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NOV 8TH AND BEYOND

Dear Comrades,

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This brief issue of the Mobilizer is to help orient you to the work for the last few days of the elections and the schedule of post-election activities.

THE OCT. 29TH RALLIES

There will be extensive coverage of the two rallies in the PDW. There will also be opportunities to discuss the rallies in upcoming meetings. Just briefly, we want to say that they were tremendous successes. Over 500 people in Harlem and 225 people in Co-op City furnout is indicative of the response to the Independent-Progressive line, the content of the campaigns and to our candidates. Many people, Party and non-Party, worked very hard to make these rallies a success. Special appreciation of the role of Angela Davis and of our two candidates, Charlene Mitchell and Mike Zagarell, should be noted.

NOV. 8TH

November 9th is the time to start analyzing the elections. In these last few days it is the duty of all communists and all progressives to do everything possible to maximize the anti-Bush vote. Activity should be coordindated through the Independent Progressive office, 11 John St. (212-732-2025) and in the Bronx through the Zagarell office.

Just a few last minute, hopefully, helpful hints:

- * Saturday should be a mass mobilization day motorcades leafletting - door-to-door and on street corners.
- * Every vote counts working your phone book sending letters or postcards to your friends - talking to your neighbors family - co-workers - adds up.
- * last minute postering is extremely effective. Priorities should be busy subway stops - areas where we've done concentrated work - and by the polling places where people will be voting. (The law is that you can do electioneering within 100 feet of the booth. It is implemented as within 100 feet

- of the entrance to the building where the voting takes place.
- * Distributing palm cards for Mitchell-Zagarell and other progressive and anti-Reagan candidates at the polling places where we've done concentrated work is important to do.
- * Taking the vote in these concentration EDs is also important. You will need written authorization from the Mitchell & Zagarell campaigns to do this.
- * There will be campaign parties after the polls close Tuesday night. Call John Street for info on the city-wide party. The Zagarell party will be at the campaign office, 2918 Holland Ave.

BALLOT PROPOSITIONS

#1 - NO - Even though we need highway construction throughout the state, this is a giveaway of tax dollars to the banks at a \$2 or \$3 to \$1 ratio.

#2-6 - YES - These charter proposals (NYC only) are not the substantive reforms that are needed. But as far as they go they're worth supporting.

November 10th - Thursday - 6:30 PM - 2nd Floor - Winston Unity Auditorium

State Committee and Club Chairs meeting to analyze the elections. Other Party activists are welcome. Attendance should be coordinated through the club chair and checked with the District. Regardless of who else attends, club chairs and state committee members are expected.

November 13th - Dinner-Movie - (see leaflet)

First event of the Party Fund Drive. All welcome. Come see one movie or both - bring friends. Celebrate the Russian Revolution.

December 2nd & 3rd Friday and Saturday Evenings

A major aspect of the follow-up to the 1988 elections will be a discussion on how to continue the breadth achieved by the Independent Progressive line, including what organizational forms this could take. Another important aspect is Party Building. These recruiting meetings on the occasion of the National Committee/National Council Meeting are opportunities for the clubs to recruit and when organized properly have always been successful. All clubs should consider having these meetings. We believe that special steps should be taken for the following clubs to guarantee that meetings happen: Frederick Douglass, Co-Op City, Harlem, Jesus Colon, HTS Inwood, Lower East Side, Chelsea, Staten Island, Astoria, Hospital, Park Slope, Fort Green, Crown Heights, Patterson, Flatbush, Public Workers.

December 9th & 10th - Annual Holiday Bazaar -

This year's Bazaar can be one of the most successful ever. We plan to buy wholesale a wide range of new merchandise to sell as well as have a wide selection of used and new international goods.

You can help now by: Bringing in goods to Donate Volunteering on the Committee

ATTENTION CLUB EDUCATION DIRECTORS

Club Education Director's will meet on Monday, Nov 14th, 6:30-8:30 PM to discuss and evaluate the Presidential Elections. Please call Carol at 718-693-3144 if you cannot attend. Try to be sure your club is represented.

HELP WANTED -

Any comrade interested in working far or part-time, paid or as an unpaid volunteer for the Party, please call Jarvis or Larry to make an appointment to discuss the possibilities.

CALENDER

November 8 - Election Day -comrades should take day off to do vote pulling - poll watching, etc. November 10 - State Committee, Club Chairs meeting on election November 13 - Dinner/Movie in honor of October Revolution: Reds & Ten Days that Shook The World December 2nd & 3rd - Club Recruiting Events December 3rd, 4th & 5th - National Committee, National Council December 9th & 10th - Bazaar December 15th - Speech by Carl Bloice on Perestroika and Glaznost December 16th - Dinner/Movie December 17th - State Committee Meeting Late December - Annual Holiday Party - Date to be announced December 31st - New Year's Eve Dance January 6th - Dinner/Movie January 20th - Dinner/Movie February 11th - Valentines Day Dance to Start PDW Drive

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