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Minutes
Latah County Republican Central Committee Meeting

Tuesday, September 23, 2014
Latah Republican Headquarters 525 W. 3rd Street, Moscow, ID

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 7:11pm by Thomas Lawford, Chairman. Max Ryan led in prayer and Alex Navarro led the Pledge of Allegiance. There were 25 people present, with 13 of those being precinct committeemen.

Reports: Gordon Henley moved to approve the August minutes and Max Ryan seconded. The minutes were approved. Treasurer, Peggy Gottschalk, gave the treasurer's report and Roger Falen made the motion to approve them. John Freeland seconded the motion and the motion passed. Gresham Bouma made the motion to pay the PO Box renewal fee. Paul Agidius seconded and the motion passed.

Review of Summer BBQ: The mechanical bull was great fun, the band was good, and all who attended enjoyed it. Also, the location was very visible at the new headquarters. A big "thank you" to Shirley Greene for getting the reader board trailer sign and tables and chairs.

Statewide GOP Field Offices: To date there are three statewide field offices located in Idaho Falls, Twin Falls, and Moscow, with the possibility of the state choosing an additional location. That means there will be a lot of activity in our headquarters between now and the November 4th election. Our doors will be open to all the regional candidates and we will service all of north Idaho. There will be 10 phone lines and internet service to accommodate those helping in the GOP Data Center. We will need help staffing the headquarters. Our field office hours will be from 2-7pm Monday through Saturday. The phone numbers of the candidates will be posted on the door when the headquarters is closed so anyone needing signs can get them even during the times when the headquarters is closed.

Partnership with ID State GOP: The state has offered to help with our Field Office expenses in exchange for us helping out state-wide and regional campaigns. Paul Agidius made the motion to accept the agreement with the State GOP and John Freeland seconded it. The motion passed. Thomas will check with the state to be sure liability insurance is provided as necessary.

Cindy Agidius made the motion to reimburse Kay for the costs of printing the precinct lists, etc. Roger Falen seconded the motion and it was passed.

Deary Forum: Dave McGraw reported that this year's Deary Forum would be Oct. 15th at 7pm in the high school cafeteria. He encouraged everyone to attend.

Voter Registration: Susan Peterson explained how to register people to vote, and went over the requirements. October 10th is the last day to register to vote. People will be able to register on Election Day at their proper voting place. Voters will need both a photo ID and proof of residency. October 31st is the last day to vote absentee. A question was asked about registering college students because it has been confusing in the past. If the student calls Moscow "home" then they can register in Idaho. However, they can only be registered in one county in one state. It is also noteworthy that Alaska students will lose any state funded scholarships if they register anywhere but Alaska.

The Float at Don Ball's barn: Thomas Lawford, Alex Navarro, Dave McGraw, and Will Greene will meet at 10am this Saturday (Sept 27th) at the headquarters to take a few trucks to Don's barn and pick up the float pieces and bring them back to headquarters, where the float will need to be reconstructed. Dave McGraw made the motion to authorize up to \$500 for any costs in reconstruction and for buying candy for the parade. Max Ryan seconded and the motion passed.

Adjournment: Paul Agidius made the motion to adjourn the meeting and John Freeland seconded it. The meeting was adjourned at 8:30pm.

Minutes respectfully Submitted by,
Wendy Bouma, Latah County GOP Secretary