10.2.18 RAR TUESDAY GENERAL MEETING

Group contact information

Website: www.riseandresist.org

• Email list signup http://eepurl.com/cCzq1X

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WE WILL START MEETING NEXT WEEK AT PEOPLE'S FORUM

Organization for small grassroots organizations

Address: 320 West 37th Street between 8th and 9th Ave.

Space we will use is on first floor.

Cost \$50 an hour, so meeting will cost \$125

We will put up a sign on door of church of the Village next week announcing the new location.

Facilitators: Jennifer Van Dyke, Jay Walker Greeter: Dann Ramirez

Note taker: Alexandra W

Introduction

Three new member introduced themselves

Kavanaugh Action REVIEW AND UPDATE

Thursday, Friday Senate floor was locked down. Tactic was to mob the elevators. Thursday 60 were arrested.

Friday: Moral you never know what is going to happen. STEP UP

Call your Senator too: Goal is to delay and defeat. On Thursday procedural vote planned. Possible vote on Saturday.

The narrative is starting to change. Gender gap is increasing, and conservatives are feeling Kavanaugh is damaged goods

Big action planned on Saturday: evolving

Kavanaugh is the greatest threat: he could be on the court for 40 years.

CONTACT INFORMATION FOR GETTING TO WASHINGTON DC, GETTING UPDATES ON WHAT IS HAPPENING IN DC

bit.ly/WECANWIN

202-975-5911 This is number to call Housing Works/CPD for any questions. CPD commits to respond to all calls and texts.

There are DAILY calls at 8:30 updating people as to busses, accommodations, and what is going on in Washington DC. Here is the link:

https://myaccount.maestroconference.com/conference/register/KKKA8177XKQPBVGR

There is ALSO a bus leaving NYC to DC on Weds oct 3 at 2 pm. from the LGBT center located at 208 West 13th Street

Bus will be there at 1:30 Pm with 2pm departure

To be on list, text Darnell to be on the list at 646.945-2818.

NYC: Anti Kavanaugh Women's March is Weds 6 to 8 pm in Washington Square Park.

Thursday 5 PM National Walk Out Trump Tower

Elevator Action Group Rally at 9 AM Friday. 60 Center Street Settlement hearing in front of Judge Shlomo Hagler re lawsuit CIDNY vs MTA

TAKE PHOTOS AND VIDEOS AND SEND THEM TO media@riseandresist.org

There is no news re the new venue, but we will be moving to West 37th Street

Tasks for each meeting: volunteers are needed

Opening the room at 6:30 Closing the room at 9:30 Taking notes Managing slides Greeter

List was passed around

Facilitators: we need to up our numbers.

There is a Monday phone call at 5 pm to develop the agenda and prepare. Please email facilitation@riseandresist.org

Gays against Guns

Will be participating in Halloween parade this next year. Theme will be Russiagate: bots, etc.

Request: that RaR endorse and join in.

Person who came for first time has offered to donate fabric

Debbie: 917.213.4498 leave a message and she will get back to you.

RaR voted to endorse, and various members said they wanted to participate

RaR has \$200 to contribute, but GAG may not need it.

Healthcare/elections

Flipping House and Senate

Healthcare is top concern among many voters

District 11 in Staten Island will be in contention: Max Rose; was was recently endorsed by President Obama

Turn out the vote: Leafleting at the Manhattan side of the Staten Island Ferry

Thursday October 4 4:30 to 6:30pm Thursday October 11 4:30 to 6:30pm

Police Brutality

Friday Sept 28 huge rally and march at Union Square **Botham Jean w**as murdered by cop who "went into wrong apartment" and thought there was an intruder in her apartment.

Apollo talked about new police tactics, using scooters to intimidate protesters. Marshalls should be aware. Talked about OWS

NYPD is most aggressive for Black Lives Matter marches over any other marches. Recommends documenting everything.

Finances:

Susan announced:

\$266.55 was collected in rent for general meeting tonight.

Net worth is \$8541.00

Grant for \$3000.00 came through

Postcard Party

Report on recent victory party for anti IDC campaigns, and wrote postcards !2 candidates to write for for State Senate.

Text HELLO TO (484) ASK-ABBY (or 484-275-2229) or go to

www.postcardstovoters.org/volunteer/

Next party: Weds October 24, 209 East 56th Street #6B

Non RaR Actions

Planned Parenthood;

Weekly meetings at Old St Patrick's Cathedral Saturday at 7:45 AM

263 Mott Street

Anti choice people attacked several people; Ed Bonfanti (frequent visitor to RaR) got a concussion.

Very important to come out this week.

We gather in front of church and goal is to delay anti choice people from entering the clinic. Anti choice people bring fake escorts and confuse patients.