

The Hollis Democrats Mission is to work for good government in our town, state and country through voter education and activism. Our newsletter seeks to educate, inform and provide ways to participate in activities that improve our community.

June 2017

Hollis Democrats

HOLLIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE

- *Aware & Active* -

Next Meeting...

Tuesday, June 27th



We will be hosting a representative of the New Hampshire Democratic Party who will be speaking with us about recent legislative issues and the ramifications of the Republican budget.

Blake Tyler from Protect the Granite State will also be joining us.

Come at 6:30 for snacks and social time. The meeting will be starting at 7pm. Looking forward to seeing you there! Summer snacks compliments on Markoh's on Main.

Donations gladly accepted. Make checks payable to Hollis Democratic Town Committee.

Upcoming Events

- Kat McGhee will be hosting a meet and greet for Steve Marchand at her home

Judy's Soapbox



Did you know that plastic film – plastic wrap, grocery bags, bread bags, produce bags, Ziplock® bags, cereal box liners, plastic shipping envelopes – is recyclable?

Allie Campbell, a recent HBHS graduate, is – in her own words – “on a mission to inspire sustainability and environmental awareness in the world.” And what a great job she’s been doing!

Last December, Allie started a plastic film recycling program in collaboration with the director of waste management in Hollis, and in that time, she has collected over one ton of plastic film for recycling at the Hollis Transfer Station!

Please help spread the word about this amazing project, and if you are willing to volunteer a couple hours a month to help bring the collected plastic film from the transfer station to the recycling drop-off at Hannaford in Nashua, please email Laura Bianco at laurawb@charter.net.

A few tips for plastic film recycling:

- DO recycle retail, newspaper, dry

at 237 Hayden Road on Friday, **June 23rd**, from 5:30pm to 7:30pm. For more info, please contact Kat at 603-465-2033.

- The next Hillsborough County Democratic Committee will be on **July 11th** at the Wadleigh Library in Milford at 7pm.
- New Hampshire Democratic Party midterm convention will be on **September 16th**. Save the date – more info coming!

From Resistance to Power

Anthony Procik from Rights and Democracy New Hampshire joined the Hollis Democrats' May meeting to lead a discussion on "building power at the local level." RADNH



supports progressive candidates across the state and often partners with other groups to hold our elected leaders accountable, fight back against big money influence, and promote environmental justice and equal rights for all.

To learn more or get involved please visit www.RADNH.org.

Tell Governor Sununu to Join the U.S. Climate

cleaning, bread and produce bags and other plastic bags labeled #2 and #4.

- DO recycle zip close food storage bags, plastic cereal box liners, plastic shipping envelopes, plastic packaging from paper towels, water bottles, etc.
- DO make sure recyclables are clean and dry.
- DO remove any receipts or other items from plastic bags.



NH Democratic Party Launches Resistance Summer Program

The NH Resistance Summer program will be dedicated to building relationships and taking action with new and existing activists across the state, executing an ambitious training program to master new skills, and holding Governor Sununu and his Republican legislature accountable for their actions. We are hiring staff to organize in every county and every community.

We don't have time to waste to ensure that we secure majorities in the House, Senate, Executive Council and we take

Alliance

Gov. Sununu: Join the U.S. Climate Alliance To be delivered to Governor Chris Sununu Now that President Trump has withdrawn from the Paris Climate Agreement, a coalition of governors has formed to keep working on carbon reduction in their states and meet the goal that the U.S. agreed to. We call on Governor Sununu to join the U.S. Climate Alliance and show that New Hampshire is serious about responding to climate change.

[Please sign the petition here.](#)

Action Alert!



Congratulations to Kevin Cavanaugh - our nominee for State Senate District 16! Kevin is gearing up and kicking off his General Election Campaign. Join us to help keep this critical Senate seat!

[SIGN UP HERE TO HELP.](#)

Don't Miss the NH Legislative Report

Brian Rater of the Brookline Democrats is providing us with his invaluable weekly Legislative Report (posted to the Hollis Dems website each week [here.](#))

back the Governor's seat in 2018. Details on activities in our area are coming soon. [Sign up today](#) and spread the word to be part of the Resistance!

Hillsborough County Democratic Committee Elects Officers

The 2017 HCDC Caucus was held Saturday June 5th in Wilton, NH. Chairman Ray Buckley spoke to the crowded room, addressing New Hampshire's successes, which include an all Democratic, all female delegation at the federal level. Chairman Buckley also discussed the work and opportunities that lie ahead at the state and local level.

A well-qualified field of candidates shared their thoughts on how to build on past efforts, as well as how we move forward as a political party to insure social, economic, and environmental justice for New Hampshire.

Committee Members

- Chairman: Roger Lessard
- Co-Chair: Matthew Hale
- Secretary: William Gould
- Treasurer: Karen Day

At Large Members

- Gwen Whitbeck
- Julie Radhakrishnan
- Kermit Williams
- Kim Kojak
- Trudy Morgan

This report holds a wealth of information on how to take effective action on bills that matter to you.

If you want to receive the report directly each Monday recapping and providing a preview of each week's State House happenings send your email request to:

BrooklineDemocrats@gmail.com

to be added to the email list.

- Martin Goulet
- Laura Lynch

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