New London Green Party Nominating Meeting

August 4, 2019 – Riverside Park, Adelaide Street, New London

Voting members in attendance: Frida Berrigan, Patricia Bolles, Carol Booth, Andy Derr, Andrew Lopez, Bud McAllister, Mirna Martínez (facilitator), Patrick Sheehan-Gaumer, Daniel Spurr, Ronna Stuller (recorder), Bob Stuller. Guests: Martina Bottinelli, Owen Charles, Lisa Cygan, Tim Grimes, Doug Lary, Alicia McAvay, Allison McGuire.

Start time 5:15pm.

I. New London Mayoral election

Frida Berrigan was introduced as the Town Committee-endorsed Green Party candidate for Mayor of New London. There were no other nominations presented from the floor, and Frida was approved unanimously by acclamation. She spoke to the group about her campaign goals, values, and strategies.

II. New London City Council election

NLGP Chair Ronna Stuller shared information about the process required to petition to regain the ballot line for City Council. Bob Stuller and Andy Derr have agreed to be placeholder candidates for the purpose of petitioning. There were no other nominations presented from the floor, and both Bob and Andy were approved unanimously by acclamation.

III. Upcoming campaign milestones

A second nominating convention will be held on Tuesday, September 3, to endorse nominee(s) for Board of Education as well as replacement candidate(s) for City Council. Deadline to submit minor party endorsements is September 4.

End time 6:10pm.

Meeting was followed by celebration, photos, and completion of candidate documentation.

Subject to approval.