

**New London Green Party**  
August 4, 2013 - DRAFT MINUTES

In attendance: Pat Bolles, Tim Hanser, Kenric Hanson (facilitator), Mirna Martínez, Bud McAllister, Bob Stuller, Ronna Stuller (recorder), Joan Sullivan-Cooper

The meeting was called to order at 7:05pm.

Minutes from 7/7/13 were not available.

Treasurer's report: No report.

State Central Committee: Linda Lancz and Scott Deshefy are working on starting a Greater Norwich chapter; Ronna attended their August 1 meeting. A fundraiser event featuring Dr. Jill Stein is being planned for next month. The CTGP is also looking into locations for a day-long retreat.

**Old business**

2013 local elections

- (1) Town Committee meeting: scheduled for Tuesday, August 6, at 7pm, to plan next steps.
- (2) Nominating Meeting: Ken moved, Tim seconded, that the Nominating Meeting be scheduled for Thursday, August 29, location TBD; approved by consensus. Ronna will explore locations, starting with Captain's Pizza, and will send out notices.

**New business**

No new business

**Updates**

- a. Sustainability Committee - didn't meet in July.
- b. State of the City - City will not be able to convert to compressed natural gas, as station cannot be located under bridges; Bennie Dover MS is being looked at for site of solar
- c. Riverside Park - Peace Pollinator garden and rain garden nearly finished; Sandy Ground playground construction likely in September.
- d. Thinking Green - will return to the air in October, on Thursdays at 8pm
- e. New London Parent Advocates - no report.

**Announcements & upcoming events**

August 6 - New London budget referendum  
September 7 - Down by the Riverside Festival  
September 8 - Jill Stein visits Connecticut

Meeting was adjourned at 8:17pm; next meeting will be held on Sunday, September 8, at 6:30pm.