Rise and Resist General Meeting - Zoom Edition - 10.25.2022

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● Meetings: Every Tuesday at 7pm on Zoom. To sign up for the Zoom meeting click here

Facilitators: Stu and Jamie  Notes: Livvie  24 in attendance.

Good News!
● Bannon was sentenced to 4 months for refusing to respond to Congressional subpoena.
● Ted Cruz got booed heartily in NYC.

UPCOMING ACTIONS
A series of climate Actions every day at 11:00, with arrestable component, targeting ABC for failing to cover climate; BlackRock, BlackStone & JPM Chase for investing in fossil fuels and greenwashing about it, and 740 Park Ave where Steven Schwartzman from Blackstone lives, also for investing in fossil fuels. Saturday march starting at 270 Park Ave, non arrestable.

Trump Corporation criminal trial date tbd
No A-list attendees expected, but press will be there. Day to be determined at Actions. It seems that a lunchtime protest may be better for people, also tbd in Actions.

Bannon and Navarro will be honored. Location is secret, need someone to call clubs in the neighborhood to find out where it is.

Vote to approve action: Unanimous Yes.

E. Jean Carroll lawsuit date tbd
Adult survivors law goes into effect on Nov 24 which allows suit for one year. E. Jean Carroll will file suit for damages under the New York Adult Survivors Act after Nov 24. We’ll do an action on the day that they file the suit. Jonathan is following up on this.
Rikers Action.
Another death, Eric Tevera hung himself.
RaR vigil in his honor on Nov 10.
Vote to sponsor: Approved.
17 hour action: 17 hours for 17 deaths.
Vote to endorse: Approved
Should we invite a speaker from RAPP for next meeting:
Vote to invite: Approved

ELECTIONS UPDATE
Emphasis on the importance of working like hell right up until Election Day. What happens in half a dozen races within 100 miles of NY will determine what Congress looks like in January! Let’s do it! This spreadsheet has multiple sign ups for canvassing, phone banks, texting, postcarding in our area.
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REPORT BACKS

Trump Is A Rapist. 10/19
Action at Trump Tower and at Bergdorf Goodman with Crime Scene banner adapted to include rape. Forceful action!

Immigration Action 10/20
Important presence. Every other Thursday.

Say Their Names. 10/21.
Growing support from the neighborhood, good energy. 30 people last Friday. Now read the names of Rikers deaths first. Every Friday at 4:30 at 96th and Broadway.

Occupy Park Ave. 10/25.
Great action, 70+ demonstrators. 15 arrests. Unique in that the police knew about the CD from social media and it seemed to have a good effect! Part of a series of actions, every day this week at 11:00.

Truth Tuesday 10/25.
More negative feedback today than usual from passersby. White supremacy evident in comments. Every Tuesday at 12noon at 47th and 6th Ave.

Non Rise and Resist Actions and Announcements
Robert spoke about Gun violence workshops with kids. Announced workshop with kids about activism tomorrow.

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