SANTA CLARA COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CENTRAL COMMITTEE
6:45 PM, County Building Cafeteria, 70 W. Hedding St., San Jose
Meeting will start at 7 pm sharp and MUST end by 8:45 so that we are out of the building before 9 PM

MINUTES FOR Thursday, January 5th, 2012

1. CALL TO ORDER
7:05

2. ROLL CALL
Absent: Jey Surier, Megan Young, Alex Kennet, Jeremy Barousse, Melinda Chacon, Elaine Alquist, Herlinda Aguirre, Martin Monica.
Alternates for: Ken Yeager, Bill Monning, Ellen Corbett, John Laird, Joe Simitian, Jerry McNerney, Anna Eshoo, Mike Honda, Zoe Lofgren,

3. IDENTIFICATION OF VISITORS

4. ADOPTION OF AGENDA
Clark: Add parents to talk about Wisconsin motion to adopt; seconded; motion carries

Steve: Motion to Add Assemblymembers presentation motion to adopt; seconded; motion carries

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES (Minutes are/will be posted at sccdp.org)
   a. December 1, 2011 Minutes
      Motion moved; seconded; passes

6. NEW BUSINESS
   a. Remarks from Assemblymember Luis Alejo
      1. Thank you.
      2. Support sales tax to fund services cut.
      3. Minimum Wage
   b. Remarks from Assemblymember Jerry Hill
      1. Running for state Senate
         -List of accomplishments
   c. Remarks from Assemblymember Bob Wieckowski
   d. Remarks by Assemblymember Nora Campos
   e. Remarks by Assemblymember Jim Beall
      1. Jim Beall events
   d. Presentation from Peggy Moore, California Political Director, Obama for America
      1. Goal is getting 270 electoral votes.
      2. 25,000 Oba supporters showed up at Iowa Caucus.
3. CA focused on winning Nevada

f. Jim and Audrey Williams
1) Worked to recall Republican Senators in Wisconsin.
5. Audrey: Alarm went off when Walker went after Unions.
6. We ARE going to have a recall on Governor Walker.
7. Undermines Wisconsin Values; ALEC think tank behind a lo
8. ID Law making it harder for young and elderly to vote.
9. Walker cut more than a billion dollars from k-12.
10. Women in Wisconsin have no state funded preventative care.
11. Hard to organize with people in the forest; but ANYONE who wanted to sign had an opportunity to.
12. Intimidation on a daily basis

e. County Central Committee elections, 2012 and beyond. Update
   Proportional based on Dems who voted in previous election
f. DSCC filling of possible vacancies prior to February, 2012 State Convention
   ie, Elzbeth Farmer lost status as state delegate
   Issue of attendance of 3 Central Committee Members
   Motion to vacate 3 DSCC positions; seconded; passes
   Allow Elsbeth to be on DSCC.

7. OLD BUSINESS

8. REPORTS FROM OFFICERS AND OTHERS
   a. Executive Board: Andrae Macapinlac
   b. Chair: Steve Preminger
   Chairs Council
   Thanks for labor holiday party and toy drive
   c. Vice Chair: Clark Williams
   d. Treasurer: Drina Collins
   $46.30
   e. Secretary: Andrae Macapinlac
   f. Issues: Jon Kessler
   Recognizes VTA chair of MAK
   g. Community Services and Voter Registration: Judy Pipkin.
   Voter reg event during holidays
   volunteers calling in for 2012.
   25 san joseans volunteering at convention.
   h. Finance: Hope Cahan
   FPPC: $3,797
FEC: $10,264
Bills in Federal acct.
May 11 Dem dinner

i. **Candidate Recruitment and Endorsement:** Darcie Green
Endo cmte meeting and club reps; calendar put together; candidate questionnaire.

j. **Communications:** David Cohen

k. **Campaign Services:** Tom Cochran

l. **Political Outreach (Clubs):** Diane Rolfe
   1. Disclose Act kick-off

   Century Club: Peter Allen

   SCCDC: John Graff Jan 16th- Setting Club goals

   Latino Dem: Bea Mendez gave announcement


   Sunnyvale: Clude Nahum-Disclose Act Kick-off on Saturday.

   PDC: Marc Berman- Sen Russ Feingold Event.

   DAWN: Carol Garvey

   Dean Dem: Gerry Hunt-Letters to Asm re Disclose Act

   l. **Pro-Choice Coalition:** Claudia Shope

   -Update on what's happening with Planned Parenthood.

   m. **Regional Director:** Emy Thurber

   Sat July 25th Regional Meeting in Los Altos; discussing redistricting. Special guest Anna Eshoo.

   o. **Regional Director:** Shawn Bagley

   p. **Democratic National Committee:** Chris Stampolis

   -Need to bring out people under 40 years old. Outreach

   **DTV Report: Steve Chessin**

   Democratic Television Producer Emeritus Steve Chessin reported that, due to the holidays, there was no taping in December.

   Our guest in January is TBD.

   q. **CDC Report:** Emily Gatfield

   Regional Vice-President Emily Gatfield

   Trainings

11. **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

   **Elaine Coombs- Flagship Democratic Headquarters.**

   This would be in San Jose

   **Steve Chessin- Vacancies on citizens committee on elections.**

   Alyson gave announcement Jan 22nd, meet and greet with Jim Beall.

Dan Hoffman- 16th Freedom Train commemoration.
Shaian gave announcement for Occupy SJ
Jay Jackman- Death Penalty proposition petition
Herb Engstrom- Herb will drive down carpool.

12. EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

13. ADJOURNMENT
Adjourned in Memory of Fremont Mayor Bob Wasserman at 8:45pm.