

11/21/22 NOTES ISOS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Ginny is coming home tomorrow!!!
2. We collected the 54 signatures and have sent a letter supporting Modernization of the State Legislature to the CCJ Committee. Cindy Pabst will be attending.
3. 12 of us plan to attend Rachel's 30 minute presentation on a draft bill for training police and telecommunicators in our state this coming Tuesday morning at 9:00 a.m. Yay! Please wear your SOS shirts! We will meet in the inside entrance to the East side of the Roundhouse at 8:45 a.m. This is the main entrance on Santa Fe Trail. If you arrive late, please ask which gallery the CCJ Hearing is taking place.
4. Next week, Rachel's presentation on navigating the legislative session.
5. Dec 5th Braver Angels presentation
6. We have a brunch scheduled for December 12th for our last meeting of the year!! Lauren Oertel, our senior regional organizer from Indivisible National will be joining us! Barbara Bloomberg will organize.
7. Holiday party! Sunday, December 18th, from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. at the home of Betsy Porter! Thank you, Betsy, for offering your beautiful home to us once again!
8. ACLU is doing legislative session 101. Dec 1 in Santa Fe. Dec 14th virtually.

TODAY'S AGENDA

1. Report from Pam Rogers on Indivisible National Call last Thursday. Recap of election and what we can do for **Georgia run-off**. Texting is available. Postcards and Vote Forward letters.

Call on reps/senators to stay in DC as long as possible to get as much done before the end of the year. Full year funding, DACA, raising debt ceiling, Same sex marriage bill. Hold Trump accountable via 14th amendment. Optimism and lots of work to be done.

2. We discussed two topics that should be helpful in determining our group's strategic direction for 2023:
 - What do you feel most satisfied with as an outcome of the 2022 mid-term election?
 - What should be the focus of SOS this legislative session?

Most Satisfied with:

- Election results in general and Gabe's election IIIII IIIII I
- Senate majority
- Collaboration with other groups: CD2, Criminal Justice
- Prochoice legislation around the country
- Canvassing, postcards, minor miracle
- Focus of our group 1. Hold house/senate 2. Elect Gabe 3. NM blue
- Katie Porter win, Sarah Palin defeat
- Good candidates, Pelosi's graceful stepping down and bringing along a new generation for leadership
- Rejection of extremism
- Amount of money spent on negative TV ads, need more targeting and more positive messages
- No Ronchetti, held senate
- AZ senator and governor

- Criminal Justice
- Millennials, Gen Z showing up, collaborate with a young group (Girl's, Inc), environmental groups (YUCCA)
- Candidates supported by Trump lost
- NM Gov gives us potential to pass good legislation 2023, 2024
- Fetterman's win and example of disabled person
- HH&S's focus on NM and a few others
- WI, gerrymandering and voter suppression
- Article in today's times about party failure and strength of grassroots groups.
- Lean in to celebrate, concern with corp media
- Its all about focus, Rachel's group has active members, goals known by every member and worked on by everyone, other things can be done by smaller groups

What should be the focus of SOS this legislative session?

- Codify abortion IIIII III, public bank, public utility, gun control,
- Health security act IIII IIII, local choice energy, more health providers
- Corporate media bias, Indivisible has its own media project
- Constitutional judges (don't call them that anymore)
- Criminal Justice leg to finish line IIII II, Strengthen coalition growing to support Criminal Justice
- Housing II
- Water II
- Paid legislature
- Environment/conservation III ,reform NM game and fish division
- Kill: hydrogen, bail reform
- Finance reform
- Voter suppression
- Coercive control laws in domestic violence
- Child testimony perseverance