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First a quick note.

This was a post I shared on my personal Facebook page. Likly won't put it on either 260Chat or Transparent Payson. But, a sincere thank you.

The post:

"I just love people sometimes. I have taken on a large political process. Not my goal, and had you asked a year ago, I would have said "no." My day job can be brutal enough. This political task can be brutal.

Then folks make a point to reach out to you. Random phone calls, or notes. Each encouraging you, backing the effort both large and small. That makes it all worthwhile. The unsolicited support. The people that are involved and the people that want to get involved.

Today I had a gentleman who has been married 60 years call me. He wants to share some relevant local history with me. He too is interested in preserving the process. He has likely forgotten more in the last fifty years than I have learned in my first fifty years. A real treasure to speak with. That he is willing to take his time, reach out, share his knowledge with me, give me his trust; that makes the process all worthwhile. I am so looking forward to meeting him.

I suspect I get to meet a lot more good people along the way."

So again, thank you! A true privilege so many are involved.

Quick rundown on the week.

Met with the Roundup for 1.5 hours. Good meeting. Not for an article, just a get together.

Mr. Lane Moore in town - Will address in a bit via 260Chat

250+ Facebook likes, lots of shares.

40 Subscribers on this email list.

Billboard and Bumper Stickers in the works.

Invited the entire Council to lunch and learn - A lesson in "transparency?"

Meeting with a possible attorney for the group on Saturday.

It will be a busy website weekend. Lots of updates.

Busy, just not much visible. The weather was not kind on the circulators, and we need more folks to fill slots / positions. Anybody who is registered can be a circulator. This first public week seems a lot was learned? Confident Paul, Jim and others will share at the meeting.

Thank you again.

Upcoming Events:

Meeting scheduled for Sunday, 6:00 pm. Feel free to invite / bring others who would like to become involved. The more the merrier.

Sunday, Feb 11th.

6:00pm - 8:00 (flexible)

Rim Country Health

Community Room

807 W. Longhorn

Payson, AZ

The community room is next to DaVita Dialysis. When you enter Rim Country Health make an immediate right and follow the signs to Davita. Please invite folks who would like to help and be involved.

Bring your own water, etc. Very comfortable room that holds at least 50. Restrooms available also.

Also up coming:

Rim Country Republican Club: Monday 11:30 at Tiny's

Lunch and Learn: February 28 at 12 PM - 1:30 PM. Sponsored by Deborah Rose



Scott Helmer of Rim Country Guns has donated some sign space to us. Hope to have that up soon.

Current Totals:

Signatures:

Darlene	54
Scott	8
Jim	125
Paul	128
Janet Williams	25
Total	340
Required	1400

Gila GOP, Lincoln day diner @ Mazatal Casino Friday 5:00pm - We will have a table. Thank you Darlene for your help! Rim Country Democrats / Democrats of Payson: March 13th @ Tiny's 11:30 am



Donna Kline will be taking on "Media Relations."

Contacting various outlets to gain awareness. Based on feedback from some media people we have made a press release. Also suggested we provide media files - pictures, etc. Yeah, great. Anyway, link is [here](#). She will be working behind the scenes.

Goal 1800
To go: 1460

Days Left 65
Required Per Day:
23 for 1800
17 for 1400

Voter Registrations: 12

We need more circulators please!

Also, if you have a business and we can post a flyer, let us know.

Thank you again for all your help.

Our current needs are money and circulators!

There will be many posts on 260Chat and Transparent Payson in the next day or so updating all information.



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