

# NEW HANOVER COUNTY DEMOCRATIC PARTY MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES

New Hanover Room, Main Library

Wilmington, NC

June 15, 2015

5:30 – 7:00 p.m.

Officers in attendance: Richard Poole, Deloris Rhodes , Suzanne Werner

- I. Call to Order-Richard Poole, First Vice-Chair.
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Introduction of Guests -Joellen Zachete,WB
- IV. Introduction of Elected Officials
- V. Reading and Approval of Minutes from 5/18/15 as posted on web
- VI. Treasurer's Report- Brenda Fong,Treasurer, report printed on meeting agenda handouts.  
Balance \$ 9,912. 12.
- VII. Unity Banquet -Deloris Rhodes, Second Vice Chair-September 26 , Speaker confirmed is Linda Coleman, Silent Auction coordinated by Diana Hill, committee meets June 24 at Panera at Mayfaire at 5, asking for suggestions and participation.
- VIII. Voter ID Phone Bank and W-15 Precinct Organizational Meeting
- IX. Wilmington Progressive Book Club: George Vlasits -meets Tuesday's 6-7:30 at Ymca-to be confirmed. 1st meeting June 30, Michelle Alexanders "The New Jim Crow".
- X. Program: Derek Bowens,NHC Elections Director- Mr. Bowens talked about election law changes and the need to appoint election judges.
- XI. Announcements
  - a. Strategic Planning Sessions to take place on Monday, July 13 at 6pm at Masonboro Yacht Club, 609 Trails End Rd. Please RSVP to Elizabeth Redenbaugh , Chair, if you plan on attending([eredenbaugh1@gmail.com](mailto:eredenbaugh1@gmail.com) or 910-616-1341).
  - b. July Monthly Meeting to take place on Monday , July 20 at 6 pm at Uncw Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurship, 803-G South College Road.  
Discussion: EB Davis asked who is chairing Strategic Planning Committee-Elizabeth Redenbaugh. Also requested officers planning meeting to be moved from 2nd Monday to not conflict with W-29 precinct meeting.  
July 13 -Federal Court demonstration in Winston Salem on Voter Id.  
June 17-Wednesday Moral Monday in Raleigh by NAACP.  
Deb Maxwell- requested meetings in inner city and more communication on schedules. Susanne suggested a committee to facilitate and to publish all meetings in community announcements.  
Bernard Robinson offered to join Communications Committee.  
Diana Hill suggested community calendar for all organizations activities.  
Maggie Parrish announced she is new 2nd Vice for New Hanover County Democratic Women, invited attendees.  
John Bower suggested we give out Dem Party meeting info on election day at polls.
- XII. Adjourn