

MEMO

To: All Staff, Second Congressional District  
From Stokley Carmichael  
Re: Freedom Democratic Party

1. As agreed upon, simultaneous Freedom Days throughout the Second Congressional District will be held on July 16. It is suggested that the Freedom Days be coordinated with the plans for the Freedom Democratic Party

2. Dates and places for the Freedom Democratic Party's district and state convention will soon be decided upon. They will probably ~~both~~ both be within the First 10 days of August. All precincts and county meetings must be completed before the end of July. Greenwood has planned to hold its precinct meetings on July 21, and county meeting on July 23. Precinct and county meetings can be simultaneous throughout the district, but not necessarily.

3. The urgency of the Freedom Registration must be stressed. We are far, far behind schedule.

4. All projects have received a memo on the Mississippi young Democrats work should begin immediately and a first nucleus meeting should be held by July 10. One worker must be put in charge of the Young Democrat's Project for the summer. Wherever possible white Mississippians should be encouraged to join. The necessary letters mentioned in the memo should be written immediately upon having the meeting in the carbon copies carefully saved.

5. Freedom Democratic Party activities for the Second Congressional District are being coordinated in Greenwood. Please send the following information to Eli Zaretsky, Greenwood SNCC as soon as possible.

- a) the name and addresses and of each Freedom Registrar of each county in the Second District. As many precincts and counties as possible should be represented.
- b) The dates and locations of the precinct and county meeting as well as full reports of these meetings once they are held.
- c) The number of people registered by precinct and county in the Freedom Registration books throughout the Second
- d) the name of the worker in charge of the Young Democratic Club. Carbons of all letters sent concerning the Democrats and them a report concerning membership and elected officials of these clubs.

PS: To project directors if you cannot get this stuff out yourself, have someone to do it, but have it done quickly...  
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