

Waltham Democratic City Committee

Minutes

Meeting of Thursday, December 18, 2014

Government Center Auditorium, 119 School Street, Waltham

Attendance: Carol Gill, Cynthia Salamanis, Sean Durkee, Alan Muir, Tom Stanley, Ed Tarallo, Bill Durkee, Kelly Durkee-Erwin, Everett Erwin, Steve Middlebrook, Marcia Cruz-Redding, Anne Kent, David Perlman, Scott O'Neil, Reginalde Messac, Robert Logan, Nancy Pratt.

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Logan at 7:20 p.m.

A moment of silence was held in memory of Karen O'Donnell who had recently passed away.

Chairman Logan introduced Jean Palmer from Lincoln of "Move to Amend." Ms. Palmer described the bill to be known as the "We The People Act" which will be filed by Senator Jamie Eldridge in the MA Senate and by Representative Cory Atkins in the MA House on January 16, 2015. Waltham Representative Tom Stanley is a co-sponsor. Attendees were asked to sign a petition of support, encouraging Representative Stanley to vote in favor of the bill. Ms. Palmer answered questions about the bill, after which a motion passed unanimously to endorse the bill.

A request was made to the Chairman to update the WDCC website. Chairman Logan said that he will update the WDCC website within the next few days.

The attendees were introduced to a new member, David Pearlman from Ward 8.

Discussion was held concerning the annual post-holiday gathering for Waltham area Democrats, originally organized by Karen O'Donnell. It was agreed to continue this annual event in memory of Karen.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:50 p.m., followed by a Holiday Social.

Respectfully submitted:

Nancy Pratt, Secretary