New London Green Party - DRAFT MINUTES

26 Bank Street, New London October 2, 2011

In attendance: Andy Derr (chair), Tim Hanser, Chris Nelson, Ronna Stuller (recorder), Joan Sullivan-Cooper

Minutes from the September 1 nominating meeting were approved, with clarification of which of the attendees were voting members.

Treasurer's report: Current balance is \$918.47.

State Central Committee: The September meeting was held in New London. A committee was formed to update the CTGP bylaws; Tim is serving on the committee.

Old business

- (1) Municipal elections 2011: Green candidates for Council and Board of Ed Tim is working on a campaign budget; lawn signs are expected to arrive tomorrow; house parties and other fundraisers are being planned; volunteers are needed for canvassing, phone banking, office work, design, and more....
- (2) Referendum question: The wording is: "Shall the City of New London sell a portion of Riverside Park to the Federal Government?" Friends of Riverside has has been hosting events to bring people into the park, and lawn signs are available. It was suggested that FOR offer publicity for candidates who support a "no" vote.
- (3) David Cobb visit on October 28 on "Move to Amend" tour; we are working on locations for New London presentations at Connecticut College (afternoon) and downtown (evening). Ronna will contact David to ask if a Saturday morning NLGP fundraiser would be okay.

New business

6. Updates

- a. Thinking Green: Fall season starts this week on Wednesday.
 Most shows between now and the election will feature our candidates
- 7. Announcements: Neighborhood Alliance candidate forums will be held on Tuesday 10/11 (BOE) and Tuesday 10/18 (Council), at the Senior Center.
- 8. Next meeting day and time: Sunday, November 13, 6:30pm.