

## **Bonneville UniServ Political Action Goals 2005-2006**

1. Increase PAC donations and member involvement
  - a. Each school will have a PAC representative
    - i. PAC Rep will educate members on PAC
    - ii. PAC Representative will conduct an EZ Pay campaign at their school site
    - iii. Register employees to vote
    - iv. Encourage staff to attend party caucuses in March, and be elected as State and County delegates
    - v. Communicate with members on the legislative issues
    - vi. Engage faculties and staff to contact legislators
2. Organize a local PAC committee
  - a. Building PAC Reps will act as members of the local PAC committee
  - b. The committee will:
    - i. Target races in key legislative seats. Recruit and support education friendly candidates in the targeted races. (Possible targeted seats: Ferrin, Stephenson, Alexander, Lockhart, Morley)
    - ii. Encourage PAC expenditures
    - iii. Encourage member involvement in endorsed campaigns
    - iv. Lobby policymakers
    - v. Encourage and organize PAC donations
    - vi. Encourage support for UEA recommended candidates
3. Organize Utah County voting districts
  - a. Select volunteer educator chairs to organize educators in each voting district
  - b. Educator Coordinators will organize educators to elect education friendly candidates in the November general election
  - c. Educator Coordinators will organize educator delegates to continue to be active in their party committees
4. Educators will increase educator involvement in Utah County party politics
  - a. Increase educator involvement in activities sponsored by County Republicans/Democrats
  - b. Elect educators to County party committees
  - c. Work with other moderates to form a Utah County moderate caucus
5. Increase educator coalition dialogue with elected legislators
  - a. Organize legislative contact teams using association leaders, school board, PTA, students and other community policy makers
  - b. Locals will host events with local legislators before the January session (invite UEA)
  - c. Work with legislators to write and sponsor education legislation

- d. Assign several local PAC contact people to each legislator
6. Elect strong local school board members who support educators and public education
- a. Local presidents will attend each local School Board Meeting
  - b. Yearly evaluations will be made of School Board Members
  - c. Strong Board candidates will be recruited and supported in local elections
  - d. Ongoing dialogue with each School Board Member will occur
  - e. One local association board member will be assigned to each district board person
    - i. Reports will be given at local association board meetings each month on these visits and Board meetings
    - ii. The local associations will do one association PowerPoint presentation on goals and activities of the association each year to School Board Members.
    - iii. UEA's "No Excuses" Campaign.
7. Collaborate with UEA on a state-wide strategy for dealing with retirement benefits audit, and possible future post retirement legislation.