

September 8, 2020 Pac Meeting.

Minutes:

Endorsement vote for San Francisco Pride Board of Directors and Oakland City Council (At-Large)

Pride Board candidate statements (*statement read by Edward)

1. Maxie Bee
2. Laurence Berland
3. Tyler Breisacher
4. J Jha
5. Elizabeth Lanyon*
6. Diana Oliva
7. Peter Gamez*
8. Tuquan Harrison*
9. Aliza Paz*
10. George Smith III*
11. Joshua Smith*
12. Bivett Brackett*

Oakland City Council (At-Large)

1. Rebecca Kaplan

Statement from Jackie Fielder (State Senate candidate, endorsed by Club)

Edward slides

Edward showed voter guide rough draft

New business:

1. Brad: reach out to him re Avalos mobilizations
2. Michael Rouppe: representing group that's created a document (attached) for awareness of the needs of those with HIV; seeking Club's support
3. David Peterson: made following motion but was taken over by Laurence Berland given David isn't yet a member according to Kevin, and then Laurence retracted it:
"The HRC Human rights campaign, has moved on to support many national corporate establishment Democratic Objectives. We have a responsibility and duty to open our hearts to lend a tiny-bit of support for LGBTQ candidates and LGBTQ allies who are running for congressional seats, both House and

Senate! For outside San Francisco races we have a strong tactical advantage over regional clubs in that we have few members with significant ties and monetary relationships with the incumbents. Yes it is possible that the DCCC might challenge our club charter. First, it is worth the risk. Second we will take only minor steps and do everything we can to mitigate conflicts with the corporate establishment of the local county party. For example we could simply share on social media a news article of LGBTQ candidates. Then we are not crossing border wall of corporate Democrat RESTRICTIONS! "

4. Alida Fisher: asking for volunteer help, see <https://www.alidafisher.com/volunteer>
5. Bianca von Creig(sp?) ("The Baroness"): asked for support to run for Congress and to rescind Pelosi's endorsement