Organizing Updates and Plans for Friday Bush Protest and Monday’s Kerry Protest in GR
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As previously announced, a meeting took place on Tuesday to make plans for the upcoming visits by the two major political candidates for President.

BUSH PROTEST - JULY 30

DEMONSTRATE AGAINST KERRY - AUGUST 2

Meeting Point:
Meet at the corner of Lyon and Division in downtown Grand Rapids at 2:00 pm. The location was chosen for its proximity to the Ford Field House where Bush is speaking and visibility to traffic.

We are encouraging people and groups to come prepared with plans for their own creative autonomous actions. In addition, signs, noisemakers, and the usual protests accessories be brought. We will have some on hand, but the more the better. Current plans call for Billionaires for Bush (or Kerry) contingent and other theatrics.

In addition to the protesting at the site of the Bush speech, there are the possibilities of decentralized actions throughout the downtown area as such actions would likely reach people and be more visible. Some possibilities are the Grand Rapids offices of Bush’s backers:

- PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP
- 458-7700
- 333 Bridge Street NW
- Suite 505
- Grand Rapids, MI 49504-5356

- Merrill Lynch
- 171 Monroe Ave NW
- Suite 600
- Grand Rapids, MI 49503-2283

- UBS AG Inc.
- 333 Bridge Street NorthWest
- Suite 1100
- Grand Rapids MI 49504

- Ernst & Young LLP
- 171 Monroe Ave NW Ste 1000
- Grand Rapids, MI 49503-2694

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