

AUGUST 6 2016

MINUTES OF 350occ

PRESENT: ANNIE ARONSON, MAXINE CENTALA, TOM KERNS, BOB SOUTHWICK, KATHLEEN SOUTHWICK, DONNA DIGIACINTO, GINGER GOUVIEA , DIANNE ECKSTEIN, PAT KENNEDY, DOROTHY STERN-KUCHA, BILL KUCHA

ANNIE BROUGHT TWO PANELS DICTATING THE EARTH ON FIRE AND SHARED THAT VOLVO WOULD BE PRODUCING ONLY ELECTRIC CARS BY 2020. MAXINE SHARED THE WORKING OUTLINE OF THE STEWARD'S HANDBOOK. KATHLEEN IS PRACTICING TELLING PEOPLE ABOUT GLOBAL WARMING. DONNA SHARED SHE IS WORKING ON A VIDEO WITH BILL. GINGER MADE A POSTER OF HER GRANDCHILDREN AND IS GETTING THEM INVOLVED IN AWARENESS OF GLOBAL WARMING. DIANNE POSTS EACH DAY THE CO2 LEVELS ON FACEBOOK. DOROTHY IS WORKING WITH FRAN RECHT TO GET THE DEPOE BAY MAYOR ENDORSEMENT OF THE PARIS ACCORD AND LOOKING INTO BANNING PLASTIC BAGS IN NEWPORT. BILL IS SEEKING BUSINESS ENDORSEMENTS FOR SENATE BILL 10-70.

AGEND ITEMS

SENATE BILL 1070 CAP AND TRADE. OREGON IS PIGGYBACKING WITH CALIFORNIA FOR THE AUCTION.

- BILL ENCOURAGED US TO GET VERBAL ENDORSEMENTS FROM ANY BUSINESS PEOPLE WITH WHOM WE DO BUSINESS. THE ENDORSEMENT FORMS ARE ON THE WEBSITE AND AN EXPLANATION OF THE BILL AS WELL.
- CINDY GOT A VERBAL ENDORSEMENT FROM NEWPORT MAYOR. WE ARE HOPING TO GET ALL THE CITIES IN LINCOLN COUNTY ON BOARD.
- THERE WAS A DISCUSSION ON HOW TO GET SOMEONE FROM PORTLAND TO SHARE HOW THEY WORKED TO HAVE A PRESENCE IN THE SCHOOLS.
- KATHLEEN AND BILL SAID THEY WOULD HELP MAXINE WITH THE HANDBOOK.
- IT WAS DECIDED WE WOULD NOT PRINT BROCHURES ABOUT 350. RATHER WE WOULD HAVE IT ON LINE. BOB SUGGESTS HAVING A BUSINESS CARD THAT PEOPLE COULD DOWNLOAD, PRINT AND USE TO SPREAD THE WORD.
- WE ARE WANTING TO EXPAND OUR MEMBERSHIP. WE WERE ENCOURAGED TO SHARE THE WORD WITH OUR FRIENDS AND SOCIAL CONTACTS. BILL WILL BE INTERVIEWED ON BOSS RADIO. HE IS LOOKING INTO OTHER RADIO STATIONS AS WELL AS HAVING AN ARTICLE PUBLISHED IN THE LOCAL PAPERS.
- SEVERAL OTHER IDEAS WERE BROUGHT UP (TABLE AT LINCOLN COUNTY FAIR, CONTACTING CHURCHES FOR NEW MEMBERS, ETC) BUT THERE WERE NO VOLUNTEERS TO ACT UPON THEM.
- DIANNE ANNOUNCED THAT THERE WOULD BE A DISCUSSION AT THE MOVING TRAIN BOOK GROUP ABOUT THE HIDDEN LIFE OF TREES. 2ND TUESDAY IN SEPTEMBER AT 6:30 AT THE NEWPORT LIBRARY.

- BOB EXPLAINED THE WORKINGS OF THE WEBSITE AND THE FORUM ASPECT OF IT. WE WERE HOPING TO USE THIS TO CONDUCT COMMITTEE BUSINESS. HE ENCOURAGED EVERYONE TO CHECK IT OUT AND GET BACK TO HIM WITH SUGGESTIONS AND QUESTIONS. HE ASKED THAT EACH OF US REGISTER ON THE FORUM. IF WE DO NOT USE IT IT WILL BE LOST.

SCHEDULE CHANGE: MEETING WILL BE HELD THE 2ND SUNDAY OF SEPTEMBER FROM 1 TO 3 WITH TOM SPEAKING ON THE TRIBUNAL WORK AND HOW WE WILL PROCEED IN GETTING THE DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE INTO THE LOCAL CITY HALLS.

WE FINISHED THE MEETING BY TAKING A PHOTO OF THE GROUP FOR PUBLICITY PURPOSES.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED

DOROTHY STERN-KUCHA