

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 8:40pm so that we are out of the building before 9 pm
MINUTES FOR Thursday, August 2, 2012

1. CALL TO ORDER

7:05pm

2. ROLL CALL

Absent: Bill Ferguson, Marsha Grilli, Rosemary Kamei, Dan Kenney (exc), Alex Kennett, Jeremy Barousse, Denise Alejandro, Melinda Chacon, Rich Gordon, Elaine Alquist, John Laird, Mertyl Ferrande, Herlinda Aguirre, Sally Almandariz, Martin Monica, Bea Mendez.

Alternates for: Bob Wieckowski, Nora Campos, Jim Beall, Bill Monning, Luis Alejo, Joe Simitian, Ellen Corbett, Jerry McNeerney, Anna Eshoo, Mike Honda, Zoe Lofgren, Rena Modell.

3. IDENTIFICATION OF VISITORS**4. ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

Motion; seconded; approved

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES (Minutes are/will be posted at sccdp.org)

a. July 12, 2012 Minutes

6. NEW BUSINESS

1. Update:

- Assemblymember Jerry Hill gave update
- Assemblymember Paul Fong update
- Paul Colin thanks Democrats for helping get him elected.
- Robert Braunstein; candidate for SJ 10th District Council.
- Bill James and Dennis Chu are running for El Camino Hospital Board.

2. Next Meeting: August 30th at 5:30pm

3. Report from Executive Board Meeting

4. UDC Update: Offices, campaigns, volunteers

San Jose Democratic Headquarters are on 14th and Santa Clara Streets.**7. OLD BUSINESS****9. REPORTS FROM OFFICERS AND OTHERS****a. Executive Board: Andrae Macapinlac****b. Chair: Steve Preminger****1) Evan Low will have a contest for a free floor pass to the national convention****c. Vice Chair: Clark Williams****d. Treasurer: Drina Collins****a) \$302.37 in the bank****e. Secretary: Andrae Macapinlac****f. Issues: Jon Kessler****g. Community Services and Voter Registration: Judy Pipkin.****Voter registration at the Santa Clara County Fair.****h. Finance: Hope Cahan**

FPPC: \$25, 400**FEC: \$3200**

- i. Candidate Recruitment and Endorsement: Darcie Green**
- j. Communications: David Cohen**
- k. Campaign Services: Tom Cochran**
- l. Political Outreach (Clubs): Diane Rolfe**
- 1. Thanks to the South County Dem Club for the Dinner.**

SCCDC: August 18th John Vasoncelos Day at History Park.**SVDC: Thanks to all that sponsored the All-Clubs Picnic****DAWN: August 8 early endorsements mtg.****SVYD: First Annual Summer Fundraiser on the 18th of August****PDC: Announced Summer Picnic****South County: August 19 Summer BBQ announcement****WV4C: August 19 club picnic****Century Club: No Luncheon this month**

- m. Regional Director: Emy Thurber**

Statewide Ballot Propositions

[Yes on Proposition 30](#)

Protects funding for schools and local public safety

No on Proposition 31

Locks California into permanent underfunding of education, health, and other vital services

[No on Proposition 32](#)

Creates special exemptions for billionaires and Super PACs allowing them to buy elections

[No on Proposition 33](#)

Auto insurance rate hike

[Yes on Proposition 34](#)

Repeals death penalty and replaces with life without parole

[Yes on Proposition 35](#)

Increases penalties for human trafficking

[Yes on Proposition 36](#)

Reforms "Three Strikes" law

[Yes on Proposition 37](#)

Labeling of genetically engineered foods

No on Proposition 38

Munger initiative

Neutral on Proposition 39

Adjusts taxes for multi-state corporations to fund clean energy programs

[Yes on Proposition 40](#)

Referendum on State Senate district boundaries

n. Regional Director: Shawn Bagley

Introduce Jimmy Panetta

o. Democratic National Committee: Chris Stampolis

p. DTV Report: Steve Chessin

1. Guest in June was Christine Pelosi.

Guest in July was Ann Grabowski, aide of SJ Councilmember Don Rocha. Discussed Prop 32.

August guest TBD.

See the sccdp web site for schedule, and to view videos.

q. Pro-Choice Coalition: Claudia Shope

August 21st Planned Parenthood event with Senator Barbara Boxer

r. CDC Report: Emilie Gatfield

11. ANNOUNCEMENTS

12. EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

13. ADJOURNMENT

7:45pm