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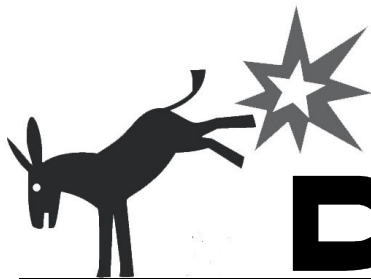
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July 2008

Chairman's Message

We organize

Our lineup of organizers for the 2008 campaign is falling into place, and it's a good one.

Most of you already know Artemis OakGrove, our acting PCO in SEA 34-1476, our 34th District coordinator for the Barack Obama campaign, and our Neighborhood Challenge District Organizer.

At our June meeting, we were proud to introduce Kimber McCreery, our PCO in SEA 34-1470, District Coordinator for Hillary Clinton, and now also a delegate to the national convention, as our Coordinated Campaign Field Organizer.

Coordinated Campaign Field Organizers almost never work in their home Districts, so this is a very big deal. Kimber's continued presence in the 34th, the contacts she makes, and the relationships she helps to build, will pay dividends for the 34th years from now.

There's more. David Ginsberg, our soon-to-be PCO in SEA 34-1485, our fastest-growing precinct (in High Point), is one of 6,000 people nationwide out of more than 30,000 applicants to earn an Obama Organizing Fellowship. David has undergone the organizing training for this group, and at his insistence, will be working in the 34th District, adding to the mobilization he already has begun in High Point.

He will be joined by Obama Fellowship winner Chris Manning, from San Diego, who is very excited to be in the 34th. Chris loves the area and the people she has met in the 34th. Maybe we can get her to stay.

The Marching Season is on us

Get on your walking shoes and get ready to show some Democratic Party strength in the four big annual parades in the 34th District.

The Burien 4th of July Parade leads it off. We'll be joining with Democrats from the 33rd and 11th Districts once again, with T-shirts and signs for all Democratic candidates. That will be followed on July 11th by the Vashon Strawberry Festival Parade, always a fun event. The Vashon Dems will have a booth at Strawberry Festival, and all Democrats are welcome.

Saturday, July 19 is a "two-fer." We'll have the West Seattle Hi-Yu Parade at 11 AM and the White Center Jubilee Days Parade at 2 PM. The 34th will have a booth at Jubilee Days, and all are encouraged to participate. Call Les Treall for details.

Meeting Notice

July 9, 2008

6:30 Social, 7:00 Meeting
The Hall at Fauntleroy
9131 California Ave SW
Across from the YMCA

Program

Endorsements will be considered.

Resolution in Support of I-97

Report from the Leadership Development Committee

Candidates for King County Superior Court

Representative for Initiative 1000, "Death with Dignity"

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Washington State Convention

The biggest news from the Washington State Convention is that two more delegates were elected from the 34th District. Kimber McCreery was elected as an At Large delegate for Clinton. Kimber had been a PCO in her birth state of Oklahoma and moved to West Seattle around a year ago. She attended her first 34th District meeting last October and became a PCO the following month. She was the 34th District organizer for Hillary Clinton and is now the Coordinated Campaign Field Organizer for our district, so if you don't know her now, you will probably will soon. Kimber lost to three of her friends by one vote each time for the first three ballots, but on the last ballot the one vote was in her favor. She was determined to be dignified if she won, but cries of joy could be heard from the back of the room, "I'm going to Denver! I'm going to Denver!"



Kimber McCreery working at the phone bank at the Coffman Law Office, which has donated their space to the campaign.

The other delegate elected needs no introduction. He is our Mayor and long-time 34th District member, Greg Nickels, who was elected as a Party Leaders and Elected Officials (PLEO) delegate. They join Chris Porter and Nick Bordner who were elected at the 7th Congressional Caucus in May. Congratulations to all of you.

The other big news of the convention was that we actually approved a platform and resolutions before the convention was over, a first in this writer's memory. The Platform Committee had been working long hours over many weekends and there were many comments that it was the best platform in recent memory. They had done such a good job that it was approved with little discussion. It also helped that the rules did not allow for any additions.

Several Charter amendments were on the agenda, but none were approved because there weren't enough delegates present at the convention. The current rules for amending the Charter specify that a majority of all delegates, including those not at the convention, must vote to approve an amendment. One amendment would have changed that to allow a majority of those present at the convention to pass an amendment of the charter. There was quite a bit of discussion on this, some talking about fairness, others concerned about a simple majority for passing an amendment to the charter which is, after all, the constitution of the party. After this amendment did not pass, a division was called for after several calls of points of order about this, that and the other thing, and it was found that there were simply not enough people in the room to pass any of the amendments.

In the evening, we visited the hospitality rooms. The Obama and Clinton were on the same floor on opposite ends, but there were nearly as many Obama supporters in the Clinton room as their own room, and the same for Clinton, a hopeful sign.

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It's a Busy Summer and we Need Volunteers!

There are several parades in July where we will march with our elected officials and this year some of us will be registering voters along the parade routes.

We will have booths at the festivals with those attending the booths selling buttons, registering voters, talking about the 34th District Democrats and politics in general. There will always be someone there who knows the ropes, so you won't be left to fend for yourself.

To sign up for a shift, to find out where to meet to line up for a parade, or any other questions, contact Les Treall at

Here's the Schedule:

Friday, July 4

Fourth of July Parade in Burien

This is a fairly short parade so it's an easy walk. There will be a barbecue before the parade and we will be registering voters there as well as during and after the parade.

The Weekend of July 11, 12 and 13 West Seattle Junction Festival

Our booth will be near Coffee to a Tea with Sugar, about halfway up the block between Easy Street and Radio Shack. We have shifts from 10:00 to 8:00 on Friday and Saturday, and to 6:00 on Sunday. As in Burien, we will have people walking around with clipboards registering voters, so we can use as many people as show up. There will be at least two people attending the booth.

T-Shirts

This time, they will really be there at our next meeting. There will be the traditional men's style in white or gray with the red, white and blue logo, and women's styles in white or light blue with a royal blue logo same as the one that is in this newsletter, AND

THEY WON'T SHRINK, a common complaint about our old ones! These are a wonderful fashion statement to make at a parade or festival. We are sorry but we cannot accept credit cards.



Vashon Strawberry Festival Grand Parade July 12

The Grand Parade starts at 11:00 In addition to our elected officials, we will walk with the Vashon Democrats too. They will have a booth, so stop in and say hello. If you want to save money and the frustration of trying to find parking on Vashon during a popular festival, you can walk on the ferry and ride a Metro bus leaving the Vashon terminal approximately every 30 minutes starting at 9:10 and dropping off riders at Ober Park. The last bus will leave at 5:00 and runs both Saturday and Sunday. It costs \$1.00 one way per person.

July 19

West Seattle Hi-Yu Parade

The parade starts in the Admiral area, at the Safeway and Lafayette School and ends at Edmunds Street at the end of the Junction. After this parade, some of us will carpool over to White Center for another parade.

July 19 -20

White Center Jubilee Days and Parade

We will have a booth both days of the festival and will march in the parade on Saturday which starts at 2:00. It is not known yet whether or not we will be walking with clipboards to register voters. In the past this practice has been frowned on by the sponsors of the parade.

Elect Peter Goldmark Land Commissioner

Join Peter from 5:00 to 8:00 on
July 25 at the Common Room
Puget Ridge Co-Housing
7020 18th Ave SW

Questions? Contact Les Treall or
Jackie Dupras

It's time for a Land Commissioner who cares
about the land, not corporate interests.
Peter Goldmark is a cattle rancher, longtime
rural school board member, former WSU
regent, state Director of Agriculture and
wildland firefighter of 30+ years.

Felicia Lucinda
Margo Macvicar-Whelan
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Gina Marchesini
Andy Marsman
Dorothy Marsman
Marjanne Masterman
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Becca McMullen
Donna McNamara
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Katherine Minsch *
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Holly Moore
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Teresa Muench
Amy Muth
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Joe Paar
David Pelton
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Dale Randles
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Oliviv Robinson
Brandon Robinson
John Rosellini
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Resolution Supporting I-97 Opposing War Profiteering

The following resolution, submitted by PCO John Repp, will be presented to the membership for approval at our July meeting:

Whereas: The 2003 invasion and occupation of Iraq, preemptively carried out under false pretenses, and without UN authorization, violates international law, placing those who plan, participate in, and profit from it outside the law; and

Whereas: The Israeli settlements built on occupied Palestinian lands are illegal under international law, placing those who plan, participate in, and profit from any settlement activity outside of international law; and

Whereas: The World Court in The Hague has ruled that the separation barrier built by Israel in the occupied Palestinian territories is illegal under international law, and should be dismantled, unequivocally placing those who plan, participate in, and profit from its erection outside of international law; and

Whereas: A pre-emptive military attack on Iran, as threatened by the United States of America and Israel, would also be a violation of international law; and

Whereas: The city of Seattle has in the past boycotted corporations engaged in activities violating international law, such as resolution 27220 mandating divestment from institutions doing business with apartheid-era South Africa; and

Whereas: The 34th District Democratic platform calls for a foreign policy that supports the values of the American people including “a steadfast desire for peace and justice” and support for “organizations that promote international law”; and

Whereas: Seattle ballot initiative 97, also known as the Seattle Divest from War and Occupation initiative is a grassroots effort to use the city of Seattle’s financial resources as a way to leverage corporations engaged in war profiteering, specifically Halliburton Holding Company and Caterpillar, Inc., to refrain from illegal activity in the Middle East; and

Whereas: Initiative 97 is consistent with the principles of the 34th District Democratic Party platform and we support its aims; and

Whereas: Seattle ballot initiative 97 backers need to gather 18,000 signatures by September 27, 2008;

Therefore the 34th District Democratic Party encourages our members to help collect signatures to help get Seattle Initiative 97 on the ballot; and

Therefore the 34th District Democratic Party will make available signature forms to each PCO for purposes of gathering signatures during the primary campaign walking season, asking voters in their precincts to sign the forms.

34th District Democrats 13th Annual Garden Party and Auction

August 8 at 6:00

West Seattle Nursery, 5275 California Ave SW

Food will be provided by the New Orleans Restaurant (the jambalaya is the best) with complimentary beer and wine.

To make this the best Garden Party ever, we need your help. If you have auction item to donate, or if you can volunteer to help, contact Tyler Smith at tjss64@gmail.com or 206-856-7781.



In Case You Missed the Last Meeting . . .

The meeting was called to order at 7:00. After the adoption of agenda, the May minutes and the Treasurer's report, Chairman Ivan Weiss asked for a moment of silence for PCO Robert Barton who passed away last week. After that, Ivan explained that with the new Top Two primary, as a write-in you can win with only one vote. You still do have to file as a write-in by the day before the election.

Tyler Smith is home from his first year at Johns Hopkins and is our Garden Party coordinator.

Dorsal Plants is our new hospitality chair. He is responsible for the refreshments during the meetings and is our Picnic Coordinator.

Drinking Liberally meets on the fourth Wednesday of every month at Mick Kelly's in Burien.

Tim Nuse told of his trip to DC for Starbucks concerning renewable energy. He met with Finance Committee members in an attempt to have the policy added to another bill; as yet it has not happened.

Joe, Eileen and Sharon are running unopposed!

Julia Garratt and Tim Bradshaw, candidates for Superior Court, spoke.

Jason Osgood is running for Secretary of State because he wants to ensure that all eligible registered voters stay registered. Our current Secretary of State bragged that he had just purged 400,000 voter records, and he is putting barcodes on ballots so they can be tracked. So much for a secret ballot! King County is the only county to keep these bar coded ballots from being used in elections.

We had a discussion of the Highland Park jail siting issue. Dina Johnson and Dorsol Plants have been working on this issue. There are two sites under consideration in West Seattle: Myers Way and Roxbury, reasoning it's next to the park and ride and has easy public transportation access. The other is located at the bottom of the hill on the north end of Highland Park. This site has no easily accessible transportation. Both these locations are a bad idea. The courthouse is located downtown; all prisoners would have to be transported. Changes to bus routes would be needed. When prisoners are released at midnight, the only place they have to go is residential housing. The City's justification for a residential location is that only one in five will be violent offenders and it's only going to be a 450 bed jail.

Monica Cavagnaro spoke against the proposal. She has lived in the area for 17 years and says it is

only recently that things have gotten better. The jail will turn that 180 degrees in the wrong direction. We don't have the police support to handle what this jail will bring to our community.

Steve Sundquist, Seattle School Board member, told us we have a strong leader and good educators, and we have a strong board. There is work being done in neighborhoods to build stronger schools. Math and science test scores are lagging behind the national average. Our graduation standards are lower than most college entrance standards, so most graduates are not even qualified to enter a four year college. There's lots of work left to do.

Tami Scheibach was appointed PCO in SEA 34-1475

The resolution that was in last month's newsletter concerning re-empowering the Food and Drug Administration passed by acclamation.

A motion to donate \$1,034 to Washington Public Campaigns was on the agenda. It was pointed out that the 36th District had donated \$1,036, \$2.00 more, and we simply couldn't have that. So a motion was made to donate \$1,134. Marcee Stone spoke for the motion explaining that WPC had used all they had to get legislation passed during the last session and there is still work to be done. The motion passed.

Several candidates for Superior Court were endorsed: Regina Cahán, Position 10; Barbara Mack and Nic Corning, Position 37, Mariane Spearman, Position 53 and Rebecca Graham, Position 22.

In good of the order, Laura Feinstein asked about carpooling while volunteering for Darcy Burner, Robin Hess asked us to sign the Death with Dignity Initiative, Crain Salins thanked us for donating to Washington Public Campaigns, and Jenn Huston reminded us of the kick off for our State Representatives and Senator.

Treasurer's Report

Balance at the end of May.....	\$36,766
June Revenues*	1,070
June Expenses**	4,833
Balance as of June 29	\$33,004

* Includes \$354 in donations for buttons

** Includes \$1,134 in donation to Washington Public Campaigns

Nathan Ford
Linda Forest
Claire Foster
Maryanne Foucault
Ron Fowler
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Endorsements

Our two U.S. Representatives whose Districts include the 34th LD, Jim McDermott and Adam Smith, have been nominated by the Democratic Party, as have our three state Legislators, Senator Joe McDermott and Representatives Eileen Cody and Sharon Nelson. But the 34th District has not formally endorsed any of these candidates yet, and certainly we should expedite this at the July meeting.

We also have not yet considered endorsement of the candidates for Superintendent of Public Instruction (nonpartisan). Incumbent Terry Bergeson is being challenged by former State Representative Randy Dorn, and by Enid Duncan. We know from her campaign that Bergeson cannot attend our July meeting. We have not heard from the other two candidates.

Just to be clear, it is not this chairman's policy to contact candidates and invite them to speak. It is the responsibility of candidates and their campaigns to contact us if they want our votes and our endorsement. They pay campaign managers and recruit scores of volunteers whose job it is to promote their candidates. We do not do the campaigns' jobs for them.

Report from the King County Democrats June Meeting

DNC Rep Sharon Mast substituted for Chair Sheary in running the meeting. The next meeting will be on July 22, 2008 from 7 to 9 at Carpenters Hall. Preceding this meeting wKCDCC will host a barbecue for Peter Goldmark, Democratic candidate for Public Lands Commissioner. There is a suggested donation of \$25. Please rsvp to kingcountydemocrats@msn.com or 425.255.5679.

Supreme Court Justice Charles Johnson is running for re-election to Pos. No. 4. He has held the position for 18 years (3 terms) and is a Washington native. He supports a fair and impartial judiciary.

Jason Osgood spoke regarding his run for Secretary of State.

State Party Chair Dwight Pelz gave a status report on the state party organization. The Obama campaign has a lot of confidence in our state organization. There will be an infusion of \$2.4 million from the DNC for GOTV in Washington. Local campaign workers have taken lead roles in the Obama Campaign in Chicago. The Latino Vote Project will be directed by Carlos Lugo.

Most candidates get this. Therefore I expect that one candidate for SPI or another will contact us before the July meeting, and we will make space on the agenda for whoever wants to attend.

We will welcome additional candidates for King County Superior Court, and probably will hear from representatives for Initiative 1000, the "Death With Dignity" Initiative.

In addition, we will hear a report from the 34th District Democrats' Leadership Development Committee, and will get updates on our 34th District Democrats Picnic, July 24 at Lincoln Park, and our 15th Annual 34th District Democrats Garden Party and Auction, August 8 at West Seattle Nursery.

See you Wednesday, July 9, for all the democracy you can handle.

--
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 "When they're working, we're working
 When they're sleeping, we're working."

Michele Gregoire updated us on Governor Chris Gregoire's re-election campaign. The Governor will be the Grand Marshall at the Gay Pride Parade, June 29. There will be a campaign event on the July 17 for the Governor with Michele Obama. Outreach offices have opened all across the state. If you want to help her campaign please call the campaign at 206.382.2008.

Joel Ware introduced a Resolution in Opposition to the City of Seattle's Demolition of Homeless Encampments which passed overwhelmingly.

Several district chairs reported on the activities of their districts which included: movie nights, discussion groups, an Eastside dinner, and one district hired a fundraiser to work for their local candidates.

The LAC's next meeting is on July 20. Speakers will be Representatives Roger Goodman and Al O'Brien.

*Marcee Stone,
 King County Committeewoman*

Calendar

Wednesday, July 9, 7:00
34th District Democrats' Monthly Meeting
 The Hall at Fauntleroy

Wednesday, July 16, 7:00
Executive Board Meeting
 7020 18th Ave SW, Common House

Tuesday, July 22, 5:00
KCDCC Fundraiser for Peter Goldmark
 Renton Carpenters Hall, 231 Burnett Ave N

Tuesday, July 22, 7:00
KCDCC Endorsement Meeting
 Renton Carpenters Hall, 231 Burnett Ave N

Wednesday, July 23, 7:00
Drinking Liberally in Burien
 Mick Kelly's Irish Pub, 435 SW 152nd

Thursday, July 24, 5:00 or thereabouts
34th District Democrats' Annual Picnic
 Shelter 3, Lincoln Park

Thursday, July 25, 6:00—8:00
Fundraiser for Peter Goldmark
 7020 18th Ave SW, Common House

August 8, 6:00
34th District Democrats Annual Garden Party
 West Seattle Nursery

See Page 3 for a calendar of Outreach events.

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- Annie Phillips
- Judy Platt
- William Pope
- Chris Porter
- Elizabeth Pratt
- George Pratt
- George and Pratt
- James Price
- Sharon Price
- Bob Privett
- Dona Purdy
- Jennine Purrington
- Alix Pye
- Adrienne Quinn
- Duff Radke-Boogen
- Maria Ramirez *
- Marvin Randle
- Melissa Ransdell
- Narisa Ratana
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- Martha Reddington
- James Reed
- Maurice Regnier *
- David Rehfeld
- Mary Rehm
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- Rosemary Rice
- Colleen Rice-Lozensky
- Kate Richardson
- Ron Richardson
- Carol Richmond
- Jan Richmond
- Tim Riley
- Pat Ritzman
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- Martha Schafer
- Jonathan Scheffer
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- Pamela Schubert
- Richard Schubert
- Mike Schultz
- Jane Schumacher
- Lena Scott
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- Leslie Serebryakova
- Helen Shampain
- Sylvia Shapiro
- Sasha Shaw
- Diane Shearer
- Bob Shields
- Rick Shrum
- Michael Shuler
- Micheline Sierer
- Christi Sifri
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- Pam Silverstein
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- Sandra Stamm
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- Julia Styer
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- Terry Sullivan
- Steve Sundquist
- Sue Sutton
- Phil Sweetland
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- Lisa Taylor
- Linda Tepe
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- Leonard Thomas
- Naomi Thomas
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- Irene Tobin
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- Sindy Todo
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34th District Democrats Annual Potluck Picnic

Lincoln Park, Shelter 3

Thursday, July 24, 6:00

Set -up at 5:00 (come early and help if you can)
 grills start buring at 6:00



Hamburgers, hot dogs, corn and beverages provided by the
 34th District Democrats (alcohol is not allowed in city parks)
 Please bring your favorite potluck dish

Shelter 3 is the large shelter on the beach below the south parking
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