10.2.18 RAR TUESDAY GENERAL MEETING

Group contact information

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WE WILL START MEETING NEXT WEEK AT PEOPLE’S FORUM
Organization for small grassroots organizations

Address: 320 West 37th Street between 8th and 9th Ave.
Space we will use is on first floor.
Cost $50 an hour, so meeting will cost $125
We will put up a sign on door of church of the Village next week announcing the new location.

Facilitators: Jennifer Van Dyke, Jay Walker  Greeter: Dann Ramirez
Note taker: Alexandra W

Introduction
Three new member introduced themselves

Kavanaugh Action REVIEW AND UPDATE

Thursday, Friday Senate floor was locked down. Tactic was to mob the elevators.
Thursday 60 were arrested.
Friday: Moral you never know what is going to happen. STEP UP

Call your Senator too: Goal is to delay and defeat. On Thursday procedural vote planned. Possible vote on Saturday.
The narrative is starting to change. Gender gap is increasing, and conservatives are feeling Kavanaugh is damaged goods
Big action planned on Saturday: evolving

Kavanaugh is the greatest threat: he could be on the court for 40 years.

CONTACT INFORMATION FOR GETTING TO WASHINGTON DC, GETTING UPDATES ON WHAT IS HAPPENING IN DC
bit.ly/WECANWIN
202-975-5911 This is number to call Housing Works/CPD for any questions. CPD commits to respond to all calls and texts.
There are DAILY calls at 8:30 updating people as to busses, accommodations, and what is going on in Washington DC. Here is the link:
https://myaccount.maestroconference.com/conference/register/KKKA8177XKQP8VGR
There is ALSO a bus leaving NYC to DC on Weds oct 3 at 2 pm. from the LGBT center located at 208 West 13th Street

Bus will be there at 1:30 Pm with 2pm departure

To be on list, text Darnell to be on the list at 646.945-2818.

NYC: Anti Kavanaugh Women’s March is Weds 6 to 8 pm in Washington Square Park.

Thursday 5 PM National Walk Out Trump Tower

Elevator Action Group Rally at 9 AM Friday. 60 Center Street
Settlement hearing in front of Judge Shlomo Hagler re lawsuit CIDNY vs MTA

TAKE PHOTOS AND VIDEOS AND SEND THEM TO media@riseandresist.org

There is no news re the new venue, but we will be moving to West 37th Street

Tasks for each meeting: volunteers are needed
Opening the room at 6:30
Closing the room at 9:30
Taking notes
Managing slides
Greeter

List was passed around
Facilitators: we need to up our numbers.
There is a Monday phone call at 5 pm to develop the agenda and prepare. Please email facilitation@riseandresist.org

Gays against Guns
Will be participating in Halloween parade this next year. Theme will be Russiagate: bots, etc.
Request: that RaR endorse and join in.
Person who came for first time has offered to donate fabric
Debbie: 917.213.4498 leave a message and she will get back to you.
RaR voted to endorse, and various members said they wanted to participate
RaR has $200 to contribute, but GAG may not need it.

Healthcare/elections
Flipping House and Senate
Healthcare is top concern among many voters
District 11 in Staten Island will be in contention: Max Rose; was was recently endorsed by President Obama
Turn out the vote: Leafleting at the Manhattan side of the Staten Island Ferry
Thursday October 4 4:30 to 6:30pm
Thursday October 11 4:30 to 6:30pm
Police Brutality
Friday Sept 28 huge rally and march at Union Square Botham Jean was murdered by cop who "went into wrong apartment" and thought there was an intruder in her apartment. Apollo talked about new police tactics, using scooters to intimidate protesters. Marshalls should be aware. Talked about OWS NYPD is most aggressive for Black Lives Matter marches over any other marches. Recommends documenting everything.

Finances:
Susan announced:
$266.55 was collected in rent for general meeting tonight.
Net worth is $8541.00
Grant for $3000.00 came through

Postcard Party
Report on recent victory party for anti IDC campaigns, and wrote postcards 12 candidates to write for for State Senate.
Text HELLO TO (484) ASK-ABBY (or 484-275-2229) or go to www.postcardstovoters.org/volunteer/
Next party: Weds October 24, 209 East 56th Street #6B

Non RaR Actions
Planned Parenthood;
Weekly meetings at Old St Patrick’s Cathedral Saturday at 7:45 AM
263 Mott Street
Anti choice people attacked several people; Ed Bonfanti (frequent visitor to RaR) got a concussion.
Very important to come out this week.
We gather in front of church and goal is to delay anti choice people from entering the clinic. Anti choice people bring fake escorts and confuse patients.