

01/12/2006

Libertarian Party of Boulder County

1. Call to Order @ 8:00 p.m.

Attendees: Bo Shaffer, Derik Lane, Paul Tiger, Kristen Hoyer, Randy Luallin, Paul Weisman

2. Additions to the Agenda - 0

3. Acceptance of November minutes - yes

4. Directors Reports

Secretary Report - Next meeting will be at Cheng's in Louisville, February 9th, dinner at 6:30 p.m., meeting at 7:00 p.m. March 9 meeting to be held at Longmont Library per Bo's arrangement at 7:00 p.m.

Treasurer's Report - Bo was able to get a new bank account. The balance is still being transferred, approximately \$600.00. Bo obtained an EIN on 1/12 for the new account. EIN is 16-1745956.

Newsletter Report - No report. Bo's comments: We need someone within the party to take over as newsletter editor and publisher. Also, the LPCO will be having a Casino Night fund raiser in February. Seems to have been slow prior to the end of the year and will begin to pick up again with the new year.

Membership Report - No Report. Bo's comments: We need someone to help with membership as well. Paul will be helping get the membership rolls so we can follow up and retain membership. We had one member re-new membership, Chris Gibbons. Plus a donation from same member.

Publicity Report - Open subject for this months topical luncheons. Paul will be publishing a weekly op-ed piece in the Rocky Mountain News and Denver Post starting in February. It is called Tiger Tales and will be published in the RMN on Thursday's and in the Post on Saturday's every other week. Our events are published in the Colorado Daily, Times Call and a few more news outlets as Paul has time for, as well as yourhub.com online.

Fund Raising Report - During events this year we would like to be able to sell items such as soda or candy bars at our tent to help raise money. Does anyone have any ideas? Please come forward in the name of Liberty if you do.

Outreach - No next event is scheduled, however Bo says there may be an opportunity at the Frozen Dead Guy Days in Nederland, in March.

Campaigns Report - We may have a possible candidate for a County Commissioner position, Randy Luallin has expressed interest as a Libertarian Candidate. Bo has the new voters registration CD.

Chair Report - It's a New Year and we need to get rolling with actions for the LPBC. The last couple of months we have left it on the back burner and have refreshed ourselves for the upcoming year. We need some more people to fill empty seats on the Board and for upcoming events.

5. Old Business

- A. Bank Account - We have finally gotten through the red tape and have opened a new account. (See Treasurers notes)
- B. FCPA Filing - Paul filed for us this month.

6. New Business

A. Speaker/Guest -Paul Weisman - Rep. Weisman attended the meeting to let the board know what was going on in the State Capitol. Rep. Weisman also let the board know that over the past couple of years the state legislature has been closing the windows to third parties ballot access instead of increasing the accessibility. It is something the LPBC will need to look at when candidates step forward to gain access to the ballot. He was very helpful with answering questions as well. Thank you Rep. Weisman for attending.

B. NORML/SAFER - NORML and SAFER organizations will be collecting signatures to widen the marijuana/alcohol equalization legislation that was approved by voters in the City of Denver this past election. Also, the NORML and SAFER will be holding a 4:20 celebration in Longmont in April. This event will include live music and other events.

C. Next meeting will be a Cheng's on February 9th and at the Longmont Library on March the 9th.

D. Next Event - Frozen Dead Guy Days. (See Outreach notes)