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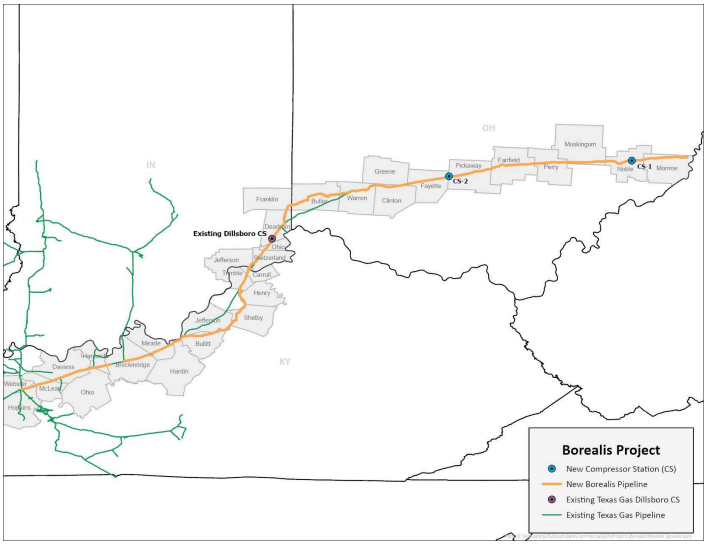
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Recent updates

- Pie Party at Parlay!

Pipeline - how to raise awareness and connect to data center fight - Also selling LNG off shores (Jerry and Denise)

No Kings - Oct 17 - What do we want to do with this?

Invites to upcoming events



Election

- Basics
- Rides - KFTC.org/rides
- Election Protection - 1866-OurVote
- **Endorsements -** proud to announce that KFTC's New Power PAC has endorsed James Mulcahy for Shelbyville City Council, Kesia Hatcher for Simpsonville City Council, and Andrew Monarch for House 58!
- **Phonebanks for endorsed candidates**

Training brainstorm

What to do with Dec Shelby meeting

Plus/Delta

Upcoming events

- Calendar
    - **Shelby Chapter KFTC Meeting** - October 15 - http://KFTC.org/shelby
    - **Shelby No Kings - KFTC Table** - October 17 - 9:30-12 https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/1036484/
    - **No Kings - Eminence,** KY, Main St Sidewalk - October 17 - 1:30-2:30
    - **Statewide Voter Mobilization Phone Bank! Predictive Dialer - Charles Booker+:** October 19 7pm ET to 8:30pm ET - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/1064662/
    - **Shelby NAACP Candidate Forum** - October 20, 6:30pm, Marnel Moorman Family Life Center
    - **Shelby County New Power PAC Phonebanks -** October 22 - 6pm-8pm - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/1038693/
    - **Voter Mobilization Textbank (Huge)** - October 26 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/586483/
    - **Statewide Voter Mobilization Phone Bank! - Charles Booker+** - October 28-31 https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/830516/
    - **Early Voting For All** - Oct 29-31 - KentuckyElection.org
    - **Election Day** - Nov 3 - KentuckyElection.org
    - **Shelby Chapter KFTC Meeting** - November 19 - http://KFTC.org/shelby
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Recent updates
- Recovery Family Day - KFTC Table - Arlene and Lynne
- Voter work - Martha

Book Club! (Arlene)

Shelby Pie Party at Parlay! - October 8 Invitations, co-hosts, spreading the word. KFTC.org/pie

Data centers report

Pipeline

Upcoming tabling work (Martha)

No Kings - Oct 17 - 10-12 Who wants to table with us?

Invites to upcoming events

Training brainstorm

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Nailing down phonebanks for endorsed candidates

Responses to candidate survey so far and next steps

Plus/Delta

Upcoming events

- Calendar
    - **Pipeline meeting - Borealis Project - Please come speak out against the pipeline -** September 17 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/1019613/
    - **Hoedown Throwdown: People Powered Music & Arts Fest -** Frankfort - September 18 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/1008397/
    - **Shelby KFTC Book Club -** Gay Poems for Red States - September 19 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/1017502/
    - **NAACP Dinner** - September 20
    - **Finchville Fall Festival** - Tabling - Sept 26 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/1036478/
    - **Introduction to Grassroots Organizing & KFTC** - September 30 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/744839/
    - **Voter Registration Deadline** - October 5
    - **Voter Mobilization Calls to KFTC Members Statewide** - October 6-9 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/457102/
    - **Shelby Pie Party at Parlay** - October 8 - http://KFTC.org/pie
    - **Shelby Chapter KFTC Meeting** - October 15 - http://KFTC.org/shelby
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- Annual Meeting
- Tabling at high schools
- Candidate Training

Book Club! (Arlene)

NAACP dinner

- 9/20
- Get a full page ad?

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Data centers

Pipeline

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Training brainstorm

Responses to candidate survey so far and next steps

Upcoming events

- Calendar
    - **Candidate Training -** Tuesdays in August - http://KFTC.org/run
    - **Voter Registration Training** - September 8 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/402893/
    - **Shelby KFTC Meeting** - September 17 - http://KFTC.org/Shelby
    - **NAACP Dinner** - September 20
    - **Shelby Pie Party at Parlay** - October 8 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/999956/
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Recent updates

Book Club! (Arlene)

Annual Meeting coming up!
- Aug 1-2
- https://kftc.org/am26
- Chapter Display / review our work

Two high school voter reg days coming up
- Shelby County High School - Thursday, August 6, 6-8:00
- Collins Back 2 School Bash - Tabling - August 10 4:30-6:30

Planning a summer/early fall fundraiser event that's fun

Data centers

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Flock Cameras

- **https://www.aclu-or.org/know-your-tech-flock/**

Responses to candidate survey so far and next steps

Upcoming events

- Calendar
    - **KFTC's Approach to Voter Engagement** - July 22 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/420353/
    - **Tabling Training** - July 29 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/830491/
    - **KFTC Annual Meeting** - Confront what is and imagine what's next - August 1-2. http://KFTC.org/am26
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    - **Shelby County High School -** Thursday, August 6, 6-8:00 https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/990733/
    - **Collins Back 2 School Bash** - Tabling - August 10 4:30-6:30 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/961160
    - **2026 Annual Business Meeting** - August 12 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/984633/
    - **Shelby KFTC Meeting** - August 20 - http://KFTC.org/Shelby
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- Icebreaker - Favorite Summer Activities

Chapter Annual Meeting business

Review of the last year

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Goal setting for year & upcoming opportunities

- New Members -
- Fundraising -
- Other goals -

Election of chapter officers (10 min)

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Nominations for KFTC statewide committees (10 min)

- *Personnel Committee, Finance Committee, Leadership Development Committee, Racial Justice Committee on Curriculum and Learning, Economic Justice Committee, Land Reform Committee,*

New Energy and Transition, Racial Justice Policy and Strategy Team, Voting Rights Strategy Team, Litigation, Education

Who's going to the KFTC Annual Meeting?

Upcoming meetings

- July - Flock cameras discussion

Voter Empowerment positions open - KFTC.org/jobs

Other agenda items

Upcoming events

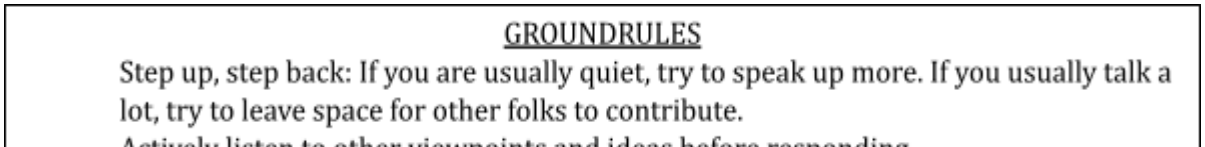
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Report-backs

- Dogwood Festival
- NAACP event in Frankfort last night
- **Primary Election**
- Supreme Court and Voting Rights nationally
- Pipeline?

Book Club - September

Exec./ Steering Committee updates

Candidate Surveys

- Draft - https://docs.google.com/document/d/1firu6adlcPMg7ncv9qK2ZKWfXGMSgTlV-DtbDdEbEFk/
- Could go on KentuckyElection.org and out in print by hand or mail

Tabling opportunities? Juneteenth?

Statewide nominations - http://KFTC.org/nominations

Upcoming meetings

- June - Annual chapter meeting. Setting chapter goals and roles. Also Dave is out.
- July -

Voter Empowerment positions open - KFTC.org/jobs

Other agenda items

Upcoming events

- Calendar
  - **School Board Candidate Training -** May 28 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/932501/Shelby
  - **KFTC Meeting** - June 18 - http://KFTC.org/Shelby
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Announcements

- Linktree - https://linktr.ee/shelbykftc Email listserv - shelbyKFTC@KFTC.org

General Election endorsements and surveys to consider - brainstorm and go a little deeper at the end. Look at levels of endorsement too. Criteria.

- Recommended
  - James Mulcahy & Kesia Hatcher running for Shelbyville & Simpsonville City Council
  - Andrew Monarch to replace Rep. Jennifer Decker
  - Melissa Strange for CD 4
- Consider moving forward later
  - Norris Beckley for Mayor
  - Justin Barnes for Coroner

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Nominations

The following is the current Executive Committee:

- Co-Chairs: Emmanuel Sathya-Gray & Madison Johnson. Both have served one year in this position and are eligible to serve another term in this position.
- Vice-Chair: Venus Evans. She has served one year as Vice-Chair and is eligible for another term in this position.
- Secretary-Treasurer: Roberta Campbell. She has served one year as Secretary-Treasurer and is eligible for another term in this position.

- At-large Representative: Martha Ward-Hendren. She has served one year in this position and is eligible for another term.
- People of Color Caucus Representative: Quincy Robinson. He has served one year in this position and is eligible to serve another term. The POCC nominates their representative.
- Immediate Past Chairs: Dee Parker & David Miller. They are able to continue in this position. This is not an elected position.

Current Kentucky Coalition Board of Directors

- Lynne Anderson is in her third term. She is eligible to serve 1 more term.
- Tamika Jackson is in her third term. She is eligible to serve 1 more term.
- Annette Hines is in her third term. She is eligible to serve 1 more term.

Draft local candidate survey

1. What's your vision for Shelbyville? How will the lives of Kentuckians be improved as a result of your time in office?
2. Large and hyperscale data centers have been moving into Kentucky to lay the groundwork for more AI use, but these centers take a massive amount of electricity and resources without employing very many people. What is your stance on large data centers that might want to move into our town?

3. What work do you think we have to do in Shelbyville to address racial inequities inside and outside the halls of government? How do we address racial injustice in our communities and schools?
4. Here in Shelbyville, immigrants are our neighbors, our friends, our co-workers, and our families. They work with us, go to church with us, we share our cultures, and build communities together. Anti-immigrant hate groups and abductions led by ICE are threatening our immigrant neighbors. What is your stance on this?
5. Here in our community, some people are organizing against LGBTQ communities - to steal books from the library that include LGBTQ characters and to close businesses that are friendly to LGBTQ patrons. What steps will you take to protect LGBTQ people from discrimination?
6. We have a shortage of "third spaces" in our community - places where people can go other than home, school, or work to spend time for free. How would you help support our parks, library, or other third spaces?
7. Shelbyville is facing rising home prices and rents that are increasingly out of reach for many residents. How can we get safe and affordable housing without creating sprawl in our community?

*Note that we can modify this for other races like magistrate and mayor or other cities.

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Report-backs

- NAACP event - Lynna and Martha
- No Kings Rally, Shelbyville - March 28 - all
- Coming to Light - April 8 - Pat and Martha
- Shelby Democrats Candidate Forum

Primary Election -

- **KentuckyElection.org**
- **Voter guides**
- April 20 reg deadline
- May 19 Election Day+ May 14, 15, 16 early voting

Book Club (Arlene)

Exec./ Steering Committee updates - Teresa and Martha

Shelbyville Dogwood Festival - April 18 - 9:30-5

Upcoming meetings

- May - Day after election. Talk endorsements.
- June - Annual chapter meeting. Also Dave is out.

Primary Election thoughts? - Mostly federal level

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Other agenda items

Upcoming events

- Calendar
  - **Shelbyville Dogwood Festival** - April 18 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/877991/
  - **Voter Registration Deadline** - April 20
  - **Know Your Rights - Immigrant Rights Training with New Americans Initiative and KFTC** - April 29 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/881631/
  - **Election Day** - May 20 - http://KentuckyElection.org
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Report-backs

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- Fairness Lobby Day and Rally
- Education Justice Lobby Day
- Community Defense Training
- Letters to the Editor

LGBTQ Book Club meeting/ book (Arlene)

- "This Book is Gay" by Juno Dawson March 21

Community Events to talk through

- **No Kings Rally, Shelbyville** - March 28 9am-11:30am ET
  - Tabling and actions
- **Coming to Light -** April 8 11-1
  - Who's coming
  - Allies to invite?
- **Shelbyville Dogwood Festival** - April 18 - 9:30-5

Immigrant Rights

- Signs, red cards, petitions, handbills, online actions
- Anti-immigrant bills - HB 259, HB 186, more
- More CDN Training and next steps

General Assembly - lobby days

- Jan 6-March 31 for the main part
- Bills, how to lobby, etc.
- Bill Tracker - KFTC.org/bill-tracker
- Voting Rights - KFTC.org/SB80

Primary Election - re-thinking survey

General Election endorsements and surveys to consider - brainstorm for next meeting

- James Mulcahy & Kesia Hatcher running for Shelbyville & Simpsonville City Council
- Norris Buckley for Mayor
- Melissa Strange is running against Thomas Massey
- Andrew Monarch to replace Rep. Jennifer Decker
- Justin Barnes for Coroner.

Upcoming events

- Calendar

- **Shelby KFTC Chapter Meeting -** March 19 - kftc.org/shelby
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- **KFTC Table - No Kings Rally, Shelbyville** - March 28 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/916626/
- **Coming to Light -** April 8 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/915966/
- **Shelby Democrats Candidate Forum** during their April 14 meeting
- **Shelby KFTC Chapter Meeting -** April 16 - kftc.org/shelby
- **Shelbyville Dogwood Festival** - April 18 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/877991/
- **Voter Registration Deadline** - April 20
- **Know Your Rights - Immigrant Rights Training with New Americans Initiative and KFTC** - April 29 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/881631/
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- Welcome/Introductions
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- Icebreaker - Name, pronouns, and…
- What is Kentuckians For the Commonwealth?

Report-backs
- Book club gathering (Arlene+)
- Walkout at Shelby County High School (Arlene)
- Voting rights lobby day earlier today
- Two Community Defense Network (CDN) trainings
- Statewide voter guide work - 99 responses

Next LGBTQ Book Club meeting/ book (Arlene)
- "This Book is Gay" by Juno Dawson ?
- Next date

Immigrant Rights
- Signs, red cards, petitions, handbills, online actions
- Anti-immigrant bills - HB 259, HB 186, more
- More CDN Training and next steps
- Brainstorm more actions

General Assembly - lobby days
- Jan 6-March 31 for the main part of the session
- Bills, how to lobby, etc.
- Bill Tracker - KFTC.org/bill-tracker
- Feb 25 Fairness
- March 3 - Education Justice Lobby Day

Upcoming Elections
- Voter Guide for Primary?
- Endorsements?

No Kings

Houseparty

Planning for upcoming events
- Calendar
    - **Shelby KFTC Chapter Meeting -** Feb 19 - kftc.org/shelby
    - **Shelby County KFTC Houseparty** - hosted by Lynne Anderson, Julie Mulcahy, and James Mulcahy - Feb 21 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/872510
    - **Fairness Lobby Day and Rally** - Feb 25 - https://www.fairness.org/rally/

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Report-backs

- Candidate Readiness Event (NAACP)
- Book club gathering - 7 people at the last one!
- Louisville special election - Gary Clemons big victory

Next LGBTQ Book Club meeting/ book (Arlene)

- "Am I Trans Enough?" - Feb 14 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/881368/

Immigrant Rights

- Mary Clark from Centro Latino sharing what they're up to and what they need
- Signs, red cards, petitions, handbills, online actions
- Anti-immigrant bills - HB 259 and HB 186
- Brainstorm more

Chapter Leadership Reports or Initiatives

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Look at the 2026 General Assembly - lobby days

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Upcoming Election

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Future - Community Protection Training

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Report-backs

- No Kings
- Book Club

Setting next LGBTQ Book Club meeting/ book (Arlene)

Immigrant Rights

- Signs, red cards, petitions, handbills, online actions
- How to be a great ally with Centro Latino

Special Election next-door in Louisville

- http://kentuckyelection.org
- Candidates
    - Calvin Leach (R)
    - Gary Clemons (D)
    - Wendy Higdon (L)
- Phonebank - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/870290/

Minute of silence for Trans Remembrance Day, after a few words. (Martha)

Kimberly Hinkel-Browning's question - Stand-alone building near downtown Shelbyville for a recovery center?

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Look ahead at the 2026 General Assembly

- Jan 6-March 31 for the main part of the session.
- Feb 19 Voting Rights
- Feb 25 Fairness

Planning for upcoming events

- Calendar
    - **Shelby KFTC Chapter Meeting - out to dinner** - December 18 - kftc.org/shelby
    - **LGBTQ Book Club -** Jan 3. The book is Beyond Magenta. https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/872515/
    - **Shelby KFTC Chapter Meeting -** Jan 15 - kftc.org/shelby
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Report-backs

- Shelby County Cultural Fest
- Capitol Pride
- Etc.

Jails, and ICE - guest presentation by Kyle Ellison

- 30 minutes presentation
- 5 minutes Q&A
- 5 min related action

Immigrant Rights

- Signs, red cards, petitions, handbills, online actions

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Planning for upcoming events

- Calendar
    - **No Kings Shelbyville** - October 18 - https://mobilize.us/s/TmlyoR
    - **Book Club Launch** - October 25 at 11am at Little Mount Lavender - Between Perfect and Real, by Ray Stoeve https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/850405/
    - **Shelby KFTC Chapter Meeting** - November 20 - kftc.org/shelby
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    - Set new date for Houseparty!

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Report-backs
- Our op-ed and other actions reacting to **Reformation Church Stealing Books they Disagree with**
    - Over 200 people signed on! Other actions - 73 volunteered to write their own letters to the editor, 53 said they'd donate to the library, 45 said they'd join KFTC, 51 said they'd join a reading group, 173 said they'd support LGBTQ-friendly businesses and not patronize businesses that lead with hate.
- Labor Day Rally, "Workers over Billionaires"
- Shelby NAACP Freedom Banquet
- Steering Committee updates

Doing more in reaction to Reformation Church thefts
- Book club launch! - tentatively October 25 at 11am at Little Mount Lavender (more info to come including the book title)
- Signs at upcoming rallies
- Brainstorm

Immigrant Rights
- Signs, red cards, petitions, online actions
- More connection to Centro Latino?
- Statewide zoom meeting or bus?

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    - **Shelby Library Board Meeting -** September 22 (4th Tuesday) at noon at the Carnegie building - https://www.scplibrary.net/board-trustees
    - **Shelby School Board Meeting** - September 23 - https://www.shelby.kyschools.us/page/boe-meeting-information
    - **Shelby County Cultural Fest - KFTC Table** - October 4 - 12-4 https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/799611/
    - **Immigrant Rights Workteam (zoom) - Shelby KFTC** - October 9, 6pm https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/799659/
    - **Capital Pride! -** October 11 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/806872/
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Balancing The Scales

Looking farther ahead
- Holiday dinner on 12/18 somewhere? Same dates and times for meetings in 2026?
- 2026 Elections

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Report-backs
- John Lewis event, Martha Layne Collins voter reg, concert petitioning, etc.
- Fairness Booth in the State Fair
- Annual Meeting
- Martha Ward-Hendren got an award!!!

Reformation Church Stealing Books they Disagree with
- Response? What makes a good response? Brainstorm. Choose.

How can we help our immigrant neighbors..?
- New print petition
- Signs
- Online petition/ action (let's try this out right now) - KFTC.org/shelby
- Red cards
- A panel? Co-sponsored with Centro Latino?

Visiting School Board Meetings

Membership recruitment and fundraising

Labor Day Rally, "Workers over Billionaires."

Shelby NAACP Freedom Banquet

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- Calendar
    - **Shelby KFTC Chapter Meeting** - August 21- kftc.org/shelby
    - **Healthy KSU 3K & Health Fair - KFTC Table** - August 23 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/821853/
    - **Shelby School Board Meeting** - August 28 - https://www.shelby.kyschools.us/page/boe-meeting-information
    - **Labor Day Rally, "Workers over Billionaires"** - Sept 1
    - **Rally for Recovery - Voting Rights table -** Sept 6, Louisville - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/812053/
    - **Immigrant Rights Workteam (zoom) - Shelby KFTC** - September 11, 6pm https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/799659/
    - **Shelby NAACP Freedom Banquet** - September 14, 3pm.
    - **Support our Immigrant Neighbors** - September 14 Crestwood United Church 6pm
    - **Shelby KFTC Chapter Meeting** - September 18 - kftc.org/shelby
    - **Shelby School Board Meeting** - September 23 - https://www.shelby.kyschools.us/page/boe-meeting-information

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Report-backs
- John Lewis event just now and related table

How can we help our immigrant neighbors..?
- New print petition
- Signs
- Online petition/ action (let's try this out right now, even?)
- Red cards

Upcoming Martha Layne Collins HS event

Upcoming Annual Meeting

Membership recruitment and fundraising

Shelby NAACP Freedom Banquet

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- Calendar
    - **Shelby KFTC Chapter Meeting** - July 17 - kftc.org/shelby
    - **Intro to KFTC and Grassroots Organizing** - July 24 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/744839/
    - **KFTC Statewide Annual Meeting -** July 26 and 27 - kftc.org/am25
    - **Table at the Good Trouble Lives on Rally** - Aug 2 5-6:30 https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/811584/
    - **Register Voters at Martha Layne Collins HS - Back to School** - August 4, 4-7 https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/784870/
    - **KFTC's Annual Membership Business Meeting!** - Aug 6 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/640622/
    - **Petitioning at Lewis Mathis Concert - Shelbyville** - August 9, 3-5 https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/816574/
    - **Immigrant Rights Workteam (zoom) - Shelby KFTC** - August 14, 6pm https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/799659/
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Recent report-backs
- Juneteenth, Immigrant Rights, No Kings, Pride, etc.

Review of the last year
- Big Immigrant Rights meeting, Education forum, Dogwood Festival, defeating Amendment 2, IDed over 400 supporters through petitions, etc.

Goal setting for year & upcoming opportunities
- New Members - 50! Also 5 active "worker bees"
- Fundraising - Schedule a Houseparty or consider another thing like a pie auction or chilli supper
- Other goals - Lean into Immigrant Rights, be nimble.
- Other issues on our radar - Defending our hospital from medicaid cuts and supporting public radio

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Nominations for KFTC statewide committees (10 min)
- *Personnel Committee, Finance Committee, Leadership Development Committee, Racial Justice Committee on Curriculum and Learning, Economic Justice Committee, Land Reform Committee, New Energy and Transition, Racial Justice Policy and Strategy Team, Voting Rights Strategy Team, Litigation, Education*

Gail will petition at the KFTC Annual Meeting for us to remain a chapter

Lynne, Martha, Gail, and Dave are going to the KFTC Annual Meeting

Planning for upcoming events
- Calendar
    - **NAACP Health and job Fair -** June 20, 12-5 JCTC Shelby campus
    - **Organizing 201** - Campaign strategy, power mapping, strategy charts, message boxes, and weighing a wide range of tactics and their values. June 26 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/784753/
    - **Voting Rights Intro -** July 8 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/402891/
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    - **John Lewis allied event (more info TBA)**
    - **Shelby KFTC Chapter Meeting** - July 17 - kftc.org/shelby

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Announcements

- ***balancing the scales*** newsletter **-** Deadline June 23

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Dogwood Festival report-back

- Feel of the day
- 171 petitions signed

What is grassroots community organizing?

- Issues, root causes, approaches to change, power

How can we help our immigrant neighbors..?

- Red cards
- Signs - "Shelby loves our neighbors"
- Action around Abrego Garcia
- Letter writing action - federal legislators
- Letter to the editor
- Brainstorm and act

balancing the scales **newsletter**

- Copies to share - How to spread around town?
- Story for next time? Deadline June 23

Look ahead to Annual Chapter Meeting in June

- Statewide nominations are open now - kftc.org/nominations
- In June, we'll set annual goals, elect a Steering Committee Representative and Alternate, and chapter coordinators

Planning for upcoming events

- Calendar
    - **Intro to KFTC and Grassroots Organizing** - May 21 and July 24 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/744839/
    - **Table with KFTC at the Shelby Dems Town Hall** - May 31 - 3-5 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/795989/
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What does resistance and building our own beautiful things that outlast Trump look like?

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What do we want to do at the Dogwood Festival this weekend?

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- Times
    - 9am-11:30am (set up the tent)
    - 11am- 1:30pm
    - 1- 3:30pm
    - 3- 5:30pm (pack up)

How can we help our immigrant neighbors..?

We could invite experts like Centro Latino board member(s), Human Rights Commission's Juan Peña perhaps ..?

Planning for upcoming events

- Calendar
    - **Dogwood Festival -** April 19 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/769892/
    - **Shelby Chapter Meeting** - May 15 - http://www.kftc.org/shelby
    - **Town Hall** - May 31st at the Fairgrounds Pavilion from 3:00 to 5:00. It is sponsored by the Shelby County Democratic Party, The time will mostly be spent by people who sign up to air their concerns, questions, and grievances. Several current elected officials have been invited as well as some candidates for office. So far we have commitments from Karen Berg and Monica Dean (running against Thomas Massie).
    - **Shelby Chapter Meeting** - June 19 - http://www.kftc.org/shelby

    - **Annual Meeting -** July 26 and 27
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How are we holding up?/ Election debrief / Processing it all

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How do we want to be together and what do we want to do in the first 3 months of 2025?

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Dave is on sabbatical through April 10. What support do we need while he's gone?

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- We'll be staffed by our Jefferson County Organizers
    - Flaco - Flaco@kftc.org
    - Nyeila - Nyeila@kftc.org
    - (Lynne) Plan a Forum with our reluctant legislators
    - Shelby-specific projects ?(school board, fiscal court, city council meetings) +
    - Start campaign to become an immigrant sanctuary
    - Other local efforts to combat Project 2025
    - 01-18-25 Frankfort / Lou. March of rally mess? Yay or Nay?

Planning for upcoming events

- Calendar
    - **Shelby Chapter Meeting** - December 19 - http://www.kftc.org/shelby
    - **Shelby Chapter Meeting** - January 16 - http://www.kftc.org/shelby
    - **Education Justice Lobby Day** - February 4 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/676586/
    - **Voting Rights Rally and Lobby Day** - February 11 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/745226/
    - **Shelby Chapter Meeting** - February 20 - http://www.kftc.org/shelby
    - **Shelby Chapter Meeting** - March 20 - http://www.kftc.org/shelby
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Special Time - 6:30 for NAACP and 7:30 for short KFTC meeting
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Updates and "chatter" since last time

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The election

- No on 1 and No on 2.
- Upcoming events
- Watch party?
- KentuckyElection.org

Planning for upcoming events

- Calendar
    - **Weekly Phonebank - No on Amendment 2 - Wednesdays -** October 23 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/649641/
    - **"No" on Amendment 1 Text Bank** - October 28 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/693474/
    - **Voter Mobilization Text bank (Huge)** - October 28 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/586483/
    - **Textbank - No on Amendment 2** - October 29 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/649569/
    - **Learning about what's on the ballot - Sharon Murphy of Real Life Civics** - October 29 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/618904/
    - **Early Voting -** Oct 31 to November 2
    - **Election Day** - November 5
    - **Shelby Chapter Meeting** - 11/21 - http://www.kftc.org/shelby
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Look ahead to 2025 a little

Next meeting

- Topic?
- Phonebank?

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- Quotes for KentuckyElection.org?

Planning for upcoming events

- Calendar
    - Lynne's birthday 9/20
    - Tabling downtown 9/21
    - NAACP's voting workshop 9/21
    - NAACP's banquet 9/22
    - Drive up pantry in Lagrange 9/23 (9-11am)
    - School board meets at 6pm! Petitioning 9/26
    - Finchville festival 9/28
    - Shelby JCTC 10/1 9a-1p
    - Voter Reg Deadline 10/7
    - Capital Pride Frankfort 10/12
    - **Shelby Chapter Meeting** - 10/17 - http://www.kftc.org/shelby
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- Public Education Forum
- KFTC Annual Meeting
- Congratulations, Lynne!

Education Action
- Materials - petitions and handouts
- Brainstorm collective events, tabling, etc.

Things we can do to stop Amendment 2

Become a member of Kentuckians For The Commonwealth today
- KFTC.org/join

Pledge to "vote no on 2" and circulate the petition to people you know
- Online - http://qrco.de/NOon2KY
- Print - https://archive.kftc.org/sites/default/files/docs/resources/2024_kftc_no_on_2_petition.pdf

Join us in an online phone bank to call voters about education
- Every Wednesday at 7pm ET starting August 28 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/649641/

Join us in a door to door canvass about education
- Saturday, Aug 24, noon - 4pm. https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/649568

Join us in texting voters About education
- September 12 and October 29 at 7pm https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/649569

Write a Letter to the Editor about why this issue matters to you
- Courier Journal Letter to the Editor - (200 word limit) https://static.courier-journal.com/letters/
- Shelbyville Sentinel-News - (250 word limit) https://www.pmg-ky1.com/sentinel_news/site/forms/online_services/sentinel_news_letter_to_the_editor/
- Herald-Leader - (200 word limit) https://www.kentucky.com/opinion/letters-to-the-editor/submit-letter/

Planning for upcoming events
- Calendar
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- **High Point Charitable Services' drive up food bank in LaGrange.** Voter reg. Monday, Aug. 26 9:30-11:00am.
- **KFTC Education Policy Workteam Meeting** - September 12- https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/568279/
- **Solarize Frankfort / Power House workshop**. September 12 from 6 - 7:30 at Scott County library
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- Icebreaker - Name and a Summer plan
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Celebrating the last month AND the last 12 months or so! (10min)

- **Dragapalooza**
- **Juneteenth**





Chapter petition (5 min)

- Review this form about the rights and responsibilities of being a KFTC chapter
- Vote whether to remain a chapter
- Ask for volunteers
    - Can some folks work to develop a chapter tri-fold display for the in-person Annual Meeting, being held this year in Berea July 27 and 28? kftc.org/AM24 - Martha, Nyeila

Goal setting for year & upcoming opportunities (10 min)

- New Members - 20
- FR - $500
- Active members - 18
- Members per meeting - 12
- Events, focus, or other goals?
- Idea for a concert on 6th Street

Election of chapter officers (10 min)

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Nominations for KFTC statewide committees (10 min)

- *2023-2024 Committee lists are here, if you want to see who is currently serving from your chapter.*
- *Full descriptions here*
- *(After the meeting, we'll send in these nominations using this report)*

Planning for upcoming events (10)

- Education Panel next month - Format, speakers, turnout plan
    - Brenda Jackson
    - Leon Mooneyhan
    - Some school Teacher (maybe Lynne)
    - Open with description of the constitutional amendment
    - Ask each panelists "How do you see this impacting our education system?"
    - Then go to questions
    - Have action steps available and/or collectively brainstorm actions to do.
    - Actions
        - Phone banks
        - Materials
        - Petitions
        - Letters
- Election input
- Calendar
    - **Capital Pride's Pride Party! -** June 22 - https://www.mobilize.us/mobilize/event/637948/
    - **Shelby Chapter Turnout phonebank** - July 10- https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/630673/
    - **Candidate and Campaign Manager Training -** July 13 and 20 - https://kftc.org/run
    - **Occupy Frankfort -** July 18

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    - **KFTC Annual Meeting** - July 27-28 www.kftc.org/AM24
    - **Back to School Bash Voter Reg in Shelby - Collins High School** - August 5 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/614844
    - **Join the Grassroots Fundraising Extravaganza! - Training** - August 6 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/503899/
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- Job Openings for Voter Empowerment Positions - www.kftc.org/jobs

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Report-back from the Dogwood Festival, voter registration, plus (Martha)
- 16 voters registered, 2 memberships, 227 petitions signed, 6 volunteers, and 220 lit pieces handed out about the chapter and election.
- What next with those folks?

Report-back from Steering Committee meeting (Lynne)

Upcoming Pride month and how we can be good allies

Upcoming Juneteenth events and how we can be good allies

Thoughts about the General Election?
- Do we want to do a survey of candidates?
- Working with NAACP on a debate
- Voter reg, etc.

Nominations for Statewide Executive Committee and Kentucky Coalition Board
- Chair/Co-Chair, Vice Chairperson, Secretary-Treasurer, At-Large Representative, KC Board
- www.kftc.org/nominations

Preview of next chapter meeting - our chapter annual meeting (Dave)

Reflections and next steps from last month's chapter meeting focused on Latino community?

Listening project focused in BIPOC community in Shelby - Milan. Advice? (Dave)

Upcoming events
- **Early Voting -** Now to Saturday
- **Primary Election -** May 21 - 6am to 6pm
- **Pride - Dragapalooza** - June 1, 5pm Barrel Room
- **Juneteenth** - June 14 Skate Party and June 15 parade on Main Street and celebration at Daniel Field
- **Shelby KFTC Meeting** - June 20 - http://www.kftc.org/shelby
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Special Guest - Juan Peña from the Kentucky Commission on Human Rights. Focus on the Latino and Hispanic community in Shelby. What's the status of the Latino community in Shelby County right now?, what challengers are people facing?, and how can we be a good ally?

Plan for Dogwood Festival - Saturday April 20!

- East Lot, booth 73
- Registering voters
- Petitions - Voting Rights, Fairness
- Anything else?
- Load-in - 7:20 am - 7:35 am
- Available for vendors to set up tents and tables on Friday, April 19, 2024, from 4:30 pm - 7:00 pm. There will not be security overnight; however, if you'd like to set up infrastructure for your booths to make Saturday easier, you are welcome to do so at your own risk.
- 10am-5pm - Who can be there when?

A note on ballot issues that will be in November

- SB 143 - Barring non-citizens from voting
- HB 2 - Funding for private schools, defunding public schools

Upcoming events

- **Dogwood Festival Community Tabling -** April 20 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/548282/
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General Assembly Status

- https://kftc.org/billtracker
- This is day 53 of 60
- What are we tracking and still working on?
- April 15 is Sine Die (the last day)

A look at the Primary Election locally

- Ballot

General Election

- Richard Henderson vs Jennifer Decker for 58th district
- Ballot issues?

What arc of chapter meetings do we want? Movies, issues, etc.?

- Space Race?
- Supporting the Latino community?
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Dogwood is 2 days after out next meeting. What do we want to do there?

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Turnout plan for next time

- Setting a phone bank
- Other ideas?

Upcoming events

- **KFTC's Approach to Voter Engagement -** April 2 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/420353/
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- Voting Rights Rally and Lobby Day Feb 13
- Moms Demand Action Gun Violence Awareness Advocacy Day

General Assembly What next?

- Tracker
- Upcoming lobby days

Turnout for next chapter meeting

Upcoming events

- **Menstrual Equity Lobby Day -** Feb 21 https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/598330/
- **Walter Anderson** - Feb 24. Visitation 10-12 and Celebration of Life Service at noon at Pewee Valley Presbyterian Church 119 Central Avenue Pewee Valley, KY 40056
- **NEW KENTUCKY Rally at the State Capitol** - Feb 29 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/604156/
- **Poor People's Campaign: A National Call for Moral Revival** - March 2 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/604005/
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General Assembly Lobbying Training

Balancing The Scales - copies and consider writing something (Imani)

Upcoming events in Frankfort

- **Mini Voting Rights Lobby Day in Frankfort - Also PAR's big lobby day! -** February 7 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/556557/
- **"We Love Voting Rights" Lobby Day and Rally in Frankfort** - February 13 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/556556/
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Movie

Discussion

- What's sticking with you?
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Election debrief

- Results
- Top take-aways
- Lessons

Next issues

- December meeting
- Keep time and location for 2024?
- Saturday training
- Dogwood Festival

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Report-backs from field work

- Shelby Pride, Finchville, etc.

Upcoming field work/election stuff

- Election basics and endorsements
- Events
    - **KUUJAN and KFTC Voter Mobilization Phone Bank -** Oct 24 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/587366/
    - **Phone Bank for JCKFTC Metro Council Candidates 2023** - Oct 25 -https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/583572/
    - **Voter Mobilization Textbank -** October 30 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/586483/
    - **Statewide Voter Mobilization Phone Bank! -** November 1 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/586712/
    - **More!** - www.kftc.org/events

How do we want to promote our film showing of After The Flood next month? - The Director Ali Gautier will come speak to the chapter and show the film

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Report-backs from field work

- Voter reg tables, plus
    - Lunch time voter reg. at Collins High, Beckley Labor Day, Simpsonville Fall Festival, Shelby Jeep Invasion.

IRA and local schools

Upcoming field work/election stuff

- Election basics and endorsements
- Events
    - **Tabling at the Shelby County Library - Voter Registration -** Sept. 19 through Oct. 9 at : the Shelby County Public Library's main building 309 8th St, Shelbyville, KY 40065 on : Tuesdays 10am- 1pm and Thursdays 3pm- 6pm - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/581876/
    - **Finchville Fall Festival Voter Registration & Petitioning -** September 23 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/581801/
    - **Singing for Democracy - Frankfort** - September 23 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/563741/
    - **Table at Shelby Pride** - September 30 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/572937/
    - **Learning about KY Statewide Offices** - Sharon Murphy of Real Life Civics - October 3 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/558393/
    - **Phone banking** - www.kftc.org/events
- **Possibilities, planning other:**
    - 9/29 Cornerstone Christian Academy Festival 5:30- 8:30?

- Other?

Nailing down our October meeting

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Report-backs from field work

- Back to school tables
- KFTC Annual Meeting

IRA and local schools

- Letter to the school board +

Upcoming field work/election stuff

- We have a Voter Empowerment Organizer in Shelby County!
- Ideas for tabling, etc.
    - Labor Day Shelbyville: Family Fun Festival! - On Monday, September 4th, Shelby Co Fairgrounds!
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- Events
    - **Voter Registration Training - Online -** September 5 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/402893/
    - **Rally 4 Recovery** - Louisville September 9 - at UofL - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/561218/
    - **Kentucky Movement Assembly** - September 15-17 https://www.classy.org/event/kentucky-movement-assembly/e485446
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Interim Committees in the legislature

Fundraising
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- Peer-to-peer fundraising page

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Report-backs from field work

- Table at Shelby Juneteenth Health, Wellness & Job Fair - June 16
- We've Got the Power! Making the Inflation Reduction Act Work for Shelby Co.'s Energy Future -
- Drag Show at the Shelbyville Barrel Room - Petitioning and registering voters - June 24 -
- Public Service Commission Visit
- Beshear visit
- More

IRA and local schools

- Context
- How to proceed

Upcoming field work/election stuff

- Election context
- Ideas for tabling, etc.

Fundraising

- House parties?
- Peer-to-peer fundraising page

Annual Meeting coming up

Planning for upcoming events

- Calendar
    - **KFTC Annual Meeting** - July 28-29 in Lexington - https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2023-kftc-annual-membership-meeting-tickets-64647469220
    - **KFTC annual business meeting (virtual)** - Aug 1 - 7-9 pm ET / 6-8 pm CT
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Celebrating the last 12 months or so! (10)

Chapter petition (5 min.)

- Review this form about the rights and responsibilities of being a KFTC chapter
- Vote whether to remain a chapter
- Ask for volunteers
    - Can some folks work on a 2-minute presentation about our chapter and petition to remain a chapter during the Annual Business Meeting on August 1 from 7-9 pm ET?

    - Can some folks work to develop a chapter tri-fold display for the in-person Annual Meeting, being held this year in Lexington on Friday night, July 28 and Saturday, July 29?

Goal setting for year & upcoming opportunities (10 min)

- New Members?
- Events, focus, or other goals?

Election of chapter officers (10 min)

- Steering Committee Rep and Alternate
- Membership Coordinator(s) -
- Communications Coordinators(s) -
- Fundraising Coordinators(s) -

Nominations for KFTC statewide committees (10 min)

- *2022-2023 Committee lists are here, if you want to see who is currently serving from your chapter.*
- *Full descriptions here*
- *(After the meeting, we'll send in these nominations using the surveymonkey and the Chapter Annual Meeting Report above.)*

Planning for upcoming events (10)

- Calendar
    - **Table at Shelby Juneteenth Health, Wellness & Job Fair -** June 16 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/565499/
    - **We've Got the Power! Making the Inflation Reduction Act Work for Shelby Co.'s Energy Future -** June 22 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/560613/
    - **Drag Show at the Shelbyville Barrel Room - Petitioning and registering voters -** June 24 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/565303
    - **Candidate and Campaign Manager Training -** July 8 and 22 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/542860/
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Agenda check (5)

Reporting back (15) - Various people

- Dogwood Festival!
    - 7 volunteers, 274 petitions signed (mostly on Fairness issues), recruited 4 new members, passed out 150 voter guides, passed out 115 invitations to our monthly meeting, networked, passed out information about our upcoming IRA workshop.
- Follow-up from outreach to churches for a safe space for LGBTQ youth
- Primary Election

Gun Violence Prevention in Kentucky: Statistics and Solutions (40) - Cathy

- Slide show, plus

Upcoming IRA Workshop at Gail's (5)

- Helping to spread the word
- Other needs?

Juneteenth Celebration

- What do we know?
- Connecting with NAACP

Nominations and preview of next meeting - Chapter Annual Meeting (5)

- https://archive.kftc.org/nominations

Planning for other upcoming events (5)

- Other local stuff
    -
- Calendar
    - **KFTC 101 -** May 22 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/544876/
    - **Voting Rights Issue Introduction** - June 6 - www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/402891/
    - **Shelby Chapter Annual Meeting** - June 15 - kftc.org/shelby
    - **Annual Bluegrass and Barbecue** - June 16 - Link
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Focus on Fairness (Lynne+) (30)

- What does Shelby County need in this moment to show and build support for LGBTQ neighbors?
    - Related report-backs
    - Select a few items from last month's brainstorm to go deeper
    - Planning

A few words about the Primary Election (5)

- Voter Guides to share!
- Early Voting - May 11-13

- Primary Election - May 16
- KentuckyElection.org

Planning for Dogwood Festival Saturday (10)
- Booth 24
- Who's coming and when?
    - 7:40-7:55 load-in -
    - 9:30am - 12:00pm ET - Martha (leaving 11:30), Lynne, Dave
    - 12:00pm - 2:30pm ET - Gail, Dave
    - 2:30pm - 5:00pm ET - Sydney (4-5:30), Dave
    - Pack up
- Issues - Fairness/LGBTQ, Voting Rights and…
- Materials
    - Voter Guides
    - Petition forms
    - Handbill inviting people to monthly chapter meeting
    - Clipboards
    - Tables
    - Tent
    - Rainbow Bag pops?
    - Signs, banners

Teaser introducing IRA (5)
- What is it and do we want to have a workshop? (Gail)
- Decide when to go deeper on this
- Options
    - Have workshop at a next chapter meeting in Stratton
    - Have workshop at Gail's home at a special time and mobilize people to come out
    - Move an upcoming chapter meeting from Stratton to Gail's home and have this instead of other chapter work

Teaser introducing Signing for Democracy Gospel Festival (5)
- Quick introduction
- Gut-check about whether we might want to explore this with NAACP, etc.
- Quick brainstorm about who should be in this loop - churches, etc.

Group Picture (5)

Planning for other upcoming events (5)
- Other local stuff
- Calendar
    - **Learning about KY Statewide Offices** - Sharon Murphy of Real Life Civics - May 1 https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/558393/
    - **Voter mobilization calls to Kentuckians who got their right to vote back** - May 2 and 3 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/530540
    - **Voter Mobilization Calls to voters we registered** + May 4, 6, 8 https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/556896
    - **Texting to Mobilize Voters** - May 9 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/556900 -

- **Primary Election** - May 16 - www.KentuckyElection.org (Rides+)
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- A little about today - Focus on LGBTQ+ rights including a review of this moment in the Kentucky legislature, what our allies are doing, and what we can collectively do locally to build a safe and just community for our LGBTQ+ neighbors.
- Icebreaker - Name, where you're from and a little about what brings you here today

Agenda check

Focus on Fairness (Lynne)

- Debrief of recent anti-gay bills in the General Assemby, particularly to the degree to which our own Rep Jennifer Decker has pushed them. (Dave+)
- Jessie Brumfield with Shelby County Pride
- Faun Fishback with the Shelby County Commission on Human Rights
- What's other context we should consider in the landscape?

- Given all that, what does Shelby County need in this moment to show and build support for LGBTQ neighbors?

What can we do? What would it take to call out hate and call-in love? Building a safer community for our LGBTQ neighbors

- Brainstorm
- Call the legislative message line
- Come out to the Dogwood Festival and circulate petitions for LGBTQ rights - April 22nd at 1155 W. Main Street in Shelbyville, Kentucky
- Consider running for office or recruiting someone else to. Our upcoming KFTC candidate and campaign manager training is July 8 and 22nd www.kftc.org/run
- Future Pride Event
- Register and vote
- Other tabling opportunities?

Membership ask

Group Picture

Planning for other upcoming events

- Other local stuff
- Calendar
    - **Last regular day of the General Assembly** - March 16 (full calendar here)
    - **KY Voting Rights Coalition Monthly Meeting** - March 23, 3-4:30pm ET https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/548140/
    - **Last 2 days of the General Assembly** - March 29, 30
    - **KFTC's Approach to Voter Engagement** - April 4 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/420353/
    - **Primary Voter Registration Deadline** - April 17
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Agenda check and build

Report-backs on 3 big lobby days

- Moms Demand Action
- Fairness
- Voting Rights

Fairness in 2023

- **What do we want to do?**
- **Dogwood Festival -** April 22nd at 1155 W. Main Street in Shelbyville, Kentucky

General Assembly

- What are we hearing and tracking?
- Overall landscape
- HB 1/ Income tax - passed
- Fairness
- Voting Rights
- Moms Demand Action
- Bill tracker - kftc.org/bill-tracker

Planning our next chapter meeting and making it pretty big

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Planning for other upcoming events

- Other local stuff
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Agenda check and build

This moment at KFTC - leaning in on racial justice and local campaigns, while leaning in strategically and sparingly into the General Assembly and later on into elections

Fairness in 2023

- **What do we want to do?**
- **Dogwood Festival -** April 22nd at 1155 W. Main Street in Shelbyville, Kentucky

Flood recovery update from EKY

- The needs of flood displaced households and families continue to be high and significantly unmet by state and federal agencies. In 2022 KFTC distributed more than $350K in direct relief to flood affected individuals and allies.
- The region needs state and federal governments to allocate hundreds of millions for new safe, affordable housing and housing rehab. KFTC has signed onto a campaign being organized by the Housing and Homelessness Coalition of Kentucky that calls for the state legislature to establish

and fund an Affordable Housing Trust Fund for Disaster Response. So far no bill has been filed and there is no commitment from GOP leadership to do so.
- Beverly May has been working with Feeding East Kentucky to organize weekly grocery deliveries to people displaced by the flood at several state parks and campgrounds. Some other Big Sandy chapter members have volunteered to do some of these runs along with other folks in the area.

Bernheim forest

General Assembly
- Overall landscape
- HB 1/ Income tax (Martha)
    - Big action at the very start of the session - press conference
    - Would lower the state income tax from 4.5% to 4% effective in 2024. Taking the income tax to 4% is projected to cost state coffers $1.2 billion a year by 2025. Increasing sales taxes and other regressive taxes might fill parts of the gap.
    - Greased to pass soon
- Other tax proposals (Martha)
    - HB 8
    - HB 111
- Gun Violence
    - Rep Keturah Herron will file a bill for a center on gun violence prevention
- Voting Rights
    - The moment we're in
    - Feb 14 lobby day and other upcoming events - think NAACP might want to be a part of that?
    - Local work is still key
- Bill tracker in progress (but possibly less robust than previous years)

Prospects for staff support of the chapter in the future

Planning for other upcoming events
- Other local stuff
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Voter Empowerment

- Report-backs of recent work!
    - Booker event Monday
    - NAACP's candidate forum
    - Field work
- Endorsements!
    - 

- Materials
    - Voter guides and stickies
- What else do we want to do in the 2.5 weeks we have left?
    - Phone bank about endorsed candidates?
    - Schedule some lit drops?
    - Election Protection?
    - Rides to the polls?

Planning for other upcoming events

- Other local stuff
- Other upcoming statewide events https://www.mobilize.us/kftc
- What to do with the final 2 meetings of the year?

Announcements

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- Martha as a short-term events Canvasser!
- Surveys and Voter Guides
- Candidates of note
    - Norris Beckley is running for mayor!
    - **Willie Roberts** - Candidate, Shelbyville City Council - is requesting an endorsement
    - Rothenberger County Judge Exec write-in
    - **Mary Stratton**
- Report-backs of recent work!
- No on 2
- No on 1

Voter Engagement Planning (Dave)

- Voter Registration and events?
    - Who wants to 'clipboard' (register voters) with Martha at a Dare to Care mobile pantry in Louisville 9/29? Lynne and…? (Their Volunteer Coordinator invited us! "Loves" the idea !!)
    - Should we ever go back to the pantry in Shelbyville?
    - Does anyone have connections at local restaurants, dry cleaners, salons, groceries etc? (Like Jane's coffee shop friends)

- Passing out stickies?
- NAACP's candidate forum on 10/6!
- Local Voter Guide Handouts?
- Endorsements?
- Phone banks?
- What do we want to do?

Planning for other upcoming events

- Other local stuff
- Other upcoming statewide events https://www.mobilize.us/kftc
- Should next meeting be Zoom?

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Annual Meeting report-back

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Voter Empowerment

- With our NAACP Friends
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Voter Engagement Training (Dave)

- Why voter work? - and what we hope to accomplish
- Filling out a voter registration card
- IDing people who are with us (what we've already done, plus)
- Voter education and mobilization later
- How the 2022 General Election will work
- Voting Rights Process
- Materials!

Planning for other upcoming events

- Other local stuff
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Shelby County Pride Parade and Festival debrief. (Lynne+all)

- What did you think?
- June 25
- In all, 189 people signed our Fairness petition, we got 3 KFTC memberships, had 5 volunteers, we passed out 222 rainbow popsicles and other snacks, registered one voter and generally had a ton of fun.
- Kudos to Shelby County Pride who organized an awesome event!
- September Pride event?

Annual Meeting coming up July 30

- Description of what it is
- Curveball on venue
- Sign up - https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2022-annual-membership-meeting-tickets-363006049867
- **Party Agenda**
    - 3PM Party begins!
      Members and guests are welcomed to visit chapter booths under big tent, play yard games, pitch a tent, pull up a chair and hang out with each other. This is the vibe all day.
    - 5-5:45PM Talent Show
    - 5:30PM Food
    - 6:15PM Program
    - DJ will play until 9PM
- Deeper description
- Who can come?
- **What do we want to do for our "booth?"**
    - Have a county fair/carnival theme: games/activities
    - Share KFTC's BHAG and/or vivid description
    - Reflect the county's culture: food, crafts, talents, leadership, history
    - Showcase chapter's work: past, present and/or future
    - Be engaging and fun!
- Annual Business meeting - Aug 3rd
    - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/471575/

Voter Empowerment

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- Thoughts about voter reg opportunities?

- Thoughts about surveys and voter guide? We're adding City Council?
- Candidates of note
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Acknowledgement Statement affirming our commitment to challenge white supremacy and racist practices within the organization (Lynne)

Planning for other upcoming events
- Other local stuff
- Other upcoming statewide events https://www.mobilize.us/kftc
- July 29 evening event in Frankfort?

Announcements
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Annual Chapter meeting slides and decisions

- Link

Shelby County Pride Parade and Festival. (Lynne)

- June 25 - downtown - Stargazer Plaza. 12-6. Parade at Noon. We'll have a table.
    - Jane - Membership sign, jar, poster
    - 11:15 setup - Dave
    - Martha - early shift
    - Lynne - early shift to 2:30
    - Jane
    - Lynne will bring backdrops

    - Dave will bring tshirt
    - Martha - cooler
    - Jane will take more in freezer - coming later around 2:30 and pass
    - Sydney - 3-4
    - Shirts
    - Gail 4-6
- Mobilize link - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/462940/
- Circulating a petition and registering voters
- Materials

Planning for other upcoming events

- KFTC Statewide Annual Meeting - July 30 in Berea, KY - https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2022-annual-membership-meeting-tickets-363006049867
- September event - we'll decide before next meeting
- Juneteenth activities this weekend - pictures?
- Other local stuff
- Norris Beckley is running for mayor!
    - Good
- Rothenberger County Judge Exec write-in
- Other upcoming statewide events https://www.mobilize.us/kftc

Announcements

- Ballot issue stance
- Civics 101

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KENTUCKIANS FOR THE COMMONWEALTH

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New KFTC Co-Executive Directors! (Lynne)

Election Debrief

- Our work including the Voter Guide, and (especially) the Dogwood Festival
- Statewide
    - 9 of 11 endorsed candidates won
    - Phone, door-to-door, voter guides, tabling, ads, KentuckyElection.org and more
- Local outcomes
- A little about what we might want to do in the General

Shelby County Pride Parade and Festival. (Lynne)

- June 25 - downtown - Stargazer Plaza. 12-6. Parade at Noon. We'll have a table.
- Mobilize link - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/462940/
- Circulating a petition and registering voters?

Nominations for KFTC's Executive Committee and heads-up about next month's Chapter Annual Meeting (Dave)

- In May we nominate people to the Executive Committee. All the current members are eligible to be renominated. They include Kathy Curtis (at-large, Big Sandy), Ebony O'Rea (at-large, Jefferson Co), David Miller (Secretary-Treasurer, Cumberland), Rebecca Tucker (vice chair), Alan Smith (Co-Chair, SOKY), and Tiff Duncan (Co-Chair, CKY).
- They also, along with 3 others to be nominated next month, serve as the Kentucky Coalition Board of Directors. The current board includes Matthew Gidcomb, Joy Fitzgerald, and Shannon Scott.
- Nominations can be made through the KFTC website - https://www.kftc.org/nominations Dave will forward nominations made by chapter members.
- June we will vote on whether to be a chapter, set goals, appoint folks to be Chapter Fundraising, Publicity, and Communications Coordinators - and other positions we see fit/that make sense! (We have a chapter scribe as well who takes minutes). We will also be setting goals and electing our Steering Committee Rep and Alternate (more next month on these)!

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- Pride Event in September (24, 25) is on!
- KFTC Statewide Annual Meeting - July 30 in Berea, KY
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General Assembly brief debrief

- Top take-aways?
- Bigger debrief on the calendar May 3 at 8pm https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/452450/

Primary Election

- Why we do voter work
- How voting will work in Shelby County
    - Any registered voter in Shelby County can vote early in this election! - Thursday May 12, Friday, May 13, or Saturday, May 14 at the Shelby County Clerk's Office (501 Washington St Shelbyville, KY 40065) 10:00AM - 6:00PM
    - Alternatively, we can vote in our local precinct voting locations on Election Day, Tuesday May 17, 6am to 6pm.
- Voter Guide and KentuckyElection.org
    - What's in it

    - Distribution plan
        - Spring LGBTQ event? Let's find out
        - Leaving them at barber shops, laundromats

Dogwood Festival Saturday!!

- Dogwood Festival - April 23rd from 10 am - 5 pm
- Volunteers?
    -
- Materials
    - Voter guides
    - Fairness Petition
    - Voting Rights Petition
    - Something about our monthly meeting
    - Chairs, tables, tent
    - Shelby KFTC Banner!
    - Voting Rights stickies
    - Signs

Upcoming events

- June 25 - downtown - Stargazer pavilion. Parade at Noon. We'll have a table.
    - Patty will be in town!
- Pride Event in September (24, 25) is on
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General Assembly update

- Too much to cover here, but what do we want to talk about?
- State of Play email

Upcoming Fairness/ Pride Event!

- Shelby Pride
- June 25 - downtown - Stargazer pavilion. Parade at Noon. We'll have a table.
    - Patty will be in town!
    -
- Pride Event in September (24, 25) is on

Our Local Voter Guide

- Candidate filings - It looks like the only primaries are Republican Judge Executive, Republican District 2 Magistrate, Republican District 3 Magistrate, and Republican District 5 Magistrate (with no Democrat in any primary)
- Questions/ Survey link - www.KFTC.org/ShelbyFiscalCourt
- Responses so far
    - Young, Vowels, Witt, Stratton
- Do we want to do one last push to get responses?
    - Yes. Dave will divide up list with Joy and Lynne
- Do we want to do late breaking County Clerk Questions?
    - 2 Republicans. Well-known conservative
    - If so, what to ask?
        - Why should people vote for you?
        - What would you do to encourage voter registration?
        - What would you do to make voting more accessible to Shelby Countians?
        - Voting Rights for Kentuckians with Felonies in their past.
- Distribution plan
    - Talking to local newspaper - Lynne can look at that
    - Dogwood Festival - April 23rd from 10 am - 5 pm at the Shelby County Board of Education, 1155 West Main Street, Shelbyville, KY.
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Should we meet up in person next meeting?

- At the Stratton Center and with precautions?
- Stay online?
- Hybrid meeting with online option - **Unanimous**
- Meet somewhere outside
- April 21, 7pm to 8:30pm

- An aside - Dave will bring a banner and such
- Agenda
    - Brainstorm
        - Ukraine - Some kind of Democracy theme? Can we find a Ukrainian living in KY?
        - KFTC 101 - We made a huge difference in keeping the Stratton Center
        - Something about Fairness?
        - Something about the upcoming election and mobilizing voters
        -
- Turnout plan
    - Email
    - Facebook
    - Texts
    - Post card mailing
    - Phone calls
    - Post it on Next Door - app.

Voter registration/ Voting Rights (Lynne+)

- Voter registration Table
    - Simpsonville Farmer's Market for the General Election
    - Shelbiville Farmer's Market too!
- With NAACP
    - They did something in Feb and had our Voting RIghts info
- Stickies

Other upcoming statewide events https://www.mobilize.us/kftc

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Patty Higgins <3
Excited about next meeting
Face to face will bring more people
Banner!

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General Assembly update

- What it is
- What are you seeing and hearing? What have you been able to participate in?
- Upcoming Opportunities
    - **Voting Rights Coalition Meeting -** 2/14/22 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/441280/
    - **Fairness Rally & Lobby Day** - 2/16/22 - https://www.fairness.org/rallyRegistration/
    - **In-person spokesperson training and recording for people with felonies in their past -** 2/24/22 - 1pm to 4pm in Lexington. https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/438335/
    - **KFTC's big in-person lobby day in Frankfort** - 3/1/22
    - **KFTC Economic Justice Day at the Capitol** 3/8/22 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/436752/

Our Local Voter Guide

- Candidate filings - It looks like the only primaries are Republican Judge Executive, Republican District 2 Magistrate, Republican District 3 Magistrate, and Republican District 5 Magistrate (with no Democrat in any primary)
- Questions/ Survey link - www.KFTC.org/ShelbyFiscalCourt
- Getting contact information
    - Who can call people?
        - Shauna - Dist 5 (4 people)
        - Martha - Judge Executive
        - Lynne - Dist 2, and 3
    - Who can mail them? - Shauna will send 12 https://docs.google.com/document/d/1AV8y-rNVUGBb4Qi6zraJnKxj9jAZaK6ln3EdyTYeCz4/edit
    - Who can email?- Dave
    - Who can FB message them? - Dave
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- Shauna registered her 17 year old grandson!!!!
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- Joint effort with NAACP

- Voter Registration Guide - https://docs.google.com/document/d/1XeZmj_VlKrxMwDaeOYlpAzvBYxrSgOss3P5kTlwBqIU/edit
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- Stickies
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Would it help to start at 7pm? Yes!

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- Review Ground Rules

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Stratton Center Update (Joy+)

- Fee for non-non-profits - $100 deposit + $50/hour for 2 hours min. Not finalized.
- Not sure where it stands now

Human Rights Commission update - Shauna

Voter registration/ Voting Rights (Lynne+)

- Map out a plan to register voters and help those with felonies in their past navigate the process.
- Could we do a joint effort with NAACP? Yes.
- Last night's NAACP slideshow - https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1BUljFURWXsBoGbt-sDFNwyr_h2-jZTXj1XmsCVM-Foo/edit#slide=id.p
- Voter Registration Guide - https://docs.google.com/document/d/1XeZmj_VlKrxMwDaeOYlpAzvBYxrSgOss3P5kTlwBqIU/edit
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    - ○
- Stickies
    - ○

Grassroots lobbying training (Dave, plus)

- Jennifer Decker sent out a survey in the mail - can respond online - https://apps.legislature.ky.gov/legislatorsurveys/district/58/B2DBB62B-7AA6-4B0E-82B6-4FFA5FE00E4D
- Legislative Message Line - 1-800-372-7181
- Letters to the Editor
    - Upbeat at the beginning and end
    - Something interesting someone will read - grab attention
    - Maybe humor
    - Brief.
    - Eye catching.
    - Make it personal - say why you care about it.
    - The best letter is one you actually write.
    - Ask a question
    - Include an action step
- What do we want out of a training/ conversation today?
    - Lobbying
- Training
- KFTC's Bill Tracker - https://archive.kftc.org/bill-tracker
- Redistricting
- Calendar
    - **Spokesperson Training Webinar for People with Felonies in their Past** - Jan 19 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/402900/
    - **Virtual Lobby Day for a Healthy Democracy** - Jan 25 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/420385/
    - **New Candidate Filing Deadline** - Jan 25
    - **Economic Justice Lobby Training** - Jan 31
    - **KFTC Day of Action in Frankfort -** Feb. 1 (Details TBA)
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- Local work on the General Assembly

Gut check on Voter Guides

- Are there local races we want to survey candidates in in Shelby County? What kind of questions?
- 3 questions to magistrates?
    - Stratton Center
    - Transparency - can we see what fiscal court has voted on/ what they have done? - seeing the vote.
    - Growth is expected - planning, preparing, vision for the future
    - Fairness Question
    - Race question. Power, diversity
- Newspaper might even publish… we should think about that. "Virtual town hall."?
- Filing Deadline Jan 25

- We've done candidate forums before. Most of the people who came were like family members of
- We'd need a good plan to distribute it.
- How would we distribute it?
- Team?
    - Email the 5 of us.

Racial Justice Training

- February Or we could host our own.
- CRT
    - Local school Board meetings - CRT, etc.

Upcoming statewide events https://www.mobilize.us/kftc

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Announcements

- Brady event on mobilize yesterday

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- Welcome/Introductions Looking forward to holidays?
    - Joy - Seeing people at Thanksgiving
    - Martha - Visiting sister in-law from England
    - Jane - Thanksgiving spread. Seeing daughter to help get the house ready.
    - Lynne - Husband's sister's in Cleveland. Haven't seen that part of the family in a few years. Looking forward to seeing grandkids and to the theater.
    - Dave - Seeing family and such.
- Review Ground Rules
- What is Kentuckians For The Commonwealth?

Agenda check and build

Stratton Center Update (Joy+)

- Rental fee issue needs to be addressed
- Joy - $100 for 3 hours is excessive
- Lynne - Danny Eaves - No fee for non-profits. Other folks would have the fee. They just haven't nailed anything down yet.
- NAACP is just disgusted by the fees.
- Jane - Committee members. Fiscal Court meeting is at 10am. Some Dems meetings will be there.
- Lynne - Seem to be arguing among themselves.
- Joy - it's important to keep utilization high.
- Martha - What are the deed restrictions?
- Let's keep after them
- Can everyone send a letter and email magistrates?
    - Contact info for magistrates - https://shelbycounty.ky.gov/fiscal-court/Pages/fiscal-court-members.aspx
    - Letters to the editor - tmartin@sentinelnews.com
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Local Newspaper is going to be sold? The printing company?

- **https://www.sentinelnews.com**

Voter registration/ Voting Rights (Lynne+)

- Map out a plan to register voters and help those with felonies in their past navigate the process.
- We have a bunch of stickies now
- When should we set up tables and register voters
- Mid-April is voter registration deadline
- Put something in the paper about folks with felonies in their past
- Could we do a joint effort with NAACP? Yes.
- Lynne - reach out to NAACP to see how they want
- Voter Registration Guide - https://docs.google.com/document/d/1XeZmj_VlKrxMwDaeOYlpAzvBYxrSgOss3P5kTlwBqIU/edit
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- Light up Shelbyville - We could set up a table about KFTC and voter registration? It's this weekend. We're past the deadline. What if we had clipboards instead? Nov 13 4-8
- Let's do January and February
    - Kroger - "said no"
    - Farm Supply place
- Stickies
    - Put up at Hardees, convenience store, speedway, etc. Community boards. Libraries, churches. - Jane
    - We've got 5 packs
    - Dave will send 10 more packs tomorrow
    - Lynne will write a news piece to go with this
    - Jane will get some from Lynne tomorrow afternoon. Will leave on porch.
    - 1pm meeting on Monday. 601 Oak Crest Drive.
    - Reach out to NAACP

Endorsing Charles Booker (but lets keep it to ourselves for now)

Fall fundraising - and other brainstorming

- KFTC Fall Fundraising Phonebanks - 11/22 and 11/29 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/426879/
- Lynne can come 11/22.
- Joy
- Martha

Racial Justice Training

- January? Or we could host our own.
- Looking forward to it
- CRT
    - Local school Board meetings - CRT, etc. We need to be informed and know the facts.
    - School board meetings are quiet so far.
    - Note our local legislator is involved in opposing CRT.

What do you want to do in December?

- Back into a hot zone.
- Lynne can't make it.
- **Skip!**

Update on Redistricting

- Update
- Take a moment to write your state legislators about this too - https://secure.everyaction.com/P3G0i2Bs4keRoqty4L8IUA2

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- Grassroots Lobbying for Voting Rights Webinar - 11/30/21, 7:00pm EST - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/402896/
- Candidate and Campaign Manager Training - 12/04/21, 12:00pm EST - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/418624/
- Voting Rights Issue Introduction Webinar - 12/07/21, 7:00pm EST - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/402891/

Dave will send membership list out again to leaders

- for racial justice training - pick out a few people to phone.

Announcements

- Shauna take to the hospital. Fractured vertebrae. Can we send a card or do anything?
- Wed SC Meeting. Next meeting Saturday. Who will be on labor management committee.

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Y'all are wonderful
Keep things moving
Field trip to Dave's house?

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Membership list.
Notice about membership being up?

Planning ahead
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Stratton Center Update (Everyone)

- Front page!
- Opening soon and we can meet there.
- There will be a deposit, but otherwise free
- When do you *want* to meet in person? Let's wait and see. Stay with Zoom. Reevaluate in January.
- Lynne will call and ask whether we can schedule monthly.
- Danny Eaves called Lynne and was chatty.
- As an aside - there's a new visitor's center. Are there meeting rooms there? We think, but expensive.

Special Elections elsewhere in the state and how to get involved (Dave)

- What's happening
    - Special election in 10 counties.
    - 3 days of early voting Thurs, Fri, Sat
    - 51st House Adair and Taylor
    - 89th House Jackson and parts of Laurel and Madison
    - 22nd Senate Garrard, Jessamine, Mercer and Washington, part of Fayette
    - www.KentuckyElection.org
    - KFTC's New Power PAC is endorsing Mae Suramek in the 89th District
- Upcoming phone banks
    - Link - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/419117/

Voter registration/ Voting Rights

- Voter registration tabling, etc. March and April
- NAACP folks might be willing to help
- Can we get information to write a letter to the editor? Or an article? Lynne will look that up.
- Dave will mail Lynne tomorrow - 200. Can send petitions
- People checking on tabling.
- Voter Registration Guide - https://docs.google.com/document/d/1XeZmj_VlKrxMwDaeOYlpAzvBYxrSgOss3P5kTlwBqIU/edit

- Flowchart - https://archive.kftc.org/sites/default/files/docs/resources/restoreyourvotefinal.pdf
- Reach out to local groups to work together on this - NAACP
- "We need to go all out for voting and getting people to vote"

Republicans going after Beshear for letting people out of prison during COVID. Not a strong support structure.
https://www.courier-journal.com/story/opinion/columnists/gerth/2021/10/13/stop-repeat-offenders-help-people-released-prison/6090891001/

Proposal for next time - focus on shared Racial Justice Training. 11/11/21 6:30
- Make is accessible
- Turnout?
    - Text, email, FB
    - Inviting a friend?
    - Phone? - Dave will make a PDF to share.
    - Postcards?

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- Fair Maps: Hands-on Tutorial Link https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/421241/

Announcement
- Festival of Faiths - Racial Justice - Louisville
- Keeping Emmet's Caset Open

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Glad to have some visitors :)
Glad Jane is here!

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Stratton Center (Everyone)

- Status/ Update - Quiet in the paper. Last Thursday NAACP meeting - Fielding Ballard was talking about it. There's an advisory committee. Danny Eaves is chair. There are a few groups having meetings there?
- Martha - I emailed 5 magistrates. No response. Eaves responded and said "you can call me." Nice long chat. He said it wasn't a feasible move (because sheriff's office would just outgrow it). Is against it being used for parties. All for non-profits. Open and for free to non-profits.
- There's a Facebook group - Save the Stratton Center
- Can everyone send a letter and email magistrates?
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    - Letters to the editor - tmartin@sentinelnews.com
- $100 depotite on the key. Return it after every meeting.
- In the future, you can hang onto the key?

When should our Chapter meet in the future?

- 2nd Thursday!

Group Picture

Balancing the Scales - 1 paragraph, short and sweet. Lynne 10/5

Deep Canvassing

- **A few words about what it is**
- **This Saturday from 10:30 to 2:30 pm ET (9:30 to 1:30 pm CT), join a training about Deep Canvassing and ways Kentuckians are using this approach to talk with people in our communities about Climate Change.** This is one of three identical trainings being offered. The first was last week. The next is this Saturday. And the last option is a 2-part training on Tuesday and Thursday nights of next week. All Just Transition Fellows are asked to participate in one of those options.
- Sign up for Saturday's Training
- Sign up for the training next Tuesday and Thursday nights

Pride event downtown sometime?

- Shelby County Pride - maybe more towards Spring
- 9/24/22 is our reservation at the park

Updates since last time

- Steering Committee - 3 chapters gave highlights
    - Rowan Freedom Fest, Voter registration, a book called Stamped on racism
    - Rolling Bluegrass Chapter - Democracy Team - Purpose of Power. Arty Pie Party
    - Southern KY - Deep Canvassing with COVID protocols
    - Financial reports
    - Program of Work
    - Issue breakouts
    - Big Hairy Audacious Goal - Push to be more racially diverse
    - 501 c3 financials in good shape
    - Executive director search
- ED Search - https://archive.kftc.org/sites/default/files/media/final_kftc_executive_leadership_job_announcement_8-20-21.pdf
- Unanimous vote to continue masking, testing, etc.

Can we do some work on voter participation? How? ()

- KFTC's Approach to Voter Engagement
- Voter registration tabling?
    - Save-a-lot - Joy
    - Tractor supply - Lynne
    - WalMart
    - Highschools
    - Kroger - Joy
- Special elections coming up in other areas.
- Post-its - not sure which neighborhoods. Shauna suggests her neighborhood. Martinsville - the area near the library. Near Brenda Jacson. Down on Kentucky Street, Henry Clar. And downtown Simpsonville.
    - How many and where am I sending them? Lynne - 100 voter reg card, 200 stickies

Banner ordered!

Boosting Facebook posts - Shauna's idea to look into

Evaluation

Plus

Made a lot of decisions and progress!
Excited Stratton Center
Nailed down new meeting date

Delta

More people
Alcohol

Next steps, wrap-up

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KENTUCKIANS FOR THE COMMONWEALTH

Shelby County KFTC Chapter Meeting
Thursday, August 19
6:30 to 8 p.m.ET
Online

Sign up here- https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/400575/

Direct Zoom link -
https://kftc-org.zoom.us/j/83796030218?pwd=VEE1cGs1VXFTU1NGRS9RWjltM0h2UT09

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- Statewide Annual Meeting - Lynne went, Martha tried.
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Stratton Center (Joyce)

- Status/ Update from July 31 meeting
    - Magistrates in favor of leaving the meeting space open - Eddie Kingsolver
    - Magistrates favor of closing it and using it as Sheriff's dept. - County Judge Executive
    - Contact the magistrates!
    - Check the fiscal court website for addresses.
- Fiscal Court is now on Zoom.
- Spoke to news reporter - things are not settled
- They're looking at old occupancy data
- Letters to the editor in supports of keeping it as a community center.
- Land was donated for that purpose
- $50/ $25 cost on the website. Not sure if that's a new rate or an old one.
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- Lynne will call contact and ask some clarifying questions

Do we want to stay virtual for now? Or switch to in-person?

- Virtual for now

Pride Festival Planning! - Saturday, Sept 25th 1pm to 5pm ()

- Happy Fall Y'all
- Facebook group
- shelbycountypride@gmail.com
- Planning Meeting Updates
- Everyone who comes in signs in and is asked to pay a little bit. Very small paper - name and email. Dollar? Bracelet under 10 free.
- Jessie's email - jecilynbrumfield@yahoo.com
- Next Steps
- Folks are still wanting to have it. It's outdoors.
- met up with police, security venue folks, etc.
- Blocking off property from road, all the way back to pavilions
- Offering a protester space out near the road. Reformation Christian Church..
- People will sign in - good faith pledge, pay a dollar
- Peacekeepers
- Eileen Ryan - GSA - Lynne reaching out
- Highschool group too - Lynne reaching out
- Voices of Kentuckiana
- NAACP and Youth will participate
- KFTC's Table
    - Register voters
    - Pamphlets
    - Banner
    - Let's get some stuff and give it to Shelby KFTC
    - Email signup/ petition
    - COVID PPE - Masks, hand sanitizer, Buttons "I've been vaccinated"
- Health dept - Terry will reach out about offering vaccinations
- PFlag in Louisville - Joyce will reach out

Note for the future - Pet therapy

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Voting Rights Texting Campaign Kickoff - August 24, 6:30pm ET Online - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/393991/

Voter Registration Training Webinar - August 25, 7pm-8:30 - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/402893/

Phonebank for Voting Rights (Online) - Sept 9, 6pm-8:30pm - https://www.mobilize.us/kftc/event/402897/

How do we want to build our chapter and invite more people in?

- Things we're trying recently - Texting

- Want membership envelopes
- We could call local members before a meeting
- Ways to promote?
- Ways to bring some people in through the Pride Festival?
- https://secure.everyaction.com/aU5J7B3OuEGr5gDU9BEPSg2
- Pick a theme per meeting? Maybe in the future.
    - Learn about phonebanks
    - Grassroots lobbying
    - Grassroots organizing
    - Pet Therapy

Evaluation

Plus
It's great to still be meeting!
Martha joins KFTC
Plugging along

Delta
We're still awful small
It's hard by zoom

Next steps, wrap-up
- Sept 16 is the next meeting
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