



The Grassroots Gazette fosters community dialogue and participation throughout Southwest Wisconsin.

## MARKLEIN AND NOVAK LISTENING SESSION IN DODGEVILLE

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Join the local Climate Change action group.

Friday, Oct. 9, 9 to 10 a.m. (Dodgeville) LET YOUR STATE REPRESENTATIVES HEAR YOUR VIEWS State Senator Howard Marklein and 51<sup>st</sup> District State Representative Todd Novak will be at the Dodgeville City Hall, 100 E. Fountain Street on Friday, Oct. 9 for a Listening Session. Come share your ideas and concerns about what is going on at the State Capitol.



Tues., Sept.29, 7 p.m. (Dodgeville) SUSTAIN IOWA COUNTY

BRAINSTORMING SESSION On the heels of Pope Francis's visit to the US, with his deep concern for the health of our planet and climate change, you are encouraged to become part of the local solutions by joining the Sustain

Iowa County group at the home of Chuck and Karen Tennesen, 3893 Mill Creek Road, rural Dodgeville. The members will be collecting ideas for what the Sustain Iowa County group can do to help build a healthy, resilient community and world. Everyone is welcome. For further information, contact Chuck Tennesen at [twotens@yousq.net](mailto:twotens@yousq.net) or 987-3835. Bring your energy - and a snack to share (optional).

Sat., Oct. 3, 11 a.m. (Dodgeville) MONTHLY SUSTAIN IOWA COUNTY -

CITIZENS' CLIMATE LOBBY MEETING Join the same group of friends the next weekend for their monthly meeting at Dodgeville's Country Kitchen, 1202 North Johns Street. Now is the perfect time to learn more about the critical climate change issue. Learn more about the group by checking out the [Grassroots Sustain website](#)

Fri., Oct. 2, 4 to 5 p.m. (Dodgeville) IOWA COUNTY CITIZENS FOR PEACE AND

JUSTICE TO MEET. You are invited to join the group as they plan for the Great Decisions series coming up in November at the Dodgeville Public Library. Please join them at the home of Judy James, 3455 Rowe Road, Dodgeville. For further information, contact Jane Kavaloski at [jhkavaloski@gmail.com](mailto:jhkavaloski@gmail.com)



Sun., Oct. 18, 11:45 to 2:45 p.m. (Madison) CELEBRATE THE 70<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY of the UNITED NATIONS Join members of the Iowa County Citizens for Peace and Justice who are planning to attend this important anniversary event at Monona Terrace in Madison. Former U.S. Ambassador to Botswana John E. Lange, a long-time expert on global health and sustainability, will be the speaker. To register on line by Oct. 9 click

here: <http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07ebgpovj5224c95b7&llr=wbwgbvcab>. To join a carpool to Madison for the event, contact Jane Kavaloski at [jhkavaloski@gmail.com](mailto:jhkavaloski@gmail.com)

### VOLUNTEER ESL TUTORS ARE BEING SOUGHT FOR LAFAYETTE

COUNTY Teaching English to our new immigrant neighbors is a richly rewarding multicultural experience. Our next English as a Second Language (ESL) tutor training session will be coming up in Darlington in October. For more information or to register for the training contact [grassroots@merr.com](mailto:grassroots@merr.com) or call Shirley Barnes at 608-623-2109.

GRASSROOTS CITIZENS OF WISCONSIN, an energetic group of over 1000 people in Iowa, Sauk, Crawford, Richland, Lafayette and Grant Counties who are interested in taking an active role in improving government and promoting rational discussions of local, state and national issues. For further information, or to add a friend to our mailing list, please contact: Shirley Barnes, Grassroots Citizens of Wisconsin, 2473 Mt. Hope Road, Dodgeville, WI. 53533, 608-623-2109, e-mail: [grassroots@merr.com](mailto:grassroots@merr.com).

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