* PROGRESSIVE CAUCUS

of the CALIFORNIA DEMOCRATIC PARTY

The Progressive Caucus Solidarity Summit! August 15th & 16th San Luis Obispo

Please RSVP on our Facebook page (See Progressive Caucus Website for info). Details on our website at www.ProgressiveCaucusCDP.org

We are inviting all Progressive Caucus members, as well as other progressive Democrats who are interested in joining the Caucus.

As you all know, it's difficult to organize a caucus as large as ours in the time allotted to us every 3-4 months at formal Party Conventions and E-Board meetings, so this will be the first of what we hope are occasional inbetween gatherings of the Caucus.

It is our hope that out of this gathering and others we will strengthen our solidarity and organizing capacity on the issues most important to us. There is much to discuss and work on together – from reviewing our Platform, setting Caucus priorities on policy issues, to nuts and bolts organizing – and that's just a start. We all need to be on the same page from here on out if we are going to be an effective mechanism for positive change within the Party.

We hope you join us as we dialogue and organize on the most compelling issues of the day. Your participation will help us become a better Caucus and we are certain that it will be an enjoyable experience. What more can you ask for: the Central Coast, fellow progressives, stimulating discussion and yes, putting plans in place? If you ask us, it's a great way to spend a weekend, knowing that you're a part of something bigger; that there are others who feel the way you do, and most of all, that they are eager to build on friendship, fellowship and work – that's solidarity. And while we're at it, we won't forget to have fun!

Note: Please don't forget to take care of your hotel accommodations – we've included some updated lodging information including a limited time offer on our website. We've heard that there's a baseball tournament in town that weekend, so rooms may fill up soon.

We have an exciting lineup of speakers including Norman Solomon, Rose Roach, Andrew McGuire, Hilary Crosby, Marcy Winograd. Willie Pelote and more.

* Tentative Agenda * (Check website for Possible Friday Night Kick Off Social Event)

Saturday, August 15th 10 am - 5:30 pm with 1 hr lunch break Sunday, Aug 16th, 10 am - 2:00 pm Cal Poly San Luis Obispo / Phillips Hall Grand Ave, San Luis Obispo

Saturday Evening Program, 7 - 9:30 pm with Norman Solomon, Marcy Winograd, Willie Pelote, and Rose Roach! Ludwick Community Center Santa Rosa St. San Luis Obispo

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Thanks! The Progressive Caucus Officers Latest information available at www.ProgressiveCaucusCDP.org