

SANTA CLARA COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CENTRAL COMMITTEE
7:00 PM – 9:00 PM, Regular Meeting, County Building, 70 W Hedding St, San Jose
MINUTES for Thursday, June 6, 2024

1. CALL TO ORDER 7:04 PM

2. ROLL CALL

Absent: Mariam Ghazvini, Anthony Phan, Karina Dominguez, Lucy Khuu, Michelle Hua, Tony Alexander
Andres Quintero, Diego Martinez, Brenda Zendejas, Beija Gonzalez, Roxanne, Maya Esparza, Patrick Aherns,
Margaret Okuzumi, Carla Hernandez, Olivia Navarro, Jason Spitzer, Ruben Navarro, Yvonne Martinez Beltran, Rebeca Armendariz

Alternates for: Marc Berman, Ash Kalra, Evan Low, Robert Rivas, Aisha Wahab, Dave Cortese, John Laird

3. IDENTIFICATION OF VISITORS

Diane Lamkin, Candidate for West Valley Community College Board of Trustees
Natalie Neufeld, Ph.D. candidate
Terry Godfrey, Candidate for Foothill DeAnza Community College Board of Trustees
Nisar Ali
Betty Duong, Candidate for County Supervisor
Sam Saiu
Pamela Campos, Candidate for San Jose City Council, D2

4. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Approved unanimously.

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a. Thursday, May 2, 2024 - approved

6. OLD BUSINESS

7. NEW BUSINESS

a. Introducing our second Youth Representative: Anushka Tadikonda

Bill introduced our 2nd Youth Representative Anuska Tadikonda who introduced herself and shared some of her background and excitement about working on the Youth Takeover.

b. Youth Takeover: July 11, 2024 bit.ly/youthtakeover2024 - Bill James

Bill shared information on the upcoming Youth Takeover and asked members to share information about the event.

c. Endorsement Process and Timeline - Angelica Ramos-Allen

Angelica shared an update on the November General Election endorsement process. Filing opens July 15th, she will be reaching out to the Endorsement Committee and has developed a web page for clarity on the process. All races will be interviewed in August and approved by members at the September meeting.

d. Campaign/HQ Plans and Timeline - James Kim

James Kim shared an update on the campaign and Headquarter plans. He also reminded members to come out and walk with their fellow Democrats at the Rose, White and Blue Parade on July 4th. They are looking for volunteers who will help with re-electing Biden for President as well or helping with Central Valley canvassing.

e. DEI Training: Discussion and Follow-Up - Bill James

Bill asked for members to share their thoughts and feedback on the last DEI Training. He shared for members to get involved if there is an action or issue they would like to be involved with.

8. REPORTS

a. Executive Board/Chair: Bill James
Bill shared the Financial Report.

Friday, September 13th is the tentative date for the Annual Democratic Party Dinner at the Signia Hotel. He shared that they are looking for contributions for the SCCDCC newsletter as well as social media content. Reach out to him or John Comiskey if interested.

Bill also shared the statement on campus and thanked the team

for their help with managing the Zoom.

b. Vice Chair: Jean Cohen - no report

c. Treasurer: Angelica Ramos - dues are due now. If you are not current You will not be allowed to vote on the endorsements in September.

d. Secretary: Helen Chapman - no report

e. Executive Director: James Kim (see above)

f. Issues: Huy Tran - no report

g. Community Outreach: Clarence Madrilejos - no report

h. Finance: James Kim - no report

i. Communications: John Comiskey

Needs content for the calendar, landscape artwork please! To add an event to the sccdp.org calendar: <https://sccdp.org/index.php/calendar/add-event/>

j. Gender Equity and the Status of Women: Buu Thai

k. Diversity & Inclusion: Rebeca Armendariz

l. Youth Representative: Adam Sayed/Anushka Tadikonda

m. Clubs: Tomara Hall

Thanked the PDC for bringing food this evening. The Silicon Valley Democratic Club will provide food for July.

AFRO-UPRIS

Looking forward to celebrating Juneteenth

Democratic Club of Sunnyvale

Annual Picnic is at Ponderosa Park on July 27th, all invited.

Dean Democratic Club of Silicon Valley

Annual Picnic is June 22nd 11:00 to 3:00 pm at Ponderosa Park

Democratic 21st Century Club

The D21stCC is hosting a candidate forum for SCC District 5 on Fri, Oct. 11. Save the date!

Jewish Democratic Coalition of the Bay Area

Holding a fundraiser for Evan Low for Congress their sole endorsed candidate

Silicon Valley Working Blue Club

SV Working Blue All Dem Picnic, sign up online -- overlap event with Union COPE/PAC leadership <https://svworkingblue.org/>

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n. Regional Director Report(s)

o. DNC: Otto Lee

Otto provided an update, thanked everyone for their support on his reelection. Jason Park was also successful and both are looking forward to attending the DNC Convention in Chicago on August 19th.

p. Pro-Choice Coalition: No report

9. ANNOUNCEMENTS/REMINDER

June 8, 2024 - Candidate Information Session, 10am-11:30am register bit.ly/sccdp_candidate_info

June 9, 2024 - DVC present Zoe Lofgren @Mtn View Senior Center, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

July 4, 2024 - Walk with SCCDP @Rose, White and Blue Parade

July 11, 2024 – Youth Takeover bit.ly/youthtakeover2024 to register

July 20, 2024 - All Clubs Picnic, Emma Prusch Park, 10am - 2pm

Pamela Campos shared information about her campaign kick-off at Supervisor Ellenberg's home, Saturday June 8th 12:00 to 2:00 pm.

10. EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

June 19, 2024, at 6pm

11. ADJOURNMENT 8:55pm

Register to observe via one way Zoom
https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_mneC8qa_T12rUIRHnL_rXA