



Minutes of Caucus Planning Meeting
34th District Democrats
October 2, 2007
Puget Ridge Housing

The meeting was called to order at 7:02PM.

Members present:

Beth Grieser, Bruce Stotler, Jackie Dupras, Ivan Weiss, Les Treall, Tanya Aguilar, Tim Nuse.

Call to order – Discussion on goals of meeting (Tim Nuse)

Tania María Rosario will take minutes.

Explanation of WSDCC Caucus Training Packets (Bruce Stotler)

Bruce walked the group through the draft WSDCC Caucus Training Packet distributed at the State Committee Meeting in Wenatchee.

Question – How do folk sign in if they have (1) mailing address and (1) another address that they are registered at.

SUGGESTION – Please include both mailing and residence address on formal PCC sign in sheet.

SUGGESTION – Yes, use “carbon-copies” for sign in sheets. Don’t use fine pens. Do use black (not blue) ball point.

IDEA – Have sign in sheets scanned in at the district level?

SUGGESTION – Have a large LD map for each site in LD 34. (\$300.00)

SUGGESTION – Have laptop at each ACC location with a PDF of the 34th LD map for caucus attendees to review and to use to look up their own precinct.

Locations (Sarah Earl)

We had 17 sites in 2004.

What do we have? We currently have 8 of them. Sarah Earl is working on this. Tim will help her with this. The Junction Area: Masonic Lodge is unavailable so we’re looking for a replacement.

IDEA – Admiral Area: Madison Middle School is an idea.

SUGGESTION – Cascade Middle School was overflowing in 2004. Use White Center Heights instead?

SUGGESTION – Sanislo was overflowing in 2004. Use _____ instead?

Fairmont is now closed and High Point is now open

Pathfinder?

McMurray will be used instead of Vashon

Should try to get WiFi keycode

OTHERS we need?

Subcommittees (?)

- Outreach/Get out to Caucus (GOTC) – **Les**, Jackie, Bruce
 - Post card sent to turn out attendees in January 2008 (?) Yes? No?
 - October – assemble GOTC reminder during 2007 election “lit-drop”
 - November – Reminder for holiday party with a “Save the Date” on it.
 - December – Reminder for holiday party with a “Save the Date” on it.
 - January – Create a post card to “Save the Date – RSVP”
 - Training for PCC’s and ACC’s
 - End of January – phone banking campaign: PCOs to call “A’s” and “Bs” to GOTC
- Locations – **Tim** and Sarah
 - Locations secured by November 2, 2007
 - Does your site have wi-fi?
 - Add laptop (with wireless card) to your check list.
- Area Caucus Coordinators (ACC) – Walter, Ivan, Tim (*Roger Fulton – Vashon – ask Carol Frontiero???*)
- Greeters/Trouble shooters (help @ site)/Sign-in/Map – **Beth** and Tanya (60 to 80 greeters needed) Rules (Part of the Acc/Greeters assignment)
- Refreshments (Recruit for that at next meeting – Ann Martin? Toni Lysen? Ernestine?)
- Finances – Greg will work on. What have we budgeted for caucuses? What do we expect to spend money on? Map, refreshments, pens, highlighters, locations, etc,

IDEA – Create a “Yes! I’ll help G.O.T.C.” for the October 10, 2007 LD 34 meeting.

IDEA – Reserve SouthWest Library conference room for “lit-drop” assembly party.

IDEA – Recruit PTA members as greeters since many of our sites are in schools.

Affirmative Action Chair/Outreach (Tanya Aguilar)

Tanya Aguilar and Tania María Rosario will reach out to the following for help:

- Maria Ramirez
- Gabriella Quintana
- George Chung/Tibor Horvath
- Fellow Fighter 34th leader Steve Karbowski

Next Steps / Assignments

Next Meeting – 7:00pm, November 1st at Puget Ridge Co-Housing 7020 18 Av SW.

9:00PM

Adjourn