

Rise and Resist General Meeting - Zoom Edition - 8.2.2022

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Facilitators: Jay and Jamie **Notes:** Livvie 25 attending

Good News!

Olivia Julianna turns Matt Gaetz's insults into \$2M abortion fundraiser

Upcoming/New Actions

8/3, 1:00, **Monthly Indict at Trump Tower**. It will be hot, so depending on heat it may be a short action. It will start promptly at 1:00

8/5, 12:00, **Memorial for the attack on Hiroshima and Nagasaki** at the Japanese Consulate, 48th and Park.

8/12, 9:00, **Weisselberg court appearance**. Actions will make plans.

Early Voting

Caution to request mail-in ballots earlier than August 8, but that's the deadline. Early voting 8/13-8/21, may be a different polling place. Election day is 8/23.

Call for Volunteers for bridge banner action. Rick will contact people.

Rick spoke of the lack of enforcement for 14th amendment violations and need for the same at the state level. Jon Bonifaz, Free Speech for People <https://freespeechforpeople.org/> is the group pushing to keep insurrectionists off the ballot.

Report Backs

7/27 **Public Renewables Act Action** at 250 Broadway. 200+ people, DSA electeds speaking. powerfully, excellent informative signage.

[update from CBK-DSA on NY Assembly action regarding the Build Public Renewables Act: "This week, the State Assembly failed to take serious action on the climate crisis by once again refusing to vote on DSA's Build Public Renewables Act (BPRA). Corporate

Democrat Carl Heastie stacked a special hearing on the bill with fossil fuel lobbyists, and Governor Kathy Hochul nominated big oil lawyer Justin Driscoll to lead the NY Power Authority. The BPRA passed the State Senate in June, after the immense amount of pressure we put on the chair of the Senate Energy Committee, Kevin Parker. DSA candidate David Alexis's primary challenge has Kevin Parker and the corporate establishment so scared that a Wall Street Republican Super PAC has started spending big money to beat us. If we want to pass BPRA and create 51,000 green union jobs, then we need to finish the job and crush Kevin Parker in the August 23 election."]
7/28 Action at Schumer's office. Seal the Deal Chuck. Don't Go On Vacation You Have Work To Do. Short, small, but mighty. Note: Scaffolding is down! Future actions planned for home and office.

7/28 Immigration Vigil at Grand Central. MTA security was present and aggressively trying to enforce anti-leafleting rules. General response was positive. Location for next vigil tbd.

7/29 Say Their Names. Weather cooperated! This week tbd as the weather looks iffy.

8/1 Malliotakis Monday at 86th and 4th Ave, Bay Ridge. Very successful, very heartening. Lots of really constructive critiques of signage and flyers - need to be clearer and more anti-Malliotakis.

8/2 Truth Tuesdays. Important to get people to get busy and get Fox out of their cable package! Hitting them where the money is.

8/2 Off Fossil Fuels rally - an emergency response action. Many groups.

8/6. Pop up Fox action, Grand Army Plaza, BK, Saturday.

8/10 6:15 am 4th and 14th Van leaving for Washington DC

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