meetings) are open to anyone. However, everything else on the site – training documents, posts, pictures, and group discussions – are only visible to members who have registered with the site. So you can post confidently, knowing that only your fellow PA Democrats will see what you are putting on the site.

## **What kind of groups are there on the YourMembership site?**

The site is structured so that each member must first join a Regional Caucus group as their “primary” group. Members will also all have their counties and legislative districts attached to their profiles. After that, members are free to join groups for any of the Constituency Caucuses. Other groups (such as the By-Laws Committee group or DNC Members group) are available for the use of the members of those committees.

## **Is this only a place for the state party to post documents?**

Absolutely not! YourMembership is also a social media website. Much like other websites (such as Facebook or LinkedIn), those who have registered for the site can maintain profiles, post to groups that they belong to, and connect with other Democrats across Pennsylvania.

## **Who on the site can see my personal information?**

If you create a profile on the website, other members will be able to see your name, email address and picture, plus the county and political districts in which you reside. After that, it's up to you what information you want to share. If you'd prefer that other members not see your address or phone numbers, you can simply set those items to "Private (Not Visible in Profile)" when you register for the site.

The screenshot shows a user profile page for 'John Democrat'. At the top, there is a navigation bar with 'My Feed', 'My Profile', 'Directory', 'Messages', 'Connections', 'Groups', and 'Quick Links'. The profile header includes a donkey icon, the name 'John Democrat', and a 'Profile Completeness' bar at 27%. Below this are sections for 'Personal Information', 'Professional Information', and 'Additional Information'. The 'Personal Information' section includes an 'Address' field with the value '229 State Street, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, United States' and an 'Additional' field with the value '717 1234567 (Phone)'. The 'Professional Information' section is currently empty. The 'Additional Information' section includes fields for 'SCHOOL DISTRICT' (Harrisburg City School District), 'COUNTY' (Dauphin), 'CONGRESSIONAL' (10), 'STATE SENATE' (15), and 'STATE HOUSE' (103). A left sidebar contains navigation options like 'Connections', 'Groups', 'Photos', 'Contact Info', and the user's contact details.

*Your Profile page (including information visible only to you)*



## **How do I get onto the site?**

If you are a member of State Committee, a County Chair, or a DNC member, we have already created a profile for you. Just contact [helpdesk@padems.com](mailto:helpdesk@padems.com) to get your login information.

For everyone else, we encourage you to get onto the site and join the conversation! Simply visit [www.padems.com/state-committee/](http://www.padems.com/state-committee/) and click on "Member Service Portal." Once you arrive at the homepage, on the right side of the screen, click "Haven't Registered Yet?" You'll be prompted to pick a username and provide your name and other information. A member of our staff will approve your registration, and then you'll be ready to go!

Once you have created a profile, you can log in to access the pages, groups and forums on the site. Users can also log-in to avoid having to fill in event registration forms, as the site will remember your information and fill out the forms for you!

## **For remaining questions...**

Email [helpdesk@padems.com](mailto:helpdesk@padems.com) with any questions, and our staff will be more than happy to assist you with getting on the website and using all its features!