

Benton County Democrats Executive Committee

11/1/2021

Meeting called to order 6:35 pm

Present: Richard Reuther, Carl Baker, Kitty Tominem, Regina Speer, Kendall Miller, Allison Dabler, Chris Tracy

Add to agenda under unfinished business: look at cost of zoom account and recommend to the body at the general meeting. Motion to adopt amended agenda, seconded, approved by all.

Secretary's Report / Minutes (Julie)

Not present, no report. Motion to approve minutes as presented, seconded, approved by all.

Treasurer's Report & Communications(Durga)

Same as reported at the general meeting four days ago, minus \$131 spent on candy for the Veteran's Day parade.

Chair (Richard)

Charles Wiegand of QuestionPAC is looking for donations to run ads against Newhouse. Still working on finding books for diversity and inclusion in high school libraries; will have to speak to each school's librarian. No general meeting in December.

Elections (Justin)

Not present, no report

1st VC & Organizing (Allison)

Waiting to get match backs. Scheduling a votebuilder party with leadership and campaign managers to go through names, target voters, resolve ballot issues. Must be resolved three days before election certification.

2nd VC (John)

Not present, no report

SCM 1 (Regina)

Will soon elect a new 4th CD rep to the state party.

SCM 2 (Sabastian)

Not present, no report

Resolutions (Kitty)

Work continues, particularly on agrivoltaics. Expect things to move more quickly after the election and holidays. Non-resolution related, suggest that Allison Dabler do a presentation/tutorial on ballot curing.

Labor (Jessica)

Not present, no report

Events & Tri City Dems (Carl)

Veterans Day parade next Saturday. Staging around 8, parade begins around 9:30.

8th LD (Chris)

Eboard meets tomorrow, general body meets on Nov 18. Will mainly be reports from state committee people from the last meeting, as well as a pitch for the elections committee. Might be an as-yet-unnamed candidate for Klippert's current position.

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Not present, no report

Franklin County

Invited Jeff Robinson to discuss commissioner redistricting, but he is not on the call.

Unfinished Business

A zoom account for our organization, instead of borrowing, would help with the issue of wrong link getting sent. Cost is \$15/month, roughly \$150/year. There is unspent fair money in the budget which would cover a zoom account. Will be a line item in the 2022 budget. Motion to recommend to the general body that we spend \$200 of unspent fair money for a zoom account. Seconded, no discussion, approved by all.

New Business

None

Good of the Order

Should be a goal of the organization to provide training opportunities for campaign managers and treasurers, to have people trained and ready to go in time for the next election cycle.

Motion to adjourn 7:28pm, seconded, approved by all