



**Campbell County Democratic Party**  
**Thursday, July 17, 2025**  
**George Amos Memorial Building, Gillette**

The July meeting of the Campbell County Democratic Party was called to order by Chairwoman Heidi Kennedy at 6:04 pm. Eight people were present including Heidi.

Introductions were made. The meeting agenda was passed out and approved. The minutes of the May meeting were read by Secretary Karin Ebertz.

**Treasurer's Report:**

- Heidi Kennedy, as acting Treasurer, reported that she is behind on bookkeeping. There were
- no new expenses in the last month.

**Announcements from the Chair:**

- **Community Outreach** will be helped by making note of signers on the Gillette Reproductive Health petition.
- **Website Design** - Heidi is working on SEO, Search Engine Optimization, so that the website comes up with certain search terms. She encouraged everyone to take a look and give her feedback.
- **Juneteenth Picnic** - Four of us went to Newcastle and enjoyed visiting with the Weston Co. Democrats. Chair Lucas Fralick was also in attendance, which was fun for us.

**Old Business:**

**Adopt-a-Highway** - Five of us showed up and nearly cleaned the entire length of our section. About 10 bags of trash were picked up. Many thanks to those who helped out!

**New Business:**

- **Pizza Night** - Everyone was in favor of continuing Pizza Night on Wed., July 23 at 5:15 at Pizza Carrello, even though Chairwoman Heidi and Sect. Karin won't be there.
- **Next Adopt-a-Highway Event** will be scheduled at the August meeting. It was agreed that holding it on July 12 would be too soon after the last one.
- **Annual Event in August** - Heidi spoke about how it would be a good community-building event to hold a picnic or ice cream social every August. During election years, candidates can come and speak to us. Heidi will try to reserve a shelter at Dalbey Memorial Park and planning for this event will commence. We want to invite other Democrats we haven't met yet.
- **Fundraising** - Heidi proposed that we raise funds for local campaigns. Brenda Kirk raised the question of not being able to use funds earmarked for candidates for any other purpose. Heidi will check and see if people donate specifically for something if the funds must be used for that.

**Other Business and Resolutions**

- **Local party platform** - Heidi drafted a platform and it's available on our website. This is a placeholder document for the time being as the membership has not debated or passed it.

**Announcements from the Floor**

- Brenda Kirk stated that the City Council's minutes have not been published online on the City's website since the end of last year. She's checking with the City Attorney about this.
- Brenda is still doing local interviews for Jessica Smith, an instructor with the Colorado School of Mines. If you or someone you know is interested, please contact her.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:12 pm.

Respectfully submitted,  
Karin Ebertz, Sect.



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