



Sanders County Democrats-

March 30, 2021

Join us in promoting Democratic Values

Save the date and join together with like-minded folks for our upcoming gathering **via Zoom**.

SCDem's Membership Meeting: April 18 starting at 2 p.m.

We'll start with our brief bi-annual **County Convention** to **elect the Sanders County Democratic Central Committee Board**. This will be followed by our Quarterly Membership Meeting to:

- Discuss recent projects and activities
- Share our spring and summer calendar of events
- Ask for your ideas and input to make SCDems **your** outreach organization.

Look for an email with the agenda and a Zoom link on Tuesday, April 13th.
Hope to "see" you there!

Legislative Update Week 13: Attached is the word doc with legislative updates for this week. Please use the hyperlinks given to contact your legislature today. **Stay engaged; stay involved; make your voice heard.**

Your stimulus check and The American Rescue Plan. Most of us have recently received our \$1400 stimulus checks. If you feel you may want to support others with your unexpected bonus, please consider giving as generously as you can to those folks in Sanders County in need. **Attached is a list of local organizations who could use a boost from you!** *Thank you to the Sanders County Ledger who creates this list every December.*

Do you know of folks who are pleased with their extra available cash? You might want to remind them that not one Republican voted the ARP. And, we should all thank Senator Jon Tester who funneled an estimated \$2.7 billion in relief money to Montana's state and local governments – more than the annual amount spent from the state's General Fund budget. Distribution of these funds is both a huge opportunity and a huge responsibility that is now placed on the shoulders of a Republican-led majority in both the Legislative and Executive Branch. Remember to write your Senator, Representative and Governor Gianforte and ask them to use that money to support: local businesses and jobs for all; health care costs for responding to COVID 19; public lands and public access; public education for *all* students; human and civil rights for *all*; Veterans services; broadband infrastructure; and, sustainable energy that will take Montana into the future.

And, last but not least, SCDems are continuing our **MEMBERSHIP DRIVE** to support our outreach and activities. Won't you please join us with your support? Fill out and mail in the membership form attached,
or

Send in your donation using [Act Blue Sanders County Democrats](#)

"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed, organized citizens can change the world; indeed, it's the only thing that ever has." Margaret Mead

Thank you

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