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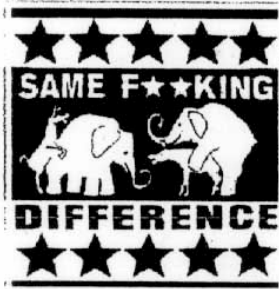
Announcement: Elections & Legislation / Protest Activity

Organizing Updates and Plans for Friday Bush Protest and Monday's Kerry Protest in GR

Current

by Grand Rapids Republican (un)Welcoming Committee
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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

BUSH PROTEST - JULY 30

Meeting Point:

Meet at the corner of Lyon and Division in downtown Grand Rapids at 2:00pm (map). This 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 protest accessories will 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 more people and be more visible. Some possibilities are the Grand Rapids offices of Bush's backers:

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