

Democratic Part of Green Lake County Meeting

January 2, 2021!

The meeting was called to order by Chair Linda Wilkens. This meeting was held entirely by ZOOM. Previous meeting notes were approved and may be found on the organizations website, www.greenlakecountymunicipalparty.org. The treasurer's report was \$674.79 after donating \$500 from the group to the Green Lake County Food Pantry. Through additional contributions, the group donated a total of \$1700! There was coverage in the local papers regarding this.

Our speaker this month was Jeff Davis, who is a candidate for reelection to the Court of Appeals in District 2. Jeff needed 1000 signatures to get on the ballot and he received over 100 from Green Lake County. He expressed his gratitude to the group for this. He informed the audience what this court does, why it is important and his history. He does have an opponent in the election which will be April 6, 2021. After he concluded speaking, questions were asked.

Nomination papers for the Court and the State Superintendent races are due January 5, at 5 P.M. At this time there are 7 candidates running for the superintendent race. We will know who the candidates are after January 5th. The Primary will then be held February 16th to narrow the race to two. The plan is to have a 4 county-wide ZOOM event for the nominees and feature them at the February 6th meeting. Both the court and superintendent races are non-partisan. Town Board Supervisor papers, which require 20-25 signatures, are also due on Tuesday. School board candidates must submit a letter of intent to be on the ballot.

Linda Wilkens also encouraged joining the Democratic Party of Wisconsin. At this time we have over 250 people on the contact list. Our ZOOM link is provided by the State of Wisconsin Democratic Party and in addition, they provide voter access records and field organizers.

The Primary is February 16th and the Spring Election is April 6th.

The next meeting will be held on February 6, 2021, via ZOOM.

Today's meeting had 24 people participating.

Submitted by Penny Howell, January 2, 2021.

Sent from Penny's iPad