

LIVONIA DEMOCRATIC CLUB

Meeting Minutes
December 12, 2007

The meeting was very casual and not run in the usual format, but as a Holiday party. Many arrived early to set up the pot-luck dinner and the "call to eat" was issued at 7:30 pm by President, Pat O'Neil. Many delicious treats were enjoyed by all.

Guests/Speakers

Judge Deborah Thomas discussed constitutional issues within the court system. She encouraged citizens to attend court and be aware of how it is being conducted. She stressed the importance of the judicial branch of our government.

Candidates

Dave Stevens is running to fill the 16th district court judicial position being opened by the retirement of the Honorable Robert B. Brzezinski. He reviewed his many qualifications and work history with us.

Tom Spencer is running for Congress for the 11th district. He shared his beliefs with us and spoke of his dedication to public service. If he achieves the nomination he will oppose McCotter next year.

Wanda Evans - Candidate for Wayne County Circuit Court talked about her advocacy for children and families.

Petitions for all of the candidates were available for signature.

Review of Minutes of Last Meeting

Linda Lieder provided the minutes for the November meeting. In the interest of time, copies of the minutes were made available for review after the meeting.

Linda also read a very cordial letter from Maureen Brosnan thanking the club for our support in her race for Mayor of Livonia.

President

Pat thanked everyone for coming to our Holiday party and for all of the wonderful food. He then recognized the many birthdays taking place in the next couple of days and invited everyone to join in a round of the Happy Birthday song.