

<https://dakotafreepress.com/2018/08/01/national-cp-tells-sd-factions-to-settle-own-convention-duel>

In the comments section of an article that was written August 1, 2018, Lora Hubbel writes that she resigned via email on February 2, 2017. Lora Hubbel states:

*"The letter you wrote was not read at the convention...I took it as a letter to use at my discretion. I actually had an award to give to Lori for helping with the petition drive – because I did not want people wanting to come into the party to know there was any past of bad blood. There is NO evidence of her filing notice that she became Chair again. In fact Joel Bergan WANTED to be chair but Lori told him it was "too late" the day after I resigned via email on Feb 2, 2017 (I had no idea if my resignation was accepted – I just walked away from her drama)."*

**Now, what's interesting about the following pieces of evidence is that if what she says is true, then she was only Chairman from May to July and didn't even make it to 2017. Let alone all the way to August 2017 when she announced her race for Governor as a Republican.**

<https://kwsn.com/news/articles/2017/oct/11/party-changing-lora-hubbel-accuses-sdgop-chair-of-party-changing/>

*"I was never an Independent. I was briefly a Constitution party member (for 2 months) after Matt Michels gaveled me down at the Republican Convention."*

<http://www.sdpb.org/blogs/kevinwoster/hubbels-mad-as-uh-heck-and-not-gonna-take-it-from-the-gop-any-more/>

In the article, Lora Hubbel was quoted as saying:

*"I was upset by that treatment, but I was only with the Constitutional Party for about two months," she said. "I've been a Republican basically since I was 5 years old."*