FairVote Waterloo Region Chapter

Meeting of 26 Feb. 2020

Agenda

* presentation by Jay Judkowitz, about how we might reframe our approach to educating the public about PR; based on the webinar:  'Moral Framing Approach to PR'. Jay, Corliss and Owen met in December to develop ideas we might use, based on this information.  Here is the link to the webinar:   <https://youtu.be/kQU2IOGNQNk>
* Owen and Cathy will talk briefly about their presentation to the Kitchener Centre Provincial Liberal Association, about FairVote and Citizens' Assemblies
* update on the Citizens' Assembly event we are planning for next fall,  likely during Democracy Week in September
* CrossCultures Antiracism Day on March 21 at Kitchener City Hall - volunteers needed to man the FVWR info table
* Festival Season - plans our  chapter's  attendance at this summer's festivals for public education about FairVote and PR
* Ontario Liberal Party  leadership campaign update.

Additons to the agenda:

* Webinar on Citizens’ Assemblies; discuss when to view this as a group
* MASS guy’s talk on C.A.s in Toronto on March 4

Here is the link to the event.

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/the-deliberative-wave-securing-a-future-for-democratic-politics-tickets-90017162757?aff=eemailordconf&utm_campaign=order_confirm&ref=eemailordconf&utm_medium=email&utm_source=eventbrite&utm_term=viewevent>

* David Merner, former FVC national committee member, is running for the Green Party leadership, and will be in Ontario on a leadership tour on these dates:
  + Thunder Bay, March 3 & 4
  + Ottawa, March 4 to 8

Discuss whether we should offer to host him in K-W during his tour.