

**SANTA CLARA COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CENTRAL COMMITTEE**

6:45 PM, County Building Cafeteria, 70 W. Hedding St., San Jose

**Meeting will start at 7:00 pm sharp.****MINUTES FOR Thursday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2014****1. CALL TO ORDER**

Meeting called at 7:15pm

**2. ROLL CALL**

Absent: Chris Stampolis, Shaian Mohammadi, James Brady, Jerry Hill, Ellen Corbett, Jim Beall, Rishi Kumar, Elizabeth Birk, Nazreen Rahim, Robert Braunstein, Karina Dominguez, Raul Colunga, Chris Koltermann, Augustina Armendariz, Buu Thai, Thomas Wang.

Alternates for: Jim Thurber, Anna Song, Ken Yeager, Rich Gordon, Bob Wiecekowski, Nora Campos, Mark Stone, Luis Alejo, Anna Eshoo, Zoe Lofgren, Sam Farr, David Wessel.

**3. IDENTIFICATION OF VISITORS****4. ADOPTION OF AGENDA****5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES** (Minutes are/will be posted at [sccdp.org](http://sccdp.org))a. Thursday, September 4<sup>th</sup>, 2014**6. NEW BUSINESS**

a. Consideration of endorsement recommendations

Anjali Kausar- Cupertino USD

Sam Ho-SJUSD

Vladimir Ivonovic- Los Altos USD

Jaime Russo- Gilroy USD

Move to endorse; seconded; Approved

b. Milpitas Measure E discussion and possible action

- Bob Livengood presented PRO side; Bill Ferguson represented CON side

- Pro: \$8 million in revenue for city services, will not increase crime, alternative to tax increase.

- Con: Not as much revenue for Milpitas than San Jose, increase in crime, will have Milpitas decline as "family friendly city".

Motion to endorse made; seconded; motion fails 12-15.

c. Dan Hoffman gave update on fundraising, issues matching challenge.

- Members pooled \$960 in matching challenge.

**7. OLD BUSINESS****8. REPORTS FROM OFFICERS AND OTHERS****a. Executive Board: Andrae Macapinlac****b. Chair: Steve Preminger****c. Vice Chair: Bill James****d. Treasurer: Forrest Williams****e. Secretary: Andrae Macapinlac****f. Issues: Andres Quintero****g. Community Services and Voter Registration: Judy Pipkin****h. Finance: Emy Thurber****i. Candidate Recruitment and Endorsement: Darcie Green****j. Communications: David Cohen****k. Campaign Services: Ann Grabowski****l. Political Outreach (Clubs): Diane Rolfe****PDC: Alex Padilla meet & greet****D-10 Democratic Club: Endorsed Dave Cortese for San Jose Mayor****Dean Dems: Organizing carpools for Ami Bera & Michael Eggman.****SCCDC: Endorsed Jamie Matthews and Mohammed Nadeem for Santa Clara City Council.****SVAPADC: Thanks everyone for a terrific Annual Dinner.**

**Century Club gave update****m. Regional Director:**

- 1) Royce Kelley, Region 5
- 2) Hene Kelley, Region 6
- 3) Kelly Martinez, Region 7

**o. Democratic National Committee: Chris Stampolis****p. DTV Report: Steve Chessin**

Democratic Television Producer Emeritus Steve Chessin reported that our guest in August was Assemblymember Paul Fong, endorsed candidate for San Jose City Council District 1.

Our guest in September was San Jose Police Officer Raul Peralez, endorsed candidate for San Jose City Council District 3.

Our guest in October is TBD.

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

We could still use more good Democrats on the crew. No prior video experience is necessary.

**q. Pro-Choice Coalition: Claudia Shope****r. CDC Report: Emilie Gatfield****Going through reorganizational phase.****9. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Dunkerley gave report on People's Climate March.
- Engstrom gave reminder on filing deadlines for campaigns, urged folks to support local business.
- Art gave announcement of OFA Newton Memorial. Candle light vigil on University Ave in Palo Alto on December 14<sup>th</sup>.

**10. EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING****11. ADJOURNMENT**