

Lewis and Clark Central Committee Meeting Minutes, 12/19/2023

Secretary's report

November's report accepted by acclamation

Treasurers Report

- Raised in last month (11/22/2023-12/19/2023): \$141.74
- \$140 from ActBlue,
- \$1.74 in interest received from the bank
- Spent since last meeting: \$7.26
- \$2.50 in banking fees
- \$4.76 in ActBlue fees
- Cash in bank: \$4,321.69

Recap of events from past year

- Jakob reviewed progress over the year, events, working group meetings, communications updates, swag acquisition.
- Discussed end of year donation drive to go to Gods Love, United Way, and Our Place.

Discussion of 2024 goals

- Legislative / election work
 - Have a Democratic candidate for every race that happens in our county.
 - Working with other counties to make that happen.
 - HD84 is still open, we are working on finding a candidate. Dr. Tia Nelson, a veterinarian, CEO Valley Veterinary Hospital, is considering running. Her husband is Derek Brown.
 - Help raise money with Cascade County
 - Work with other central committees to get candidates for all state legislative seats, even if it means just running someone from the central committee
 - Help with statewide / congressional races
 - Fill our precinct seats: 33 precincts, 2 seats available per precinct
 - Increase our recurring donation amount to be able to support an office space where we can host meetings and do our work.
 - State Democratic Convention presence this summer
 - Compelling Values and Vision statements
 - Production of End of Year report

- John Driscoll proposed promoting an initiative to have voters decide whether to explore the possibility of
- Kev: Host a class on how to use social media to support candidates at January meeting. Instagram, Facebook, Twitter, Threads
 - Crossing the divide event?
- Consider reestablishing a congressional liaison officer

Meeting adjourned at 7:29 pm

Attendees

Jakob Miles
Kev Hamm
Linda Beishel
Linda An?
Monica Abbot
Bob Abbot
Jan Clinard, pct 13
Mary Ann Dunwell,
Tom ?, new citizen
John Driscoll, pct 14
Ben, Pct 8
Mary Caferro
Shani Henry
Kent Stevenson?
Linda Braxton
Mark Makin, pct 21
Carol Makin
Bob Schmitt
Ciara Maxwell