



## Minutes for 6/7/07 County Council Meeting

Place: El Centro Cultural de Mexico, Santa Ana

Present were: Bea, Clark, Gordon, Jane, Matt, Susan, Todd

### 1) Administrative:

A) minutes from 5/10/07: Approved pending correction of typos

B) Treasurer's Report

i) Kitty Balance: \$1,069.91

ii) Jane gave comparison of where we were last year as compared to where we are this year.

(a) Jane reported that Last year we had a larger kitty balance as were still receiving fundraiser contributions through the mail.

(b) This year we were not able to participate in the Orange County Fair so we will save the over \$300 expense of tabling at the fair.

iii) Balance low: possible fundraiser is GPCA tote bags with GPOC to be silk screened on back.

(a) Possible design contest for GPOC logo

(b) Possibility that tote bags will be given in exchange for \$25 or more donation

C) Next CC Meeting tentatively scheduled July 5, 2007

D) Secretary's report: Susan Reported on large number of Student Volunteers

i) Susan completed list of Cities and their City Council members

### 2) Next General Meeting: July 1, 2007:

A) Facilitator: Jane

B) Greeters: Susan

C) Key Value: Sustainability

D) Speaker: Rachel Hulan with Green Building Foundation on Green Interior Design; Jane Reifer regarding Public Transportation; Mike Miller regarding Green Demolition and Recycling; Green Architecture and Building.

### 3) Future General Meeting presentations

A) August: Susan's report back from Nairobi World Social Forum?

i) August may be County Assembly

(a) Jane announced that she wants to step down as County Council Member and we need to hold another County Council Representative election

(b) Bea to write Amendment to the Orange County Green Party Bylaw to include under age voters and non-citizen immigrants as State Assembly delegates.

(1) Bea to research that State Bylaws will allow this before writing the proposed bylaw amendment.

B) September: The Grain Project?

i) Bea to make Contact

### 4) Old Business

A) Grocer's Strike update: Strike still an option

B) Next State Plenary: Riverside on September 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>.

### 5) New Business:

A) GPOC Activities

i) Green T-Shirt or Tote Bag Design: Matt to explore cost of silk screening one color and two colors with one stencil (explore different parameters).

ii) Bike Ride may be planned as a State Wide Ride to National Convention if the National Convention is in Alameda, California

(a) Matt to Inquire about insurance coverage for the bike ride

iii) Pot Luck: If takes place, will be on informal, not organized basis

B) Matt announced that the first Plenary in 2008 may be in April or May 2008 and Orange County may host it.

### 6) Working Group reports.



- A) GROW: Tabling at Orange County Fair is not possible this year as we missed the application deadline.

