



# THE DIALOGUE

## 30th District Democratic Organization

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Regular Monthly General Meeting: November 2, 2011  
First Wednesday of each month, 7:00 to 9:00 pm  
4016 S 352 St. 98001 - 1/2 mile west of Military Road

### At Our Next Meeting

#### Early Endorsement - Official Notification

At the October 5 General Membership meeting a motion was made and seconded to “early endorse” Mark Miloscia’s candidacy for the position of State Auditor. As provided in our bylaws, this motion was laid on the table to be acted upon at the November 2 General Membership meeting. This is official notice that the motion will be an agenda item for the November 2 meeting.

### Report From The Chair

#### November Election

November 8, 2011 is “General Election Day”. Ballots are to be mailed during the last week of October and must be postmarked by November 8. The 30th LD Democrats have endorsed candidates for City, School Board, South King Fire District and Port of Seattle positions as well as taking an endorsement position on 2 Initiatives and 2 Senate Joint Resolutions.

NO on I 1125-Tim Eyman initiative

NO on I 1183-Privatizing Hard Liquor

On I-1163-Health Care providers’ Training and Background Checks

The 30th LD Democrats takes no position on this initiative

Approve SJ 8205

Reject SJ 8206

Be sure to mail in your ballot by November 8.

### Holiday Party

Larry Jackson has moved to Nevada. Traditionally Larry has provided a ham for our December holiday party. In his absence, Paul Mallary volunteered to provide a ham if someone else would cook it. Ginny Leach has agreed to do the cooking. Thank you both for taking this on.

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The holiday party will be in lieu of our regular membership meeting on December 7. With the exception of a ham and turkey, this will be a "pot luck" family dinner. All are invited to come, bring family and/or a friend and some food to share. We do not anticipate any business to be conducted, just socializing. Dinner begins at 7pm.

## **New Logo - Calling for Ideas**

With the redistricting under way in the State, our 30th LD logo will be obsolete (it has a map of the 30th in the background). In addition the web site on our banner is not correct.

We therefore need a new logo design. The new design must relate to the Democratic Party and may or may not have a map of our LD (a map will require that we wait until the redistricting is completed) incorporated.

The Chair would ask the membership to begin thinking about new logo concepts so that the final ideas can be turned over to our graphic designers at the January 4, 2012 meeting. We want to have the new logo ready for the caucuses in April.

This concludes the Chair's Report.

## **Redistricting**

The State Redistricting Commission released their second set of proposed Legislative District maps on October 14. The original four maps have been reduced to two proposed maps, one from the Republicans and the other from the Democrats. They will now try to agree (three of the four Commissioners must agree) to present a single Legislative District map to the Legislature. The Commission plans to submit their map to the Legislature in early January.

In addition, the Commission must reduce the four proposed Congressional District maps to one for submission to the Legislature in January. The two proposed Legislative District Maps can be found at:

<http://wa-demchairs.org/2011/redistrictingproposals.php>

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This link can be found at the bottom of our website for easier access.

The Democrat's appointed to the commission have agreed upon a plan that works quite well for the 30th Legislative District. It smooths out the northern line, returning one precinct to the 33rd LD where it makes better geographic sense. The proposed plan's southern boundary remains the King/Pierce County line.

Both the Democratic and Republican plans redistrict State Senators out of their current LDs. The Democratic plan places Republican Joe Fain out of the 47th LD and into the 30th, while the Republican plan moves Tracey Eide's precinct out of the 30th LD and into the 33rd. Comments on the redistricting plans can be made at <<http://www.redistricting.wa.gov/>>.

## **Continue To Vote For Liz Drake**

As many of you have probably already read, Liz Drake has taken over as principal of Thomas Jefferson High School in an emergency situation. This is an interim position that will last until the end of the school year. As a result of her accepting this position, Liz has withdrawn from the School Director's race.

In accepting the principal's position at TJHS, Liz continues to demonstrate her commitment to the education of our children. In her heart, Liz has determined that she will be able to make the greatest difference in the lives the students by assuming this position.

From the primary election results, Liz was the clear front runner. Having Liz on the School Board would have been a great opportunity to begin reforming a badly broken school system.

Though she has withdrawn from the race, Liz's name will continue to appear on the General Election ballot. We would very much encourage everyone to continue to vote for Liz, and to encourage others to do the same.

On the one hand, this will demonstrate our sincere thanks to Liz for her years of commitment to educational excellence. On the other hand, it will continue to demonstrate that many of us living within the Federal Way School District continue to see the need for strong reform with the district's administration and school board.

## Mark Miloscia 2012 House Party Fundraiser

Come meet State Rep. Mark Miloscia on November 17th at 7:00pm. Mark is running for State Auditor, and would enjoy meeting his supporters at the home of Martin Moore (32600 51st Place SW Federal Way, WA 98023). Light refreshments will be served; Donations are greatly appreciated. Contact: Martin Moore: 253. 653. 3825, or visit Mark's website at: [www.MarkMiloscia.com](http://www.MarkMiloscia.com)

### New Social Security Video at [www.justscrapthecap.com](http://www.justscrapthecap.com)

Tim Burns and Paul Levy attended Social Security forum in Everett on Tuesday 10/18, were privileged to view the first public showing of this video. The video was produced in Seattle by the Economic Opportunity Institute (EOI) and Social Security Works Washington (SSWWA).

#### **HAVE YOU PAID YOUR MEMBERSHIP DUES ? IF SO, THANK YOU – IF NOT, PLEASE DO!**

Dues are due in February of each year. PCOs are encouraged to pay dues. (If your name is not on this list, please check with the treasurer.)

##### **President's Club:**

Jonathon/Sara Bristol, Larry/Hideko Coghill, Art/Dee Fluharty, Elbert/Linda Gage, Jeff Holden, Jean Matthew, Sterling Smith, Frank/Beverly Warnke, Jem Wear

##### **Senator's Club:**

John-Paul/Angelica Chaisson-Cardenas, Jim/Madelyn Grayson, Rick Hoffman, Paul Mallary, Linnea Peterson, Jacqueline Russo, Paul Schlossman

##### **Family Members:**

Larry/Judith Bengston, Yvonne Braune/Ned Raymond, Carmi/Melissa Brooks, Walt/Carolyn Brooks, Howard/Vernita Christianson, Jerry/Mary Clingan, Mike/Sue Dillard, Liz/Miles Drake, Roger/Sonya Freeman, Miriam/Neal Helgeland, Al/Teya Hillerman, John/Karolyn Hughey, Michael/Mary Kun, Paul/Maxine Levy, Geoffery/Devin McAnallo, Cheryl/Charmaine Monk, Lee Ann/Wald Prielipp, Jim/Nancy Siburg, John/Joan Tornow, Dan/Julie Turley, Cheryl/Michael Weatherby

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##### **Associate Members:**

Patricia Johnson, Omaha Sternberg

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Ring of Fire, Sat noon, Sun. 1 P.M.

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**Membership Levels:**

Voting Member: \$20      Family (2 voting members) \$ 25      Associate/Non Voting Member: \$10  
Senator's Club: \$50      President's Club      \$100

Any registered voter residing within the 30th Legislative District who hereby declares him/herself to be a Democrat may become a voting member upon payment of Annual Dues.      Dues are payable at time of joining and renewable in February each year.

**CALENDAR**

Wed 11/02 - 30th District Democrats Regular General meeting, 4016 S 352 St 98001 (1/2 mile west of Military) 7-9 PM Doors open 6:30 P.M. 1st Wed of each month.

Sat 11/10 - Newsletter Deadline for the next issue (contact [kurt@peppardfamily.ws](mailto:kurt@peppardfamily.ws) or 253-838-8618)

Wed 11/30 - Exec Board Meeting, at the offices of Flygare and Associates, 1715 S. 324th Pl. Suite 250, Federal Way 98003. This meeting is held on the last Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm. This meeting is open to all members of the 30th LD Democrats, where the members always have a voice.