



January 25, 2014 CAGP Meeting Minutes

Attending: Alan Burns, Kathryn Kuppers, Dan Neuspiel, Aldona Zembowicz, Stefania Przystanski, Michael Zyt-kow, Ken Davies, Nicole Stallings, Mike Przykucki

Treasurer's Report: \$246 in account (Kathryn)

- Money should be sent to Kathryn, will go to state chapter

Meeting times

- Set specific schedule
- Next meeting 2/15 @ 2:00 pm
- Location: Ken Davies' law office
- Meetings on the 3rd Saturday of each month

Ballot Access

- Michael Z: Don Wright and electric signatures: response is according to Don and State Board of Elec-tions their position is based on legislative intent of Voter Act, signatures are needed, electronic is not acceptable at this time (not official ruling)
- Might work with ACLU to help promote electronic signatures to be valid
- Alan: Ballot Access marches at 10 cities around US coordinated by Global Climate Convergence
- Mike P. = Finding another venue of our energies rather than gathering signatures for ballot access
- Mike Z. = help get bill out of committee, FreeTheVote.org is working to make this happen, lower signa-ture threshold
 - o Updates will be given at next meeting
 - o June 2016 to collect signatures for ballot access for next presidential election

Global Climate Convergence

- Bi-partisan event, not solely Green Party
- Alan came from meeting in Chicago
- Jill Stein asked Alan to take over organizing a 10 day fast from Earth Day to May Day
 - o Also interested in producing a Earth Day event in Charlotte (April 26)
 - Marshall Park, one day or 10-day
 - o Website for fast is being processed
 - o Non-profit company: Carolina Climate Action
 - o Nikola T. is working on logo and literature
 - o Social media and video by Fulbright siblings
 - o Interactive map of the world to show where fasters are
- Yeb Sano, Philippine delegate for IPCC: Fast for the Climate (first day of every month)
- Convergence will be working on different strands of green values including worker's rights
 - o "poverty is linked to climate change"
- Next year, bigger event = possibly a world strike

Spring State Gathering

- Won't be able to have meeting in Charlotte during Global Convergence
- Will discuss during
- Try working on a special