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MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIR

So, it turns out voters in the 32nd Senate District had their fill of coffee on election day because they certainly weren't sleeping like Kapanke had hoped they would be!

Congratulations to Rep. Shilling for clearing the first hurdle of defeating her phony-Democrat opponent by a margin of roughly 70% to 30%!

The LCDP thanks Jennifer and her family for putting so much into this campaign and for standing up for Wisconsin's working families in a way Kapanke never has. In addition, we thank all of the volunteers who are in our office day in and day out—the folks who were there at the start of the process collecting Kapanke recall signatures to the GOTV volunteers who helped us achieve such a strong turn out on Tuesday.

We also appreciate everyone who was able to attend our "Election Night—Volunteer Appreciate Party with Special Guest: Rep. Jennifer Shilling." **We were happy to put on the event because YOU (the volunteers) deserve it.**

Personally, I want to especially thank Kris Troyanek and Vicki Burke for helping set up the event and for making sure it ran smoothly, Paul and Monica Kruse for getting the live band, Paula Stanek for helping with the half-and-half auction, and everyone else involved in set up.

In addition, I would like to once again thank our many generous event sponsors, who collectively offset the cost of the party by well over \$1,000:

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And finally, the incredible staff on Jennifer's campaign deserves recognition and thanks also.

However, it goes without saying... we're not done yet. **We must ensure Jennifer's victory on August 9th**, then fill her Assembly seat, recall Scott Walker, elect a new United States Senator, and then... It's 2012.

As always, we encourage you to help out however you can at our office located at 116 5th Avenue South, downtown La Crosse—open from 9AM to 9PM.

Thank you, thank you, thank you.

Andrew Londre
Chairman, La Crosse County Democratic Party

JULY 2011

UPCOMING PARTY EVENTS!

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Sat., July 17
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West Salem

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7:00PM
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Voters in 32nd Senate District Enthusiastically Support Shilling

Rebuke Republican's Dirty Tricks

LA CROSSE -- Representative Jennifer Shilling defeated the Republican Party's phoney candidate in the Democratic primary with ease today, displaying a broad base of strong support across the 32nd State Senate district.

After the La Crosse County Republican Party did everything they could to defeat her, and to save their GOP Senator, Jennifer Shilling emerged from the primary with a commanding

percentage of the vote. Now she will face recalled Republican Senator Dan Kapanke in a general election on August 9.

"I am thankful for the substantial support from the people of the 32nd district in this costly fake primary. It is clear we have strong momentum going into the general election," said Shilling. "The residents of the 32nd district are good,

hardworking people who want to ensure our children have the best opportunities available to excel, our seniors are given the chance to retire comfortably and our communities are kept safe by fully funded public safety. I look forward to continuing to spread that message this summer."

WisDems: PAY BACK WISCONSIN

Scott Walker and Republican Party of Wisconsin Must Reimburse Local Communities for Cost of Fake Dems

MADISON - The Democratic Party of Wisconsin on Wednesday called on Scott Walker's Republican Party to pay back Wisconsin taxpayers for the fraud of running fake Democrats in the historic recall elections.

All six actual Democrats cruised to victory over their sham opponents. Reports have put the cost of these sham primaries at more than \$400,000 (<http://www.jsonline.com/news/statepolitics/123791244.html>).

"The Republicans have brazenly lied to Wisconsin and they must repay the taxpayers for their fraud," said Democratic Party of Wisconsin Chair Mike Tate. "For a party that pretends to care about the tax burden of working families, they are sure willing to spend their money to finance pure political gain. Scott Walker's GOP is sitting on mountains of corporate cash - they should put their money where their mouth is and repay Wisconsin for their outrageous conspiracy."

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Jennifer Shilling
STATE SENATE

DEFEAT DAN KAPANKE
Volunteer for Jennifer at the LCDP HQ
116 5th Avenue South, La Crosse WI
Open 9:00AM to 9:00PM

MORE THANK YOU'S:

Thank you to all of those who helped make our June Picnic such a resounding success! More than 100 showed up—our largest turnout ever!

Also, thank you to everyone who signed up to help out at the county fair!

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