

Business Meeting Minutes of the Santa Fe Green Party 10/06/09

***Attending*:**

Rick Fabrick, Marion Seymour, Micheal Collins

***Treasurer's Report*:**

A donation of \$200 was made to the SFGP

***Local Report*:**

Marion Seymour and Sheila Sullivan tabled at the Gathering for Mother Earth. People made positive comments as they passed the table. 2 signed up to get information.

***State Report*:**

The Governor has called a Special Session of the Legislature for Oct. 17th. Marion is encouraging folks to join in with other groups to ask the Governor to rescind the tax cuts for those making \$295,000 or more. The governor needs to hear from us. Letters to the editor will attract attention.

***National Report*:**

The U. S. Green Party (USGP) has passed a resolution endorsing national peace actions opposing the escalation of war in Afghanistan and the ongoing occupation of Iraq.

The local is planning to hold protests. Rick Fabrick will take the lead. Planning a "Picket for Peace" at the Special Session of the Legislature near the Capital Rotunda and a Candlelight Vigil at sunset on the corners of Cerrillos and St. Francis Dr.

Anyone interested in planning, or helping organize protests for peace on, or around, Oct. 17th, please contact Rick at 577-7434, rfabr [HYPERLINK "http://groups.google.com/groups/unlock?_done=/group/gpsfminutes/browse_thread/thread/bcbbf20be64c9c5d&msg=5aa09763c48dca24"](http://groups.google.com/groups/unlock?_done=/group/gpsfminutes/browse_thread/thread/bcbbf20be64c9c5d&msg=5aa09763c48dca24) \t "_parent" rfgp@gmail.com. Could use a few volunteers to give out handbills at the afternoon protest at the Capital to announce the candlelight vigil to be held that evening at sundown on Cerrillos and St. Francis. Also will get a printable poster about the protest on-line in the next few days, anyone who knows a legal place to post (Cafes, laundries, libraries), please e-mail Rick so we can get the word out. Thank you.

***Committee to Legalize Marijuana (CLM) Report*:**

Rick attended at the last meeting of the CLM. Work is being done on-line. A draft flier was passed around. A printable version will be put on the homepage when ready. The homepage has been changed so members can invite other members to sign-up for announcements, get links, and soon print our pamphlet. The next meeting of the CLM is Tues. Oct. 20th at 6:30 PM in the Pick Room of the Downtown Library. To sign up for CLM announcements, go to the homepage at

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(there is a link to volunteer for the CLM Steering Committee).

Next SFGP Business Meeting Tues. Nov. 3rd, Pyramid Cafe, 7PM

