

Subject: FW: [linc] LINC Minutes

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LINC Minutes 10/14/18

As always, we started the meeting with the reading of our mission statement.

-Eve Krief was introduced and handed out fliers for Monday night's, 10/15, Meet the Candidates sponsored by The League of Women Voters and the American Academy of Pediatrics. The event will feature Carl Marcellino and Jim Gaughran and the topic will be children's issues. The Meet the Candidate forum will be held at the South Huntington Public Library, 145 Pidgeon Hill Rd, Huntington Station from 7-9:00 P.M.

- Caroline Levy introduced Judge Theresa Whelan. Judge Whelan is running for Surrogate Court Judge. At present, Judge Whelan is a Family Court Judge finishing the first year of her second ten year term. There is only 1 Surrogate Court Judge in Suffolk County and Judge Whelan brings 11 years of Family Court experience to this position. Judge Whelan spoke at length about her past judicial work and her philosophy of helping families followed by questions from the group.

- Robin reported on the Midterms Matters fundraiser. We raised \$1500 and had an attendance of between 60-70 people. Suozzi, Gaughran, Rosen, Cleary, and Stern were all in attendance and the afternoon was a huge success. Thanks go to the committee and Ryan Vollmer for hosting. If you would like to see photos of the event, go to our website, linetworkforchange.com.

- David Pinkowitz was recognized for the fabulous job he is doing with the website. Please, make sure to check out our new and exciting features.

- Lynn reported on our successful phonebanking evening for Jim Gaughran. 24 people showed up on a Tuesday evening and thousands of calls were made. More phone bank events will be scheduled in the run up to the election so please keep an eye out for times and dates.

- Helen informed the group of a free film, The Gang Crackdown, being shown this Tuesday, 10/16 at the Huntington Cinema. The film shows how immigrant kids are being swept up in gang dragnets and deported and the effect this is having on all parties involved. The showing of The Gang Crackdown will be followed by a discussion and reception and all are encouraged to attend. To reserve a spot, just go CinemaArtsCenter.org.

- As advertised, this was an abbreviated LINC meeting. By 3:00, all LINCers were out the door and canvassing for the remainder of the afternoon.

Respectfully submitted, Lynn