



Minutes  
GPAMA  
16 February 2022

Meeting called to order at 1824 with quorum present (EW PG RY MM). January minutes adopted as distributed. Treasury report unavailable, to be reported later. Mention of box rent due and domain name renewal approaching.

Green Council report covered the conference meeting with Matt Dodson who has declared himself a candidate for governor. We expect him to be the Green Party nominee if the party and the candidate obtain enough signatures.

Items

- 1) PG learned more about the PayPal issue and reported that while there is a discrimination suit against PayPal over its discrimination against potential users in the Palestine/Occupied Palestinian Territory, there is no boycott because PayPal owns most of the alternative platforms and controls a lot of the on-line credit card payment system.
- 2) A legislative update was given concerning various bills of interest (HB 127, HJR 9, SB 6) . We will post information on line.
- 3) Gateway Green Alliance shared a movie of the Protecting Waters of the Earth. MM gave the two-minute segment for GPAMA. EW will send the youtube link. Next webinar is March 2, 2022, on the Inequities of Legalized Marijuana.
- 4) EW reported that there was no response from media@gp.org regarding FreePressMedia. There was no response to the follow-up e-mail to the person who reached out to GPAMA.
- 5) Regarding the GPAMA Annual Meeting, we decided to each provide a dish or something for a pot luck. EW and MM will co-ordinate on getting an ad in the *Lobo*. We will send out a mass e-mail with information in addition to our on-line announcements. Pot luck will start at 6:00 p. m. with the business meeting starting around 6:30 p. m.
- 6) MM announced a LEAF gathering. EW announced a gathering of protesters from the May 8, 1970 protest at UNM.

Meeting adjourned at 2040.