



## **Union County Democratic Central Committee**

**Meeting Minutes:** 11/10/10

**Meeting Called to Order:** 5:12

**Present:** Kathleen C, Sharon E., Jerry S. Carole H, Glen Scheele, Michael Frasier comes at tail in

**Introductions:** N/A

**Treasurer's Report and Minutes Approval:** not done

**Item:** Adopt a Highway – Sharon reviews procedure, need to collect signatures of all volunteers, stretch on OR. 82 mile 4.7-7.2, application and sign application are in, will turn in all documents when all signatures are collected. All participants will need to attend training,

**Item:** Reorganization – Jerry suggests that he & Kathleen list out duties of chair and maybe go for co-chairs, need to refer to by-laws? Kathleen & Rosemary acted as co-chairs, could then split duties, e.g. one person does UCfair, conduct quarterly meetings, fundraiser, Go to quarterly meetings, more activity on-line –Facebook, chatting, Jerry & Kathleen will work on guidelines for reorganization will come up with a proposal Glen is willing to co-chair, doesn't want to Fair Committee take up commitment to write a short 250 piece on something from Dem platform, for The Observer, summary of a fact-check from Oregonian, Glen is willing to help with editorial pieces of this sort We need to support more balance in letters to editor Ideas of topics: health care reform, budget – income & spending where does money come from and where does it go? What would you cut? Government actually bigger under Rs, will infrastructure be victim of gridlock?

**Item:** Elections – kept senate, house 50/50 split, Oregon congress - Rs were more strategic selected first term candidates SEND Jean Falbo a thank you note for running,

**Item:** Wyden's town hall meetings,- topics discussed: gridlock, health care, wolves, alternative fuel, 1099 capture large purchases, waiver, forest plans, Fanny Mae – found some agreement, Kathleen personally invited several folks, tax reform, supports temporary passing of bills & to give time to work on tax reform, corporate tax for companies outsourcing,

**Item:** Holiday community lunch - December 18 Saturday at Community Center (Senior Center on Cove) will need volunteers to help serve the meal



Jerry approaches Michael Frasier about Xmas carols,

**Item:** Book club in January will do constitution (again)  
Concerns

**Item:** announcement on state Dems list needs to be changed to 5:00 NOT 6:00 Kathleen will take care of this

**Adjourned: 6:05**

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon Evoy, Secretary