## **New London Green Party**

October 4, 2015 - 225 State St, New London

In attendance: Stephanie Gregerman, Tim Hanser (facilitator), Mirna Martinez, Jason Morris, Daniel Spurr, Bob Stuller, Ronna Stuller (recorder).

The meeting was called to order at 7:02pm.

Minutes from the 9/6 regular meeting were approved by consensus.

Treasurer's report: Deposits for the period: \$2,340.00; Expenses: \$3,113.12; Balance: \$697.45. The campaign has received \$2,280.23 in loans, which may be repaid or forgiven at a later date.

State Central Committee: Ronna attended the September 8 meeting. The formation of an antianimal cruelty committee was approved. A fundraiser will be held on October 21 at Wheeler's Restaurant in West Haven: dinner and guest speaker Jeff Cordulack (NOFA Executive Director).

## **Old business**

(1) 2015 Campaign and Outreach:

Candidates (plus a few volunteers) are canvassing next weekend.

Outreach opportunities:

Park clean-ups have been held in Riverside, Bates Woods, and Greens have joined NL Parks Conservancy's clean-up at Williams Park; a clean-up is scheduled for October 11 at Greens Harbor Park. Other opportunities to pursue: house parties, fashion event, coffee socials, "rooting for NL" campaign, Halloween Town.

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## Updates

- (1) State of the City: Funding was finally approved for snow plows; 4 NLPD officers have been hired, but new contract will reduce patrols due to loss in hours.
- (2) Education: The Equity & Diversity Policy and a new Attendance Policy were passed at the last BOE meeting.
- (3) Thinking Green Back on the air this month, Tuesdays at 7pm; in process of scheduling candidate interviews for October programs.

## Announcements & upcoming events

Wednesday, October 7: NationBuilder demonstration at Spark!, 13 Golden St. Saturday, October 18, Scenes from Riverside Park art opening, Firehouse Gallery

Meeting was adjourned at 8:55pm. Next meeting will be Sunday, November 1, at 225 State St.

Approved by consensus on November 1, 2015.