

Johnson County Democratic Party Committee Meeting Minutes
• January 2, 2018 •

Call to Order

Meeting called to order by Chair William McIntyre at 7:08 PM. Allegiance to Flag of the Republic pledged by all present. A sign-in sheet was circulated. 10 in attendance (two of whom joined just after call to order).

Reports

Motion by Joanna to accept and approve minutes of Dec 5th meeting as presented by Secretary Haas. Seconded by Kay, passed, following no discussion, by voice vote with none opposed.

Treasurer Shell reported donations for November were \$81.00 with a balance on date of December meeting at \$2034.83. He reported \$82.00 in December donations and a \$180.00 reimbursement to Laura for ad in the newspaper leaving the checking account balance at \$1936.83.

Old Business

Greg moved that Chris Harmon and Sheila Naismith engage a speaker for our February meeting on the topic of encroachment upon our National Parks. Seconded by Chris. Motion carried.

Discussion about scheduling and planning the guest speaker for February. Question was raised about what if speaker can't make it, are the other speakers and/or topics available for Feb meeting? Is there a plan B? As other guest speakers were discussed, the topics of the new federal tax bill and funding for CHIP came up as suggestions.

Greg moved that Bill, Chris and Sheila work out a speaker for February. 2nd by Chris. Motion carried. The chairman will contact Rep. Mike Madden to see if he would be available to speak to the group about recent federal decisions and how he foresees them affecting funding, taxation and services in Wyoming.

Update on Summer State Central Committee Meeting. Still no date from Central Committee. Chair is waiting to hear from Executive.

Update about Wyoming Promise: Not much has been done during the holidays. Efforts are resuming now with a possible article in the newspaper and advertising public locations of petitions. Possible to finish with a big push similar to the one in November. Greg reported the numbers so far. About two hundred more solid signatures and the group will reach their goal of 15% of the voters registered to vote in Johnson County.

New Business

Chris moved that April meeting take place in Kaycee. Jim seconded. Time and place to be announced. Motion carried. February meeting will be on Feb. 6, 2018 at 7pm in the Bomber Mtn Civic Center; room 108.

Donation hat was passed around.

Kay moved to adjourn, Joanna 2nded. Motion carried at about 8:15pm