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11th LD Democrats Newsletter

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to! We'll have a demonstration on how to look up legislation and make comments online. We are also going to discuss proposed by-law changes to our endorsement process, have an opportunity to suggest topics for future meetings, and, as always, enjoy the company of fellow Democrats.

Looking forward to seeing you on March 19.

Best,
Holly

Be sure to bring cash for dinner and raffle tickets!

A logo for Stellar Pizza, ale & cocktails. It features the word "Stellar" in a cursive font, a stylized starburst graphic, and the text "Pizza, ale & cocktails" below it. The website "StellarPizza.com" and phone number "206-763-1660" are listed at the bottom.

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March 19th Meeting Agenda

6:45 Doors open: Gab n Grub time

7:00 Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Agenda

**Disposition of the Minutes of the Feb 19th
membership meeting**

Candidate time (1 min each)

a. Tim Burgess - Seattle Mayor

b. Sally Bagshaw - Seattle City Council

VI. Guest: Seattle Muni Court Judge Steve Rosen

7:10 New Business

a. Proposed By-Law Changes -

Rules & By-Laws Committee

Possible vote - PCO's only

7:25 Presentation: Jerri Wood

Updates on legislation, how to look up
legislation and comment on-line.

7:40 Break

7:50 Reports - 2 minutes per report

a. Chair's Report: Holly Krejci

- b. Treasurer's Report: Rick Polintan
- c. WSDCC Report: Kate Kruller/Marvin Rosete
- d. KCDC Report: Michael Neher

8:00 Unfinished Business

8:10 Good of the Order/Annouements

8:15 Raffle

Adjourn

January Minutes

The January 13, 2013 meeting minutes are available on our web site. You can view them by clicking [here](#).

Town Hall Meetings



1. Sen. Hasegawa & Reps. Hudgins & Bergquist - Saturday March 16th

Our 11th District congressmen will meet with you from 1-2pm at the King County Regional Communications & Emergency Coordination Center [3511 Northeast 2nd Street, Renton, WA](#) in the Renton Highlands.

2. US Congressman Adam Smith - Thursday March 28

9th District congressman Adam Smith will be at Hazelwood Elementary School, [7100 116th Ave SE, Newcastle](#), from 7:00 - 8:30PM

on March 28th.

RSVP (425) 793-580, rsvpsmith@mail.house.gov

3. South Seattle Mayors Forum

Seattle mayoral candidates are being presented by the 11th, 34th and 37th LDs. Monday Apr 29, 2013, Doors open 6 pm, Program begins: 6:30 pm. South Seattle Community College -Georgetown Campus, 6737 Corson Ave South, Seattle, WA 98108

Coal Trains ?

The 33rd LD Democrats is organizing a meeting about the planned coal trains carrying coal up the I-5 Corridor from the Columbia River to Whatcom County for export to China. Topics include Environment, Local Economy, Taxpayer Costs and Jobs. Monday, March 18, 2013, 6:30 - 8:30PM, Kent City Council Chamber, 220 Fourth Ave S, Kent.

Name Tags

Name tags will be available at the March 19th meeting. The **blue** name tags are for PCOs.

The **green** name tags are for Members. Sometimes only PCOs are permitted to vote and they will be able to cast their ballot with their name tag.

The name tags will look something like this:

11th LD Democrats



Zach Hudgins

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EDITORIALS

The Newsletter's view

Earlier this month the Seattle Times published [a story from the Washington Post](#). The following paragraph caught my attention.

Exit polls and other surveys from last year's election suggest that resistance to same-sex marriage is shrinking and mainly concentrated among certain segments of the population: older people, white evangelical Christians and non-college-educated whites.

Recently KUOW discussed the characteristics of Republican party

members and similarly concluded that Republicans were, "older people, white evangelical Christians and non-college-educated whites." There are many other segments of the population and apparently they vote Democratic. The future for Republicans looks bleak. Other voting blocks such as women, young people, college graduates, Hispanics, African-Americans, and the non-religious all voted in large majorities for Barack Obama in the last election.

Recently Republican strategists have reported plans to modify future campaigns by eliminating stupid comments and downplaying opposition to everything and everybody. Republican party leader Bobby Jindal suggested that Republicans "[Stop being the Stupid Party.](#)"

I think the Republicans will have to quickly rig all the elections in the country or they will lose many future elections. They are working hard on rigging the elections but are meeting with some resistance.

The 2014 election will be very interesting. Democratic prospects look promising and it will be our responsibility to encourage our precinct neighbors to vote for the smart candidates.

Sincerely,

Bill Taylor

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