

**Subject:** This Week's Email & Reminder of Next Meeting - Saturday, 11/15

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Hi Everyone,

We hope everyone is well. Way to go Democrats – on all the wins across the country at many levels – last Tuesday!!! We have a lot of great candidates coming up – across the spectrum of ideas – which gives hope for the future!

Today, that win is tempered by the capitulation by 8 senators on the budget battle – but it appears that this might (?) be part of a long-term political strategy to win in the mid-terms – by keeping GOP looking terrible on healthcare. Bottom line is that these are desperate efforts of a party with very little power – and we have to gear up to win in the mid-terms in 2026!

**Next meeting:** Our next meeting is on **Saturday Nov. 15th from 10am to 12pm at the Stetson Library at 197 Dixwell in New Haven, 06511**. There is parking behind the building (other side than Dixwell) and we enter from the corner with Dixwell and Foote. We will be in the second floor "classroom" which you access through the elevator straight ahead from the main door and at the back - don't go up the stairs, it causes an alarm to go off. Here is a tentative Agenda, including:

- Katherine Hinds will speak; she is a Hamden resident, long-time activist, and a member of the CT Visibility Brigade – or “bridge brigade” - and she was arrested twice by a State Policeman, but the charges were recently dropped by a judge in a win for our First Amendment right to speak our minds – even on bridges! She will talk briefly about what the bridge brigade does as well as getting arrested and her court case. It is an inspirational story - about First Amendment rights and her bravery... Here is a Channel 3 report and a Yale Daily News article about it:

<https://www.wfsb.com/2025/10/27/judge-dismisses-charges-against-hamden-woman-arrested-highway-overpass-protests/>

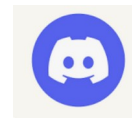
<https://yaledailynews.com/blog/2025/10/28/charges-dismissed-against-anti-trump-overpass-protester/>

- A presentation of how to get on our Discord account.
- Short reports by the moderators of some categories – of what the category is focused on and actions presently available.
- Break-out sessions to connect around areas of interest, and for hands on help getting on Discord.

We will strongly encourage folks to choose one or more areas of interest to them and meet up with like-minded people, start discussing well as planning where/how to meet, and get on Discord to follow the category/ies. We also need people who have the time, energy, and passion to take some initiative in some of the areas.

**Discord Account:** Our Discord account is where people can participate on-going. Below are the steps again to get going on our Discord account.

1) **Download the Discord App on phone or computer**, it looks like the symbol below.



2) Then, while on your phone or computer, **click on the invite link/invite below.**

<https://discord.gg/96bsXKaBu>

3) Once you are in the GNHI Discord account, start using it. There are multiple “categories” with postings in discussions, meetings, and actions. It’s a smorgasbord – read, post, do - as much or little as you want in areas that interest you.

Here are some present **general ACTIONS** to take:

1) Download the **5 Calls** App on your phone – this will make it very easy to call your state and federal representatives on a variety of issues.

2) Attend the national Indivisible meetings via Zoom every Thursday from 3-4pm (go to the national Indivisible website and just sign-up)

3) You can check the Take Action CT website for more actions to take in CT:

<https://www.ccag.net/take-action.html>

A few more actions to highlight in a few areas:

• Regarding Immigration:

o Cancel your Spotify subscription. Spotify is running ads recruiting for ICE. We want to send Spotify a message that we won’t support them while they continue to run these ads. If Spotify takes the ads down, people can rejoin.

§ Watch the step-by-step [video](#) on how to cancel.

§ Guides for moving playlists to [TIDAL](#) or [Apple Music](#) are available.

§ Indivisible also created this [FAQ](#).

o Participate in the Solidarity in Action training series with national Indivisible. The next one is Organizing with Care, this Saturday, 11/15/25 at 3:30pm.

[https://www.mobilize.us/indivisible/event/862255/?utm\\_source=email&utm\\_medium=\\_link1\\_20251109](https://www.mobilize.us/indivisible/event/862255/?utm_source=email&utm_medium=_link1_20251109)

o And, if you have the time, energy, passion, please step up to moderate and take initiative in leading this area for GNHI.

• Science/Academia/Education:

o The website Defend Public Health offers some actions people can take:

<https://www.defendpublichealth.org/get-involved>

• National initiatives: One Million Rising: If you haven’t already, watch the three One Million Rising trainings; they are on the NoKings website and YouTube:

<https://www.nokings.org/rise#library>

<https://www.youtube.com/@onemillionrising>

There is more discussion on the Discord account...

We hope to see you Saturday Nov. 15<sup>th</sup>!

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