



Union County Democratic Central Committee

Date: 10/05/11

Meeting Minutes: 5:08

Meeting Called to Order:

Present: Glen Scheele, Gray McGuire, Kathleen Cathey, Jerry Sebestyen, Jamie Gustavson, Sharon Evoy, Suzy Chapman

Introductions: Introductions were made, welcome to Jamie,

Treasurer's Report and Minutes Approval: Kathleen had a minor change, change noted, Gray will edit, no update

Item: Adopt a Highway, Oct. 21; meet at 8:30 at 204 Spring

Item: What are next steps in increasing funds? Bigger than bread box, selling on line, tech? Gray? Maybe use Dems list, post an item on website, social event, have checks made out to UCD as a "political contribution"

Next step: email to solicit items, could post in paper,

Next Tuesday to meet @ noon, Oct. 11th @ Joe & Sugars

Office costs? About 5K, when to open? Maybe in Sept, candidates tend to bring out materials right after Labor Day, earlier if possible, expenses include rent, phone, electricity, heat, wifi, TV,

Social? January? Soup & Bread? "Food prepared in home kitchens", Advertise as an event, ask for contribution. Sharon volunteers as co-chair, Jamie volunteers, what else? Music? No speech,

Central Committee coming to L.G? Glen has approached but no response at this time, John Kroger?

Glen is part of Union County committee,

Ten Depot affair on one of the days when it isn't open? Email Sharon if you have any further ideas.

Item: Jerry shares notes from the Letter Writing workshop with Mike Scherer,

Item: Occupy Wall Street – Boise, PDX, Tri-Cities, posted on Daily Kos, National Nurses & other unions support, basically a political theatre event, people with signs, Jobs with Justice taking lead in PDX,

Glen will contact Baker City Dems, a local action on a national topic, corporation corruption, comments: middle class has lost over last several years, we want it fixed, systemic issue, corporate state is central issue, the power they have, corporate personhood, what they are doing to buy government, lobbyist influence, American worker organizations, economic justice, inequality not seen since 1920s, killing our republic,



Folks interviewed who were against OWS demonstration, a notion of being against capitalism,
Comments, not against something a solution to jobs, fair tax system, make Wall St. pay, contract for
American Dream, signs, JOBS not CUTS, Make Wall street pay,
Timely fits well into where we want to go with 2012 political season,
Where? Maybe next Saturday? October 15th or Thursday Oct. 13th
Glen will put out info email list,

Item: Wyden – Bingnamen will introduce a bill to stave off the worse on the 10% cut on Timber

Adjourned: 6:10

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon Evoy, Secretary