

## CAMPAIGN MEETING MINUTES

Jones and Jones  
October 5, 2018  
9:30 AM

<p><i>Candidate</i> J. Michael Galbraith, JMG</p> <p><i>Steering Committee</i> Ditte Galbraith, BG Michael Rieth Cindy Rimmelin Sue Gluckin Joyce Quinlivan</p> <p><i>Administrative Assistants</i> Cheryl Smith, CS Kathy Donahue, KD</p> <p><i>Access Database/Mailchimp Coordinator</i> Paul Davis, PD</p> <p><i>Canvassing</i> Cathy Baker, CB Shelly Hayes, SH</p> <p><i>Communications</i> Shane Hughes, SH</p> <p><i>Event Coordinator</i> Cindy Rimmelin, CR</p> <p><i>Letters to the Editor</i> Anesa Miller, AM</p>	<p><i>Post Card Campaign</i> Cathy Baker, CB</p> <p><i>Signs</i> Kay Anderson KA</p> <p><i>Social Media/Messaging</i> Molly Hammersmith, MH Tim Bricker, TB Bob Kreienkamp, BK Kim Yost, KY</p> <p><i>T-Shirts and Town Halls</i> Joyce Quinlivan</p> <p><i>Volunteer Coordinator</i> Mary Anderson MA</p> <p><i>Votebuilder</i> Joyce Miller, JM</p> <p><i>Website Development/Content</i> Greg Miller, GM Brandon Mooney BM</p>	<p><i>General Volunteers and Guests</i> Paul Aduba PA Anne Britt AB Don Britt DB Susan Brotje SB Chris Coultrip CC Steve Emerine SE Michael Friedman MF Bev Gotlieb BGo Betsy Gouvernayre BGou Jennifer Harvey JH Nnaji Ibe NI David Jenkins DJ Maria Jones MJ Tahree Lane TK Nancy Larson NL Kitty Beth Millhon KBM Karen Piojda KP Tim Pryor TP Hydie Ralston HR Molly Reed MT Ed Singer ES</p>
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Minutes were reviewed and accepted as presented.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS/STEERING COMMITTEE REPORT (JMG)

Steering Committee emails:

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- On Oct. 4, JMG met with ninth graders at Perrysburg High School, met with the ODP at Findlay where a press conference was held, and went to the Fall Fling in Napoleon. He then met with BGSU Faculty Association. JMG will be meeting with students at Maumee Valley.
- JMG received a personal letter from Sherrod Brown whom had sent him a check for \$2,500. It is very encouraging.
- JMG will go to the Toledo Federation of Teachers tailgate party. The UAW sent an endorsement.
- JMG will go to Celina for a meeting with Ed Gedhart from The Celina Daily Standard, followed by a town hall at the Eagles.
- The League of Women Voters Meeting is in Perrysburg on Sunday, and Bob Latta may attend.
- There were two days spent with a professional videographer and PR person.
- SG said people may access the new calendar on Google Drive.

### FINANCIAL REPORT (CS)

\$42,754	checking account	
\$499	credit card	
\$166,891	donations	708 donors

## FUNDRAISING (JMG)

10/8 – Fundraiser at Michael’s in Toledo

10/19 - Bob Kreienkamp Barn Fundraiser

## EVENT SCHEDULING (JMG)

10/6 – Mercer County Town Hall - Celina

10/7 - Perrysburg League of Women Voters Forum

10/9 – Defiance UAW – Galbraith Speaks w/Working People - 6PM

10-10 – Wyandot Library Town Hall – Upper Sandusky

10-28 - Halloween Parade in Defiance

10/13 – Oak Harbor Parade - Apple Festival

10/17 – Sylvania Town Hall – Library

10/21 – Anthony Wayne Democrats – Beer Tasting

10/23 – Findlay Town Hall – Hancock Co Library

10/24 – Van Wert Town Hall

11/6 - **Celebration at Shawn’s in Waterville 7:30 PM**

- MA introduced Kenzie, Zach, and Ellen from Democratic Offices. They described their efforts, as field organizers, getting canvassing and phone calling done throughout District 5. They are asking for help in talking to registered voters, about Democratic candidates, which will benefit JMG. Their concern is that Democrats show up at the polls. It has been found that canvassing will make the biggest difference. They are also working to offer rides to the polls. Text bankers will be working from out-of-state. On October 20, people are needed to canvass in Napoleon.
- JMG mentioned that dawn patrol will need to be organized to put out signs at polling stations on November 6.

## SOCIAL MEDIA (SG)

- SG thanked those who worked with Holly and Chris, and described, in detail, the extraordinary work that they did in the few days they were in the district. SG needs release forms signed before the videos are aired from anyone who participated. Holly is promoting on Facebook and the activity has increased. We were reaching 2660 voters, and with an increase of 422% we are now reaching 13,000 voters.
- The Voter Forum for Disabilities was held on 10-5 at Sanger Library, where Sue represented the campaign.

## OTHER BUSINESS 20:21

- BGo needs someone to proof-read the card that was translated by her daughter to be translated by a native speaker of Spanish. TL will take care of that. JMG suggested the next step will be to get the cards distributed. TL will work on this, as well.
- ES hasn’t made any connections with the Hispanic people in Defiance but will work on it. There is a petition through Northwest Ohio Democracy in Action, which can be signed online.
- Maria needs help putting bulbs in the ceiling fixtures!
- MR would like to have people do a blanket drop of literature just before voting.
- CB said the postcard campaign is winding down. Cards will be printed from this point on, and she will still need help with putting labels on cards.
- TL thanked CB for her efforts.
- AM reported that 25 items were published including four publications featured Michael’s op ed statements.
- MA will collect forms for the Democratic party.
- MF suggested that people don’t look at the polls, and that we need to concentrate on continuing what we have been doing. JMG stated that all unions have backed him except the police and firefighters. The Blade has not made an endorsement yet. Kamala Harris will be in Columbus. Michael needs to consider whether the campaign might be better served if he spent the money at home. Also, he feels he needs to be with the voters.
- PD suggested that if people are not receiving upcoming events and the newsletter that they check their spam folder and add the campaign to their contact list. If you are still having a problem, contact [davis@findlay.edu](mailto:davis@findlay.edu).
- Latta’s radio campaign has begun, and our campaign will start on Monday.

The meeting ended at 10:45.

**The campaign is grateful to Maria Jones, who offers a meeting place each week. Meetings will continue every Friday at 9:30 AM at Jones & Jones 114 Louisiana Ave.**

**CAMPAIGN MEETING AGENDA**  
**October 12, 2018**  
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**9:30 AM**

1. October 5th Meeting Minutes
2. Steering Committee/Campaign Report
3. Campaign Finances/Bank Account
4. Fundraising
5. Event Scheduling
6. Social Media
7. Any Other Business