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Regular Monthly General Meeting: **July 10th, 2013**

First Wednesday of each month, **7:00 to 9:00 pm**

WEA, 32032 Weyerhaeuser Way S., Federal Way

From The Chair

Notice - Change of meeting date for the July meeting — Due to the Independence Day Holiday on July 4, the July meeting has been moved to **Wednesday, July 10 at 7pm** at the WEA Headquarters Building (32032 Weyerhaeuser Way S, Federal Way).

Endorsements - The following candidates have been endorsed by the 30th LD Democrats.

King County Executive - Dow Constantine

King County Sheriff - John Urquhart

Auburn City Council Position 2 - Jodi Riker-Yap

Federal Way City Council Position 6 - Martin Moore

Federal Way School District Director Position 1 - Geoffery McAnallo

Federal Way School District Director Position 4 - Carol Gregory

Pacific City Council Position 4 - Leanne Guier

The endorsements committee has been busy interviewing candidates for the various offices relative to the 30th LD and should announce their recommendations at our July 10 membership meeting. A vote by the members to endorse candidates and/or issues requires a 60% majority of those present and voting.

A Mixed Bag - The United States Supreme Court

BOO - Voted to overturn the prequalification language in the Voter's Rights Act allowing for states to change voting laws without preview by the Justice Department

YEA - Voted the Defense of Marriage Act unconstitutional, thereby allowing Federal recognition of same sex marriage.

YEA - Sustained the ruling of a lower court that California's Proposition 8 is unconstitutional, allowing California to issue marriage licenses to same sex couples.

And in Texas-Senator Wendy Davis performed a one woman filibuster (11

hours) of proposed legislation which would have severely limited access by women to safe and legal abortions, killing the bill for the current session of the Texas Legislature. The fight will go on. Way to go Senator.

Correction - In the last issue of the Dialogue, I announced that the 30th LD Democrats had 8 PCOs who had filed for election in the 2013 cycle, and named Kristi Ceder as one of the PCOs. Kristi is indeed a PCO, however she is not running for office. At the June meeting, 2 of the candidates, Cheryl Reid-Simons and Marty Lelli, joined our organization. So we now have 9 members running for office, of which 7 are PCOs.

Mark Your Calendars - Events of Note

- Thursday, July 4 11am-4pm 4th Of July booth at Les Grove Park in Auburn
- Thursday, July 4 4pm-10pm Red, White and Blues booth at Celebration Park in Federal Way
- Wednesday, July 10 7pm membership meeting at WEA building in Federal Way
- Thursday, July 11 7pm PCDCC meeting IBEW Hall (3049 S 36th St. Tacoma)
- Saturday, July 13 Pacific Days parade and booth
- Friday, July 19 Algona Days booth
- Saturday, July 20 Algona Days Parade and booth
- Tuesday, July 23 7pm KCDCC meeting
- Saturday, July 27 30th LD Picnic at Steele Lake Park in Federal Way

Also — Monday, July 8 is the last day to register to vote by mail for the Primary Election

Wednesday, July 17 Primary Election ballots are mailed

Tuesday, August 6 Primary Election ballots are due

Outreach Committee Report

by Jodi Riker, Chair

Summer events are shaping up!

July

- Federal Way Red White and Blues DONE
- Auburn 4th of July Event DONE

- Pacific Days Event + Parade 12 13 14 set to go
- Algona days + Parade 19-20 set to go
- 27 30th LD Picnic set to go

August

- 9-11 Auburn Days set to go
- 17-18 Milton Days set to go

August 30, September 1 + 2 Yard Sale
WE HAVE A GO! Thanks to Roger Flygare and neighbors. Sign up for your price stickers (to put on items you want to sell). I have 12 packages.

September

6 - 22 Washington State Fair

What other ideas maybe useful, Do you have one? Let us know or come by a meeting and share. Just drop an email to JodiPCO@aol.com or call 253-293-5643.

Jodi Riker
Outreach Committee Chair
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Proposed Resolution

Submitted by Paul Levy

For Consideration at July 10th General Meeting

Proposed Resolution restricting recognition from the floor to members of the 30th District Democrats and certain candidates for office.

Whereas the 30th District Democrats is a private organization, and as such empowered to make its own rules;

and

Whereas the 30th District Democrats Bylaws state that "This organization shall support the goals and principles of the Democratic Party and those candidates, who, by their records and reputations are in general agreement with adopted Party platforms and who have been endorsed by this organization."

and

Whereas some individuals and some organizations pose a threat to distract us from pursuing the purpose and goals of the 30th District Democrats,

Be it resolved that:

Article 1. Only Members of the 30th District Democrats shall be recognized by the Chair.

Article 2. Only candidates seeking endorsement and are not known to be members of another political party shall be heard at Candidate Presentations.

Article 3. If an endorsement has been made for an elected office, only the endorsed candidate or his or her official surrogate may be heard in regard to that race.

State Comittee Report

by Ginny Leach and Geoffery McAnallo

The Washington State Democratic Central Committee meeting was called to order by Chair Dwight Pelz at 1:30 PM on Saturday April 27th. The meetings actually started at 8:00 AM with caucus meetings and then with committee meetings.

Dwight reported that the governor was pleased the with party and feels we were instrumental in getting him elected. We are a strong party and great respectability and one of the better states per President Obama. This past month was a tough one. We lost three great democrats: Barbara Geller, Blair Butterworth and Booth Gardener. A moment of silence was held to honor these three.

The meeting moved along very quickly. The treasurer's report was presented and approved and the budget for the year 2013 was approved.

DNC Report: Sharon Mast reported that nothing much has happened lately. The Western State Caucus meeting will be held in Las Vegas the first part of August.

The committee reports were presented. Alec Stephens is chair of the Affirmative Action

Committee and advised that the committee was getting prepared for the elections coming up in 2014 and 2016 and also reviewing our work from 2010-2012. Eastern Washington Chair Valery Brady-Rongy was in Minneapolis. Elections Committee chair Roger Erskine indicted that 2013 is an organizing year. The committee will be looking at ways to reach out to voters on a regular basis. John Webber reported on the rules committee reported on requests for specific language changes and changed the nominations process streamlining how this will be done by the top 2. Rob Dolin reported on the technology committee. The results from the Resolutions Committee as listed:

- #605 Did not pass as already included in the platform
- #606 Recommended pass with amendments
- #607 Recommended No Pass
- #608 Referred back to originator
- #609 Recommended Pass with amendments
- #588 Recommended Pass with amendments
- #610 Recommended No Pass
- #611 Recommended Pass with amendments
- #612 Recommended Pass with amendments and combined with #613
- #613 Recommended Pass with amendments and combined with #612
- #614 Recommended Pass with amendments and combined with #615
- #615 Recommended No Pass
- #616 Recommended Pass with amendments
- #617 Recommended No Pass
- #618 Recommended No Pass Combined with #619
- #619 Recommended No Pass combined with #618
- #621 Tabled until September meeting
- #622 Recommended Pass with amendments combined with #623
- #623 Recommended No Pass with combined with #622
- #624 Recommended Pass

The meeting adjourned at 2:51 PM – this is a new record!!

Campaign Announcements

Please come join
Geoffery McAnallo and Carol Gregory
Campaign Kick-offs
Washington Education Association (WEA)
32032 Weyerhaeuser Way, Federal Way
Tuesday, August 6th, 2013
From 6-9pm

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

President's Club

Larry/Hideko Coghill, Linda/Elbert Gage

Senator's Club

Jay/Peg Altman, Don/Kristi Ceder, Mason Cobb, Liz/Miles Drake, Art & Diana Fluharty, Roger/Karla Flygare, Jim/Madelyn Grayson, Rick Hoffman, Jeff/Kaori Holden, Ginny Leach, Paul Mallary, Devin/Geoffery McAnallo, Linnea Peterson, Paul Schlossman, Sterling Smith, Mark/Bonnie Thompson, Beverly Warnke, Jem Wear

Governor's Club

John-Paul/Angelica Chaisson-Cardenas, Jerry/Mary Clingan, Kim/Penni Dixon, Alfred Frank, Carol/Gil Gregory, Al/Teya Hillerman, Dan/Alice Olmstead, Jodi Riker-Yap/Jerry Yap, Jacqueline Russo, Dan/Julie Turley, Keith Tyler

Family Members

Jerold/Merriam Arvisais, Carmi Brooks/Melissa Brooks, Walt/Carolyn Brooks, Mary Bryce/Mike Thorne, Jim/Wendy Ferrell, John/Karolyn Hughey, Michael Campsmith/Myra Wisotzky, John/Karolyn Hughey, Bernie/Susan Knighton, Mike/Mary Kun, Paul/Maxine Levy, Barbara Reid/Liz Connor

Members

Patricia Artz, Janet Bentley, Tim Burns, Richard Champion, Donna Cirincione, Marguerite Condon, Bob Dickinson, Tracey Eide, Hope Elder, Dan Fisher, Jerry Flynn, Max Hedgecock, Miriam Helgeland, Lee Landrud, Tony Lui, Cheryl Monk, Lucy Musatti, Paul Names, Jean Noe, Catherine North, Mildred Ollée, Kurt Peppard, Kristine Reeves, Steve Sandberg, Leonard Sanderson, Lynnette Shureb, Randall Smith, Ean Thompson, Bev Webber

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CALENDAR

Wed 07/10 - 30th District Democrats Regular General meeting, WEA, 32032 Weyerhaeuser Way S., Federal Way; 7-9 PM Doors open 6:30 P.M. 1st Wed of each month.

Sun 07/20 - Newsletter deadline for the next issue. Send reports or opinion to comms@30thdemswa.org.

Wed 07/31 - Exec Board Meeting. Contact the Chair for location of the meeting. This meeting is held on the last Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm, and is open to all members of the 30th LD Democrats, where the members always have a voice.