An Open Letter To The Members of The Democratic Party:  
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The DNC is a corporation and Debbie Wasserman Schultz has been hired to serve as its chairperson. While it is true that President Barack Obama could conceivably use his “bully pulpit” to apply considerable pressure (along with other prominent Democrats) to “encourage” her to resign, or he could offer her a “promotion” that might entice her to “resign,” (Ambassador to Cuba?) it is a simple fact that even the President of the United States does NOT have the authority to “fire” Debbie Wasserman Schultz.

The authority to remove Debbie Wasserman Schultz from the position of Chairperson rests solely in the group of people who are responsible for placing her into office in the first place: The members of the Democratic National Committee.

If you believe that Debbie Wasserman Schultz should no longer be the Chairperson of the DNC, then it is up to the members of the DNC to call for a full meeting of the DNC at which time the members will be able to hold a vote of confidence/no confidence to determine whether or not DWS should continue as Chairperson.

The only ways that the Chairperson of the Democratic National Committee may be removed from office:
1. The Democratic National Committee may vote to remove her by a simple majority vote.
2. The Chairperson may simply choose to resign for “personal” reasons.

To be blunt, we hope to set in motion the first option so that Debbie Wasserman Schultz sees the inevitability of her removal from office and does herself and the Democratic Party a favor by resigning. The reasons why she should be removed are many, and are documented below.

Debbie Wasserman Schultz has clearly violated the Bylaws of the DNC by failing to ensure “that the national officers and staff of the DNC maintain impartiality and evenhandedness during the Democratic Party Presidential nominating process.” The Bylaws of the DNC clearly show the procedure by which she may be removed from office (see below).

We encourage every member of the DNC to set in motion the following procedure...

STEP #1: 25% of the DNC members must send a written request to call for a meeting of the DNC.

STEP #2: A majority vote of those in attendance at the meeting (a quorum is required) is sufficient to remove the chairperson from office.

STEP #3: The currently designated Vice-Chair would then assume the responsibilities as acting Chairperson of the DNC until the next regularly scheduled meeting of the DNC (the convention).

STEP #4: A vote may be held at the convention to select a new Chairperson.

As a group, the members of the DNC are the people who were responsible for placing Debbie Wasserman Schultz into the position of Chairperson. It is the view of many that Debbie Wasserman Schultz is now damaging the party.

The members of the DNC have the authority to recall the Chairperson. If the members of the DNC fail to do so, it is actually the members who damaging the party by allowing DWS to stay on as Chairperson.
TO: Democratic National Committee Chairperson Debbie Wasserman Schultz

This letter is to inform you of my request that you call a meeting of the Democratic National Convention at the earliest possible date. As I am sure you are aware, Article 2, Section 7(e), page 15 of The Charter and the Bylaws of the Democratic Party of the United States states the following:

"Upon the written request of twenty-five percent or more of the members of the National Committee, filed with the Chairperson within a period of thirty (30) days, it shall be the duty of the Chairperson within fifteen (15) days from receipt of such request to issue a call for a meeting of the National Committee. The date of such meeting shall be fixed by the Chairperson not later than thirty (30) days nor earlier than fifteen (15) days from the date of the call."

As a member of the Democratic National Committee, I do hereby request that the Chair of the DNC (Debbie Wasserman Schultz) call for a meeting of the entire membership of the DNC immediately.

Sincerely,

Democratic National Committee Member

cc: Vice-Chair Raymond Buckley
cc: Vice-Chair Donna Brazile
cc: Vice-Chair R.T. Rybak
cc: Vice-Chair Tulsi Gabbard
cc: Vice-Chair Maria Elena Durazo
cc: Secretary Stephanie C. Rawlings-Blake
cc: National Finance Chair Henry R. Muñoz III
cc: Treasurer Andrew Tobias
To paraphrase the Declaration of Independence...

When in the course of human events, it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, a decent respect for others requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation.

We hold these rights to be self-evident:

- That all the members of the Democratic Party should be treated equally and their voices should all be heard in every effort to advance the goals and policies of the Party as a whole, not just chosen members of the party elite.
- That the leadership of the Democratic Party derives their power from the consent of the Party's members.
- That whenever the leadership of the Party fails to achieve the goals of the Party and fails to protect the rights of the members of the Party, it is the right of the members of the Party to remove its leadership and install new leadership that is more responsive and more competent.

The history of the present Chair of the Democratic National Committee is a history of repeated injuries and usurpations, all leading to the establishment of an absolute Tyranny over this Party. To prove this, let the following facts be submitted to a candid world:

1. **Debbie Wasserman Schultz has violated a basic rules of the Democratic National Committee** many times by allowing DNC members to publicly endorse a specific presidential candidate. *“The National Chairperson shall... exercise impartiality and evenhandedness as between the Presidential candidates and campaigns. The Chairperson shall be responsible for ensuring that the national officers and staff of the Democratic National Committee maintain impartiality and evenhandedness during the Democratic Party Presidential nominating process.”* Article 5, Section 4
2. **Debbie Wasserman Schultz has abused the power of her office** to stack the deck for her favored candidate: Hillary Clinton. According to former Senator Jim Webb "The DNC is nothing more than an arm for the Clinton campaign.”
3. **Debbie Wasserman Schultz has permitted blatant favoritism** by allowing Hillary Clinton to open campaign offices literally within local Democratic party offices.
4. **Debbie Wasserman Schultz failed to enforce impartiality among DNC officers** when Henry R. Muñoz III, who became the chief of the Party’s finance operations in 2013, was caught organizing a fundraiser for Hillary Clinton in San Antonio, Texas which is a direct violation of DNC rules.
5. **Debbie Wasserman Schultz has refused to allow the freedom of speech to prevail in the debates among the presidential candidates.** She scheduled only 6 debates at times when viewership is traditionally low and has enforced an "exclusivity rule" that prevents the candidates from participating in debates sponsored by other groups.
6. **Debbie Wasserman Schultz has been publicly accused of lying by other members of the DNC** in regards to the procedure for the scheduling of debates.
7. **Debbie Wasserman Schultz has ignored and failed to respond to the resolution passed by the Vermont Democratic Party calling for an end to the “exclusivity rule.”**
8. **Debbie Wasserman Schultz is so out of touch that the Democratic Party's Platform web page still mentions Mitt Romney as if he was the leader of the Democratic Party.**
9. Debbie Wasserman Schultz has been accused of rigging debate audiences to be friendly to Hillary Clinton. After the second Democratic debate in Iowa, Senate candidate Tom Fiegen accused the DNC of loading the room with Clinton supporters to make it seem to viewers that Clinton was winning the debate with each round of applause.

10. Debbie Wasserman Schultz violated the agreement signed by all parties using the data services that the DNC hosts by blocking access to Bernie Sanders' campaign without providing for a 10-day notice period for any changes to access that was contractually agreed upon.

11. Debbie Wasserman Schultz has allowed the Republican National Committee to out-fundraise the DNC by $65 million. The DNC is not financially well off heading into 2016 — an unprecedented position for a party that has controlled the White House for seven years.


13. Debbie Wasserman Schultz has failed to increase the number of representatives in the House of Representatives.

14. Debbie Wasserman Schultz has failed to recruit candidates in many 2016 House races.

15. Debbie Wasserman Schultz has presided over the loss of control of the Senate.

Our repeated petitions have been answered only by repeated injury. A leader whose actions are such that define a tyrant is unfit to be the chairperson of the Democratic Party.

The Democratic Party has a problem that is slowly and steadily killing the party, and the name of this problem is Debbie Wasserman Schultz. Debbie Wasserman Schultz’s very un-democratic, even tyrannical behavior, her poor fundraising performance, her lack of impartiality and her failure in securing positive election results has caused great damage to the Democratic Party and will continue to damage the Party until she is removed from her position as chairperson.

History has shown that the power of the people is greater than the power of the party. The people are leading The Political Revolution. It is time for the leaders of the Democratic Party to follow the leadership of the people from which the party derives all of its power.

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In order to get the Democratic Party in shape for the 2016 elections in the hopes of regaining majorities in the House and Senate, we need a competent Chairperson who can be a great spokesperson for the Party to help find candidates for the House and Senate, to lead fundraising efforts as well as run the National Convention and presidential nomination process with dignity, in a fair and democratic way.

By all measures, Debbie Wasserman Schultz is not doing her job as Chairperson very well at all, and the Democratic Party is suffering a great deal due to her poor performance. During her tenure, the Democratic Party has lost an historical and unprecedented number of seats in the US House of Representatives as well as the US Senate, state governorships and state legislatures. The Democratic Party needs 5 seats in the Senate and 30 seats in the House to gain majorities in both houses, yet over 100 seats currently held by Republicans have no Democratic candidates.

A CRUCIAL part of the Chairperson’s job is to ensure that the Democratic Party remains strong in House and Senate seats in Congress. She has failed miserably in this regard. In fact, she has been Chairperson during a period in which we’ve seen the greatest losses in seats in Congress, which has lead to Democratic Representatives and Senators losing key committee and sub-committee chairmanships. This is unacceptable.

Due to her poor performance and due to her airing private DNC “dirty laundry” on national television, she has lost the confidence of most of her colleagues as well as rank and file party members. This is an embarrassment to the party, and is not conducive to Democrats being unified or competitive against the Republicans. All that is left to formally vote upon that which most of us already realize.

R.T. Rybak, the former mayor of Minneapolis and a vice chairman of the Democratic National Committee, on Thursday accused the party's leader, Representative Debbie Wasserman Schultz, of making “flat-out not true” statements about another top party officer, questioned her political skills and said he had “serious questions” about her suitability for the job.

In a telephone interview Thursday, Mr. Rybak weighed in angrily in response, expressing shock that Ms. Wasserman Schultz “would knowingly say something that is flat-out not true.”

“This is not a back-and-forth between a chair and a vice chair,” he said. “This is a chair of the Democratic Party wrongly stating that she consulted with all of the party officers. I was not consulted. I know that Tulsi Gabbard was not consulted. And this is becoming about much more than debates.”

“The Democratic National Committee staff has never been stronger,” Mr. Rybak said in an interview. “The one thing that could stop us from having a great election coming up is if the chair continues to create these self-made dramas that are below what a chair should be doing.”

The Democratic Party Platform clearly states that “We believe in an America where everybody gets a fair shot and everybody plays by the same set of rules.” DNC rules dictate that the DNC chair and members treat all Democratic presidential candidates fairly and equally, without overt favoritism.

Recently, Ms. Wasserman Schulz decided to schedule only SIX Democratic presidential candidate debates, even though there were over 20 debates in 2008. She made this decision on the number of debates without consulting any of her DNC vice chairs or other DNC members, in a dictator-like fashion. This has caused a lot of controversy in the national news, social media, online petitions calling for her to step down. This is an embarrassment to the party overall.

The debates are meant to showcase the Democratic candidates, and the Democratic Party. Wasserman Schultz’s obvious ignorance of party rules regarding impartiality is preventing the American people from getting an opportunity to really hear all of the candidates. The so-called "exclusivity rule" that Wasserman Schultz has placed on the candidates who participate in more debates that are not sanctioned by the DNC clearly inhibits free speech. If the candidates take part in any other debates, they will be banned from participating in future Democratic debates. This of course hurts the campaigns of Sanders and O’Malley the most. This is not how a democracy should work.

Never before have there been debates scheduled at such inappropriate times. Democrats should want to showcase our candidates. The contrast with the Republicans is stunning. Why would the Chairperson of the Democratic National Committee not want people to see these debates? The result of Wasserman Schultz's poor scheduling and “exclusivity rule” is that the Presidential candidates Bernie Sanders and Martin O’Malley from been prevented from having the freedom to promote their issues, viewpoints, and differences.

And most recently of all, her behavior has caused a federal civil lawsuit to be filed against the DNC. Instead of “doing the right thing,” Wasserman Schultz again attempted to circumvent democracy. The contract, which is signed by the candidates and the DNC, allows the candidate accused of breaching voter information 10 days to investigate, report, and resolve any issues. She should have consulted her vice chairs and possibly other DNC members before making authoritarian decisions about how to deal with security issues and software bugs at NGP VAN with the voter file data.

Please consult with your state DNC members and vice-chairs about calling for a special meeting of the Democratic National Committee to discuss the debates and other issues. We urge you to share this PDF with your state DNC members and vice-chairs to ask them to call for a meeting at the earliest possible date and time, before the primary elections, the convention and presidential nomination, as well as the general election. Time is of the essence, given the upcoming Congressional and Presidential elections, as well as dire National Convention fundraising needs.

We The People demand the immediate removal of Debbie Wasserman Schultz from her position as the the Chairperson of the Democratic Party. The procedure by which a Chairperson may be removed from office is clearly defined in The Charter and the Bylaws of the Democratic Party.

The Democratic Party deserves (and needs) better leadership.
"The National Chairperson shall be elected and may be removed by a majority vote of the Democratic National Committee." (Article 5, Section 2(b), Page 5)

"The National Chairperson shall serve full time and... In the conduct and management of the affairs and procedures of the Democratic National Committee, particularly as they apply to the preparation and conduct of the Presidential nomination process, the Chairperson shall exercise impartiality and evenhandedness as between the Presidential candidates and campaigns. The Chairperson shall be responsible for ensuring that the national officers and staff of the Democratic National Committee maintain impartiality and evenhandedness during the Democratic Party Presidential nominating process." (Article 5, Section 4, Page 6)

"Meetings shall be called by the Chairperson, by the Executive Committee of the Democratic National Committee, or by written request of no fewer than one-fourth of the members of the Democratic National Committee." (Article 3, Section 5, Page 5)

"Upon the written request of twenty-five percent or more of the members of the National Committee, filed with the Chairperson within a period of thirty (30) days, it shall be the duty of the Chairperson within fifteen (15) days from receipt of such request to issue a call for a meeting of the National Committee. The date of such meeting shall be fixed by the Chairperson not later than thirty (30) days nor earlier than fifteen (15) days from the date of the call." (Article 2, Section 7e, Page 15)

"The Chairperson of the National Committee may refer matters to the members of the National Committee for consideration and vote by mail, provided, however, that if members aggregating more than twenty percent (20%) of the full membership shall so request, the matter shall be presented to the next meeting of the National Committee." (Article 2, Section 7h, Page 15)

"All meetings of the Democratic National Committee, the Executive Committee, and all other official Party committees, commissions and bodies shall be open to the public, and votes shall not be taken by secret ballot." (Article 9, Section 12, Page 8)

"All questions before the Democratic National Committee shall be determined by majority vote of those members present and voting in person or by proxy." (Article 2, Section 8d, Page 16)

"A majority of the full membership of the Democratic National Committee present in person or by proxy shall constitute a quorum, provided that no less than forty percent (40%) of the full membership be present in person for the purpose of establishing a quorum." (Article 2, Section 8b, Page 15)

"In the event of a vacancy in the office of the National Chairperson, the designated Vice Chair as provided for in Article Two, Section 12(b) of the Bylaws, or the next highest ranking officer of the National Committee present at the meeting shall preside." (Article 5, Section 3, Page 6)

"The Chairperson shall designate a Vice Chair who will have authority to act as Chairperson should a vacancy occur or should the Chairperson become incapacitated. In the event of such succession, the designated Vice Chair will serve in the capacity of the Chairperson until a new Chairperson is elected at the next regularly scheduled meeting of the full Democratic National Committee." (Article 2, Section 12b, Page 19)
Leadership of the Democratic National Committee

The Membership Roster of the Democratic National Committee is surprisingly difficult to obtain. Why is the list of members hidden from public view? The information below was available publicly and was obtained from the following public websites:

https://twitter.com/TheDemocrats/lists/dnc-leadership

We encourage all Democrats to tweet their feelings and opinions to the following members of the DNC...

Official twitter account: @TheDemocrats

Vice-Chair Raymond Buckley @ChairmanBuckley 603-225-6899
Vice-Chair Donna Brazile: @donnabrazile
Vice-Chair Tulsi Gabbard: @TulsiGabbard
Vice-Chair R.T. Rybak: @R_T_Rybak
Vice-Chair Maria Elena Durazo: @MariaEDurazo
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DNC Women: @DNCWomen
DNC Latinos: @DNCLatinos
African American Democrats: @AfAmDemocrats

National Director of Voter Expansion: @PrattWiley
DNC Communications Director @MiraLuisDC
Kate Yglesias Houghton: @Houghton_Kate
Sean Bartlett: @seanbartlettDC
Jonae Wartel: @JonaeASDC
A'shanti Gholar: @AshantiDNC
Luis Miranda: @MiraLuisDC
Holly Shulman: @HollyShulman
Miryam Lipper: @MiryamLipper
Christina Freundlich: @christinafreund
Eric Walker: @ericmwalker
TJ Helmstetter: @TheTJHelm
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Matt Compton: @mattcompton
Lauren Dillon: @llcdillon

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Arizona: @AZDemParty (602) 298-4200
Arkansas: @ArkDems (501) 374-2361
California: @CA_Dem (916) 442-5707
Colorado: @coloradodems (303) 623-4762
Connecticut: @CTDems (860) 560-1775
Delaware: @Deldems (302) 328-9036
Democrats Abroad: @DemsAbroad
Florida: @FlaDems (850) 222-3411
Georgia: @GeorgiaDemocrat (678) 278-2012
Hawaii: @HawaiiDems (808) 596-2980
Idaho: @IdahoDems (208) 336-1815
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Indiana: @INDems (317) 231-7100
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Kansas: @KansasDems (785) 234-0425
Kentucky: @KyDems (502) 695-4828
Louisiana: @LaDemos (225) 336-4155
Maine: @MaineDems (207) 622-6233
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Massachusetts: @massdems (617) 939-0800
Michigan: @MichiganDems (517) 371-5410
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Mississippi: @msdemocrats (601) 969-2913
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Unlike her counterpart in the RNC, Debbie Wasserman Schultz has generated a lot of negative publicity. Please read and share the articles listed below:

**January 11, 2016**

**January 10, 2016**
http://nypost.com/2016/01/10/why-democrats-should-dump-debbie-wasserman-schultz/

**January 8, 2016**

**January 7, 2016**
http://hotair.com/archives/2016/01/07/could-the-dnc-really-remove-debbie-wasserman-schultz/
http://thehill.com/blogs/ballot-box/other-races/265044-liberal-group-demands-dnc-chair-resign
http://abcnews.go.com/Politics/debbie-wasserman-schultz-fire-comments-young-women/story?id=36141971
http://rhrealitycheck.org/article/2016/01/07/debbie-wasserman-schultz-blames-voters-failures-democratic-party/

**January 7, 2016**
http://www.huffingtonpost.com/entry/debbie-wasserman-schultz-resign-dnc_568d86c2e4b0cad15e6335f9
http://www.tpnn.com/2016/01/06/democrats-call-for-debbie-wasserman-schultzs-head-after-hillary-was-caught-doing-this/
http://www.vox.com/2016/1/6/10723460/dws-abortion

**January 5, 2016**
http://freebeacon.com/politics/progressives-unite-push-debbie-wasserman-schultz-dnc/
http://www.ibtimes.com/debbie-wasserman-schultz-trying-keep-bernie-sanders-being-president-2250337

**January 4, 2016**
http://dailycaller.com/2016/01/04/unusual-clinton-payments-to-dnc-create-conflict-of-interest/

**December 31, 2015**
http://www.salon.com/2015/12/31/the_worst_political_f_ups_of_2015/
The Democratic Party Deserves Better!
Petitions:

http://WhiteHousePetition.LookAtThisNow.com
http://petitions.moveon.org/sign/remove-debbie-wasserman
http://act.rootsaction.org/p/dia/action3/common/public/?action_KEY=11885
http://act.credoaction.com/sign/DWS_Resign_2/

Facebook Group

https://www.facebook.com/groups/KickDebbieOutOfOffice

Facebook Pages:

https://www.facebook.com/Fire-Debbie-Wasserman-Schultz-as-DNC-Chair-738332959628423/
https://www.facebook.com/DebbieWassermanSchultzShouldResignFromDNCChair/
https://www.facebook.com/DebbieWassermanSTEPDOWN/
https://www.facebook.com/The-Campaign-Against-Debbie-Wasserman-Schultz-109392445746185/

Facebook Events:

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https://www.facebook.com/events/1122738774405284/

Twitter Hashtags

(Click on the links and see what people are tweeting)

https://www.Twitter.com/hashtag/DumpDebbie
https://www.twitter.com/hashtag/DWSResign
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https://www.twitter.com/hashtag/StepDownDWS
https://www.twitter.com/hashtag/StormTheDNC
https://www.twitter.com/hashtag/DNCCorruption
https://www.twitter.com/hashtag/FireDebbieWassermanSchultz

Reddit

https://www.reddit.com/r/politics/comments/3xf09t/fire_debbie_wasserman_schultz/
The DNC voted for Debbie Wasserman Schultz to be their Chairperson. They have the authority to remove her from office with a simple majority vote. The DNC needs to call a meeting of the entire committee and VOTE HER OUT NOW!

REMOVE DWS NOW!

- The Democratic Party does not have enough money to hold their convention.
- People are refusing to donate to the DNC unless DWS is fired.
- Democrats are at risk of losing even more House and Senate elections.
- Republicans (and their debates) have dominated the mainstream media.

Please read the document at the link below and SHARE THIS WITH OTHERS
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We the People are pissed off at Debbie Wasserman Schultz. We want her removed as DNC Chairperson immediately. We know the procedure by which she can be removed. Join us...
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