



SANTA CLARA COUNTY DEMOCRATIC PARTY

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ART TORRES TO SPEAK AT SCCDP DEMOCRATIC DINNER, SAN JOSE FAIRMONT, APR. 7

Local and Statewide Democratic Candidates to be in Attendance;
Event Sold Out Last Year

San Jose, CA (March 14, 2006) – Art Torres, chairman of the California Democratic Party, will speak at the annual Santa Clara County Democratic Party Democratic Dinner on April 7 at the San Jose Fairmont Hotel's Imperial Ballroom.

Many local Democratic candidates will be in attendance, as well as many key statewide candidates.

Senator Torres has served as chairman of the state Democratic Party since 1996 after having served as a state senator and assemblyperson. He has also been a John F. Kennedy teaching fellow at the Harvard University Institute of Politics and national legislative director for the United Farm Workers Union, AFL-CIO.

Last year's Democratic Dinner sold out, so attendees are encouraged to register early at <http://sccdp.org>. Individual tickets are available for \$100 and tables for \$1,000. A VIP reception will precede the dinner and program.

The Santa Clara County Democratic Party strives to build, sustain, and use our collective power to enable good Democratic candidates to win elections at all levels and to fight for important Democratic values such as first class schools, affordable healthcare, quality jobs, safe communities, innovative energy policies, reliable Social Security, a clean environment, and honest and open government.