

Subject/Title: Adam McKay Presentation

Co-sponsors: Laura Wells, Mimi Newton, John Schmit (Finance/Fundraising)

Background and Purpose: Adam McKay, the director (and author) of such films as *The Big Short*, *Vice*, and *Don't Look Up* is a registered member of the Green Party of California. Mr. McKay had previously been scheduled to attend but was forced to cancel his planned presentation at the June 2025 General Assembly, due to a last-minute conflict. This year, Laura has reached out to ask Adam McKay to speak at the General Assembly, potentially about the intersections of his filmmaking and politics.

Proposal: CC to approve agenda item for June 13 GA: a presentation by Adam McKay on “The Intersection of Filmmaking and Politics,” (title subject to confirmation by presenter).

Implementation/Requirements:

- Laura has contacted Mr. McKay’s assistant and confirmed his availability and willingness to attend and speak at the GA in the early afternoon on June 13.
- Requesting 45 mins - 1 hour in early afternoon (between 1 and 3 pm) with Q and A on June 13
- Confirm presentation title with Mr. McKay
- If approved, add agenda item to the GA agenda page