

**Harvey Milk LGBTQ Democratic Club**  
**General Meeting**  
**Tuesday, March 19 from 7-9:30pm**

1. Introductions
  - Welcoming first-time folks to Milk Club, hello!
2. Discussion on e-board nominations
  - Kevin's nominations: Kate Usher for treasurer, Bahlam Javier Vigil for E-board Organizing, Edward Wright for At-Large Seat #1
3. Reports from the Vice Presidents
  - Internal (Reid Coggins): We're getting anything in order. After the February membership drive, we currently have 145 members, with a quorum of 14.
  - Events & Fundraising (Jackie Thornhill): Tabled a queer API resource fair event and recruited new members and sold tshirts; e-board held meeting for Harvey Milk's birthday including a march to remember White Night riots followed by a block party the following evening. Looking for speaker recommendations for the event. There will also be a happy hour next Thu 3/28 at Jolene's.
  - PAC (Gaby Aleman):
    - Had presentation on Stop Secret Surveillance from Oakland Privacy - PAC recommended to endorse the measure
    - Had presentation on Medicare from All from National Nurses United - PAC recommended to endorse the measure
    - Had presentation on military intervention in Venezuela - PAC recommended to oppose policies including sanctions and military intervention
    - Had a discussion on the local implementation of SB 1045; Sup. Rafael Mandelman spoke in support while Jennifer Friedenbach from Coalition on Homelessness spoke against - PAC was not able to come to a position
      1. The first motion to support failed
      2. The second motion to oppose also failed
  - **Motion to support PAC recommendations on Stop Secret Surveillance and Medicare for All (Lee Hepner motions; Brad Chapin seconds): Motion passes unanimously**
  - Carolina Morales presents more on #HandsOffVenezuela
    - **Motion to support PAC recommendation (Janice Li motions; Edward Wright seconds) with amendment to include respect to Venezuelan self-determination: Motion passes unanimously**
4. Remembering Jeff Adachi
  - Members step up and share different stories to remember and honor Jeff Adachi
5. New business
  - Allison Collins, School board commissioners, and Mari w/ Queer Family Coalition - working on a resolution to create Queer Families Advisory Council to help advise everything from school forms and the best way for SFUSD to collect

aggregate data on queer students and parents; Ali is also working to create a more inclusive GSA at middle school to inspire students to continue holding a welcoming LGBTQ space

6. CA Democratic Party chair
  - Daraka Larimore-Hall (represented by campaign manager for Sean Bugard) - asks for delaying decision
  - **Motion made to tabling the vote to support a CDP chair (Motion made; Rick Hauptman seconds); 24 yes / 0 no / 17 abstain**
  - **Motion made to agendize CDP Chair endorsement in April (Peter Gallotta motions; Keith Baraka seconds): Motion passes unanimously w/ 1 abstention**
  - Kimberly Ellis is present to share her platform and field questions
7. Conservatorship and local implementation of SB 1045
  - Sup. Rafael Mandelman - speaks in support, has decided to not ask for an endorsement and prefers that Milk Club stays out and does not take an organizational decision
  - Jennifer Friedenbach, Coalition on Homelessness - speaks in opposition
  - **Motion made to support Supervisor Rafael Mandelman's resolution (Brenden Shucart motions, Mitch Enfinger seconds)**
    - **Brad adds friendly amendment - supports only with legislation that 5150 process, if possible, is implemented not by SFPD but by mental health professionals**
    - **Brenden accepts amendment**
    - **14 yes / 29 no / 8 abstentions**
  - **Motion to oppose local implementation of SB 1045 (Jack Li motions, Carolina Morales seconds): 22 yes / 22 no / 9 abstentions**
  - **Motion to take no position and continue engaging on it (Lee Hepner motions; Brad Chapin seconds): 30 yes / 15 no / 6 abstentions**
8. Continued new business
  - Sue Englander - repping AFT 2121 to circulate surveys; platform is to stop class cuts, to stop cutting successful classes, and direct Chancellor to find other ways to meet budgetary needs - **Motion to support platform (Sue Englander motions; Brad Chapin seconds): Motion passes unanimously**
  - Tab thanked and introduced Esperanza to discuss desires to make Milk Club more welcoming for POC and more diversity, is concerned that this conversation continues to be last item on agenda and was pushed again this month
  - Keith Baraka - DCCC is sponsoring internships