## Resolution

## Support for Bolder Leadership in Senate Democratic Caucus

WHEREAS, our constitutional democracy faces its gravest existential threat since the Civil War under an increasingly authoritarian administration that systematically dismantles democratic institutions, deploys federal forces against American citizens, and consolidates power through unprecedented executive overreach, requiring Democrats to mount the most vigorous and uncompromising resistance in our party's history; and

WHEREAS, Senator Chuck Schumer's capitulation to Republican demands in March 2025, when he abandoned unified Democratic opposition to catastrophic funding legislation, represents a fundamental failure of leadership that betrayed millions of vulnerable Americans and demonstrated a dangerous pattern of weakness precisely when strength and moral clarity are essential for our nation's survival; and

WHEREAS, under Senator Schumer's current ineffective stewardship, the Democratic Party has plummeted to historically disastrous approval ratings while failing to articulate a compelling counter-narrative to authoritarian propaganda, leaving our base demoralized, our message weak, and our resistance fragmented at democracy's most perilous moment;

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, the Napa County Democratic Central Committee declares that preserving American democracy demands a dynamic, inspirational Senate Minority Leader capable of matching the unprecedented urgency of this constitutional crisis who can galvanize Democratic resistance and inspire all Americans who cherish democratic values; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Napa County Democratic Central Committee supports the Senate Democratic Caucus to take such actions as may be necessary to ensure that the Senate Minority Leader will be able to provide bolder leadership capable of leading the existential fight to save American democracy from authoritarian destruction.

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