

San Francisco Democratic County Central Committee

Milton Marks Auditorium
455 Golden Gate Avenue
San Francisco, CA
Wednesday, August 23, 2017
6:30pm

72 Hour Meeting Agenda

1. Call to Order and Roll Call

Roll call by Chair, David Campos. Members: Alysabeth Alexander, Angela Alioto, Keith Baraka, London Breed, David Campos, Malia Cohen, Petra DeJesus, Bevan Dufty, Mark Farrell, Sandra Lee Fewer, Peter Gallotta, Kelly Groth, Pratima Gupta, Frances Hsieh, Tom Hsieh, Mary Jung, Jane Kim, Leah LaCroix, Rafael Mandelman, Sophie Maxwell, Rachel Norton, Aaron Peskin, and Cindy Wu. Ex-Officio Members: U.S. Senator Dianne Feinstein; U.S. House Democratic Leader Nancy Pelosi; U.S. House Representative Jackie Speier; Board of Equalization Member Fiona Ma; State Senator Scott Wiener; Assemblymember Phil Ting and Assemblymember David Chiu.

2. Approval of Meeting Agenda (Discussion and possible action)

Discussion and possible action regarding the approval of this agenda.

3. Approval of Meeting Minutes (Discussion and possible action)

Approval of the minutes of the DCCC's meeting of July 26, 2017 (minutes attached).

4. General Public Comment (1 minute per speaker)

The DCCC will take public comment on all items on the agenda and, in addition, other matters germane to party business but not on the agenda.

5. Proposed Bylaws Amendment on Language and Disability Access Policy for the San Francisco Democratic Party (F. Hsieh, Gupta) (Discussion and possible action) (Bylaws amendment, needing 2/3 vote)

6. Proposed Update to Policies & Procedures Manual on Language and Disability Access Policy for the San Francisco Democratic Party (F. Hsieh, Gupta) (Discussion and possible action)

7. Resolution Calling on the Democratic Party to Stand Firm in Support of Our Reproductive Rights Platform (F. Hsieh, Gallotta, Groth, Gupta) (Discussion and possible action)

8. Resolution Urging Compliance of Fair, Accurate, Inclusive, and Respectful Act in California Textbooks and Curricula (Gupta, F. Hsieh, Gallotta) (Discussion and possible action)

9. Resolution Denouncing White Supremacy and President Trump's Statements (Gupta, F. Hsieh, Gallotta) (Discussion and possible action)

10. Motion to Support a "Rally Against Hate" Organized by SEIU Local 21 on Sunday, August

27th (Alexander) (Discussion and possible action)

11. Reports (Discussion and possible action)

DCCC member reports, including discussion and possible actions, to offer updates on work assignments and discuss ongoing objectives.

- a) Chair** (Campos) Ratification of DCCC appointment to current vacancy in AD19
- b) Finance** (DeJesus)
- c) Voter Registration** (Baraka)
- d) Club Chartering** (Gupta)
- e) Outreach** (LaCroix)
- f) Treasurer** (Alexander) Updated Budget Report
- g) Executive Director** (Mehis)
- h) CDP Region 6 Update** (Kelly)

12. New Business (Discussion and possible action)

The DCCC is unable to discuss or take action on items not on this agenda when those discussions pertain to matters within the jurisdiction of the San Francisco Board of Supervisors. The limited exception is to discuss and take action in deciding whether to calendar such items for a future meeting.

13. Adjournment

Agenda Item Information

For more information concerning agendas, minutes, and meeting information, and materials relating to agenda items: visit the DCCC website at <http://www.sfdemocrats.org>; or email DCCC Correspondence Secretary Peter Gallotta at info@sfdemocrats.org; or write to the San Francisco Democratic County Central Committee at 100 Broadway, San Francisco, CA 94111. Other related materials received by the DCCC after the posting of the agenda are available for public inspection at the meeting time and location listed at the beginning of this agenda.

Meeting Procedures

Each member of the public will be allotted the same maximum number of minutes to speak as set by the Chair.

Disability Access

The Milton Marks Auditorium and the State Office Building at 455 Golden Gate Avenue in San Francisco are wheelchair accessible. To seek a disability related accommodation to participate in the meeting, please contact DCCC Correspondence Secretary Peter Gallotta at info@sfdemocrats.org; or write to the San Francisco Democratic County Central Committee at 100 Broadway, San Francisco, CA 94111. Requests must be received at least 48 hours before the meeting.

The nearest accessible BART station is Civic Center (Market/Grove/Hyde Streets). Accessible MUNI Metro lines are the F, J, K, L, M, N, T (exit at Civic Center or Van Ness Stations). MUNI bus lines also serving the area are the 5, 6, 9, 19, 21, 47, 49, 71, and 71L. For more information about MUNI accessible services, call (415) 7014485. There is accessible parking in the vicinity of the California State Building at Civic Center Plaza and adjacent to Davies Hall and the War Memorial Complex. In order to assist the City's efforts to accommodate persons with severe allergies, environmental illness, multiple chemical sensitivity or related disabilities, attendees at public meetings are reminded that other attendees may be sensitive to perfumes and various other chemical based scented products. Please help the City to accommodate these individuals.

Know Your Rights Under The Sunshine Ordinance

Government’s duty is to serve the public, reaching its decision in full view of the public. Commissions, boards, councils, and other agencies of the City and County exist to conduct the people's business. This ordinance assures that deliberations are conducted before the people and that City operations are open to the people's review. For information on your rights under the Sunshine Ordinance (Chapter 67 of the San Francisco Administrative Code) or to report a violation of the ordinance, contact by mail Sunshine Ordinance Task Force, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244, San Francisco CA 94102; phone at (415) 5547724; fax at (415) 5547854; or by email at sotf@sfgov.org. Citizens may obtain a free copy of the Sunshine Ordinance by printing Chapter 67 of the San Francisco Administrative Code on the Internet, at <http://www.sfbos.org/sunshine>

Cell Phones, Pagers and Similar SoundProducing Electronic Devices

The ringing of and use of cell phones, pagers and similar soundproducing electronic devices are prohibited at this meeting. Please be advised that the Chair may order the removal from the meeting room of any person(s) responsible for the ringing or use of a cell phone, pager, or other similar soundproducing electronic devices.

Note: Several members of the San Francisco Board of Supervisors (who may comprise a majority of one or more Board committees) currently also serve as members of the San Francisco Democratic County Central Committee (DCCC). The law is not clear as to whether the open meeting requirements of state and local law apply to DCCC meetings attended by these Board members. Out of an abundance of caution, Board members and the DCCC have agreed to comply with these open meeting laws.

San Francisco Democratic County Central Committee

County Fair Building
1199 9th Avenue
San Francisco, CA

Wednesday, July 26, 2017
6:30pm

Draft Meeting Minutes

1. Call to Order and Roll Call

Meeting called to order at 6:35 pm by Vice-President and Interim Chair Petra DeJesus.

Members present: Alysabeth Alexander, Angela Alioto (proxy: Tabitha Totah), Keith Baraka, London Breed (Derek Remski), David Campos, Malia Cohen, Petra DeJesus, Bevan Dufty, Mark Farrell, Sandra Lee Fewer, Peter Gallotta, Kelly Groth, Pratima Gupta, Frances Hsieh, Tom Hsieh, Mary Jung, Jane Kim (proxy: Paulina Maldonado), Leah LaCroix, Rafael Mandelman, Sophie Maxwell, Rachel Norton, Aaron Peskin, Cindy Wu, and Norman Yee (proxy: Jen Low).

Ex-Officio Members: U.S. House Democratic Leader Nancy Pelosi (proxy: Dan Bernal); U.S. House Representative Jackie Speier (proxy: Brian Perkins); Board of Equalization Member Fiona Ma (proxy: Lou Fischer); State Senator Scott Wiener (proxy: Matthew Rothschild); Assemblymember Phil Ting (proxy: Mark Chekal-Bain) and Assemblymember David Chiu (proxy: Genesis Garcia).

Members Absent: Rachel Norton

Members Excused: U.S. Senator Dianne Feinstein

29 members present, 2 members absent (1 excused)

Interim Chair Petra DeJesus thanked outgoing Chair Wu for her service and presentation of gifts by Members Gallotta and Gupta. Explained the process for Item 5 (chair nomination and vote).

2. Approval of Meeting Agenda (Discussion and possible action)

Discussion and possible action regarding the approval of this agenda.

Member Maxwell spoke in support of adding Item 7 to the agenda and need for urgency since the item will be before the CDP executive committee in August. *Member Alexander* moved to add the item to the agenda, seconded by *Member Gupta* and supported by acclamation.

Member Campos spoke in support of adding Item 8 to the agenda and the immediate need due to the emergency nature. *Member Gallotta* moved to add the item to the agenda, seconded by *Member Alexander*, and passed by acclamation.

Amendments: Two items needed a 2/3rds vote for addition to agenda, item 7 (Maxwell) and item 8 (Campos).

Motion to approve as amended: Member Speier

Second: Member LaCroix

Vote Count: Supported by acclamation

3. Approval of Meeting Minutes (Discussion and possible action)

Approval of the minutes of the DCCC's meeting of June 28, 2017 (minutes attached).

Amendments: Mary Jung attendance needed to be corrected.

Motion to approve: Member Campos

Second: Member LaCroix

Vote Count: Support by acclamation

4. General Public Comment (1 minute per speaker)

The DCCC will take public comment on all items on the agenda and, in addition, other matters germane to party business but not on the agenda.

Lito Sandoval (LDC) support of David Campos as chair, and trans resolution; Susan Pfeifer (FDR, Democracy Action) have annual awards ceremony early this week, honoring Tony Thurmond and Dignity Fund, ACA phone banks, Virginia candidates and saving ACA; Xavier Aubuchon-Mendoza (ADEM 19) wants support/cosponsors opposing income equality resolution and supports Campos for Chair; Jane Bernard-Powers (DWIA) hopes to see leadership in the resistance to overturn detrimental policies; Stephen Jaffe (SBD6) support resolutions, Campos for chair, and announce event

Public Comment closed at 6:54 pm

5. Election of the Chair (Discussion and possible action)

Discussion and possible action to nominate candidates for and elect the Chair of the S.F. DCCC, in accordance with Article III, Section 1 et seq. of the S.F. DCCC Bylaws

Interim Chair DeJesus opened floor for nominations. *Member Wu* thanked everyone for their past support and nominated Member Campos for Chair, seconded by *Member Jung*. With no additional candidates, nominations were closed. *Member Campos* thanked former Chair Wu for her service, gave a statement and spoke about his goal to have the Democratic Party to stand for something. SFDCCC has a role to play to help define what it means to be a Democrat, be a "San Francisco Democrat", and have "San Francisco values." Focus on swing districts, having an inclusive, progressive agenda where society creates opportunity for everyone, have a responsibility towards everyone, healthcare is a right, development of housing that is for everyone, education as a great equalizer, and making the party relevant for all SF residents and young people.

Motion to nominate Campos: Member Wu

Second: Member Jung

Vote Count: Supported by acclamation

6. Resolution in Support of SB 33-- Prohibiting Financial Institutions from Engaging in Fraudulent Activity That Injures Consumers (DeJesus, Gallotta) (Discussion and possible action)

Chair Campos invited *Member DeJesus* to introduce measure who gave background on measure. *Member Kim* spoke about proposed amendments to add additional detail about Wells Fargo's fraudulent actions, findings by the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, and information about local efforts around the issue. *Jake* from Supervisor *Kim's* office to read amendments into the record. *Members Chiu, Maxwell, Mandelman, and Alioto* requested to to be added as co-sponsors. *Member Baraka* pointed out resolution rules that restricted them to one page. *Motion to amend by Member Kim, seconded by Member Speier and passed by acclamation.*

Amendments: Member *Kim:* additional details in whereas clauses, adding in support of SF Board of Supervisors resolution file #170826, and amending resolved clauses to reflect addition.

Motion to approve: Member *Speier*

Second: Member *Cohen*

Vote Count: Support by acclamation

7. Resolution in Support of Fair Employment Enforcement Act (Maxwell) (Discussion and possible action)

Member *Maxwell* gave background about resolution. This is an issue the African American Caucus will bring in front of the CDP executive committee, therefore the need to have issue heard now. Also spoke about minor technical amendments to the resolution. Members *Alexander, Baraka, Campos, DeJesus, Dufty, Fewer, Gupta, F. Hsieh, LaCroix, Mandelman, Speier, and Wu* requested to be added as cosponsors.

Amendments: Adding "anti" in front of "workplace in three areas

Motion to approve: Member *Baraka*

Second: Member *Speier*

Vote Count: Support by acclamation

8. Resolution Defending the Rights of Transgender People to Serve in the United States Military (Campos, Gallotta, DeJesus, F. Hsieh, Mandelman)

Chair Campos gave background on the measure, the urgent nature of the resolution and the need to speak out. All members requested to be added as cosponsors, and the following clubs: Asian Pacific Democratic Club, United Democratic Club, SF Latino Democratic Club, Latin@ Young Democrats of SF, District 6/South Beach Democratic Club, Democratic Women In Asian, Alice B. Toklas Democratic Club, Richmond District Democratic Club, Harvey Milk LGBT Democratic Club, SF Young Democrats, Willie B. Kennedy Democratic Club; *Brownie Mary Democratic Club, FDR Democratic Club, and City Democratic Club.* *Chair Campos* invited cosponsors to speak; *Member Speier* sits on House Armed Services Committee, read her tweet about topic; *Member Pelosi* read statement and about joining transgender equality task force;

Member DeJesus stated this causes serious harm and is also it is also a distraction tactic; *Member Ting* had a point of information about HMLGBTDC added as cosponsor; *Member Gallotta*, we must stand up and fight back against bigotry and hatred, need to do more to demand acceptance, housing, economic justice, healthcare, one piece of the barriers the communities fight to lift up the transgender community to have a seat at the table; *Member Mandelman* thanked Chair Campos and railed against POTUS, environment, how can the party help coordinate, consolidate, and support resources for the fight; *Lou Fischer* (Toklas) read a part of statement from Alice B. Toklas Democratic Club and continued fight to resist these policies; *Chair Campos* noted that it's important for party not only to oppose Trump, but also put forward proactive agenda, including supporting transgender community, thanked E.D. Mehis for help to put this together.

Motion to support: Chair Campos

Second: Member Gallotta

Vote Count: Support by acclamation

9. Reports (Discussion and possible action)

DCCC member reports, including discussion and possible actions, to offer updates on work assignments and discuss ongoing objectives.

a) Chair (Campos) - A couple of events will be coming in the next few of weeks: a welcoming reception for clubs and democrats so that we can hear directly from rank and file on goals for mid term and long term; fundraiser for resources for voter registration, education, outreach; Would like a September/October retreat open to clubs and members to interact outside of monthly meetings, to develop stronger interpersonal relationships, set priorities for party in the next year, look at state platform and identify SF's priorities. Look for and fill out the doodle poll, welcomed ideas for locations and facilitators; Wanted to change permanent meeting location, please forward suggestions to E.D. Mehis and will discuss proposals at next meeting and include rotating locations; finally SFDCCC will be divesting from Wells Fargo

b) Finance (DeJesus) - Will be working with Chair Campos and E.D. Mehis on upcoming fundraiser to fund our priorities and have a position of strength.

c) Voter Registration (Baraka) - At recent effort, registered 200 people with about 100 as democrats. Wanted to ramp up voter registration beyond street fairs and citizenship ceremonies; Next step is going to D10 to talk about voter registration, switch more voters to democrats, increase voting propensity, reach out to Keith if you want to volunteer at KeithBarak@gmail.com; *Member Maxwell* would like more work driven by data with specific targets; *Member Wiener* would like to see raw numbers of new registrants, can use CDP system DPI system, possible presentation at retreat; *Chair Campos* stated we would need to amend budget to fund this project

d) Club Chartering (Gupta) - Successful leadership circle on July 22, 2017, with a training by Angela Calvillo about running meetings effectively, Judith Boken of Democracy Action, and training about new reporting requirements for chartered clubs, next meeting will be on September 23rd, from 10 am - noon, location TBD, would like suggestions for topics, including poll clubs for having another endorsementpalooza.

e) Outreach (LaCroix) - Accompanied interns at Sunday Streets at Valencia a couple of weeks ago. Need for outreach and need for an outreach committee. Those interested in joining, please reach out to Member LaCroix and E.D. Mehis.

f) Treasurer (Alexander) - Reviewed budget sheets; cash on hand; assets, cash, liability, equity; profit logs and expenses; net income; *Member Wiener* had questions about budget and federal budget and upcoming fundraiser should focus on federal fund; *Member Baraka* recommended switching account to SF Fire Credit; Fischer SF Fire; *Member Wiener* had a question about the amount in the budget for legal and accounting, *Member Wu* clarified that it was payment for fundraiser support.

g) Executive Director (Mehis) - Spoke about phone call with CDP, work of CDP E.D. was split into four position; CDP committee assignments will go out this week; thanks to interns, last day August 6th; *Member Baraka* asked who made decisions on CDP committee assignments, *E.D. Mehis* clarified that is was the CDP Chair and his team.

h) CDP Region 6 Update (Kelly) - Thanked people for coming to the Westside tonight, just finished 2 Region 6 meetings, lots of great resolutions submitted on time; Executive Board meeting at end of August in Anaheim; CDP has great resources to help with voter services, has been to Redding, Roseville, Modesto, Central Valley, amalgum of people going and people in these areas coming out, hoping people can join her; Next CDP executive board meeting is in Millbrae; *Member DeJesus* asked for a quick explanation of executive board, *Director Kelly* clarified that all meetings are open to the public, at the Sheraton in Anaheim, August 25-27; all caucuses will be meeting, talking about women's rights, speakers, review lots of resolutions; it is similar to a smaller convention, and you get to know folks; *Member Ting* stated that Director Kelly ran a great meeting last night and talked about accessibility, ADEMS more user friendly and accessible, go to Millbrae! Finally, today is 27th Anniversary of the American with Disabilities Act!

10. New Business (Discussion and possible action)

The DCCC is unable to discuss or take action on items not on this agenda when those discussions pertain to matters within the jurisdiction of the San Francisco Board of Supervisors. The limited exception is to discuss and take action in deciding whether to calendar such items for a future meeting.

Member DeJesus announced bylaws committee meeting on September 9th from 9:30 - noon at Muddy Waters at 1304 Valencia Street at 24th Street. *Member F.Hsieh* gave update on access working group meeting and will be holding another meeting to bring forward both a bylaws amendment and a policies and procedures manual amendment at the next meeting. Invited more to join. *Member Gallotta* requested to be added. *Member Gallotta* reminded people on the proper procedure to add things to the agenda; Friday deadline before 10-day notice go out on Sunday, stressed that adding items to the 72-hour agenda requires 2/3rds vote. Send items to peter.gallotta@gmail.com, will follow up on these procedures with an email.

Member Gupta thanked chartered clubs for making July deadline for membership rosters for pre-endorsement meeting; stated that September 15th is the deadline to send updated bylaws that include the following statement "governs the selection of potential representatives."

Member Ting thanked all for coming to AD19; thanked to *Member Wu* for her service and congratulations to Chair Campos. *Member Baraka* thanked to Angeles Roy for hard work around voter registration. *Member Wiener* thanked *Member Wu* and wished Chair Campos good luck.

10. Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 8:06 pm

Proposed Bylaws Amendment on Language and Disability Access Policy for the San Francisco Democratic Party

Sponsors: *F. Hsieh, Gupta*

Article XI of the Bylaws of the SFDCCC shall be amended as follows:

Article XI, Section 4 and Section 5 are added to the Bylaws:

Section 4. LANGUAGE ACCESS

Language services in Spanish, Chinese, and Filipino must be available at all public meetings of the SFDCCC upon request. Best efforts shall be made to provide services in additionally requested languages. Requests for interpretation services must be received at least 5 business days in advance of the meeting to help ensure availability. Notification of this service shall be included in all public notices of the SFDCCC in English, Spanish, Chinese, and Filipino.

Section 5. DISABILITY ACCESS

All meetings and activities of the SFDCCC and Chartered Clubs and Organizations, including committee meetings, fundraisers, and events, must be wheelchair accessible. Sign language interpreters, readers, large print agendas, and access to sound systems for those who are hard of hearing shall be made available upon request. Requests must be received at least 5 business days in advance of the meeting to ensure availability, though best efforts will be made to accommodate requests received after this period. Best efforts shall be made to provide all other access accommodation requests. In order to accommodate persons with severe allergies, environmental illness, multiple chemical sensitivity or related disabilities, notice shall be included in all meeting announcements to remind attendees of those who may be sensitive to perfumes and various other chemical-based scented products. Notification of this policy shall also be included in all public notices of the SFDCCC.

The SFDCCC will work with chartered clubs to comply with these requirements, including identifying vendors that provide these services, compiling a list of compliant meeting locations, and budgeting funds to support these efforts.

Proposed Update to Policies & Procedures Manual on Language and Disability Access Policy for the San Francisco Democratic Party

Sponsors: *F. Hsieh, Gupta*

Article XIII. Language and Disability Access Policy shall be added as follows:

“Section 1.0 It is the Policy of the San Francisco Democratic Party (SFDCCC) to welcome membership and participation to all individuals regardless of language ability.

Section 1.1 To ensure that individuals who are Limited English Proficient are able to fully participate in all Democratic party meetings and activities, language services in Spanish, Chinese, and Filipino must be made available at all public events of the SFDCCC upon request.

Section 1.2 While Spanish, Chinese, and Filipino are the three languages mandated for language services by San Francisco law, best efforts shall be made to provide language services in additionally requested languages.

Section 1.3 Requests for interpretation services must be received by the Executive Director at least five (5) business days in advance of the meeting to help ensure availability. Best efforts will be made to accommodate requests received after this period.

Section 1.4 Notification of this service shall be included in all public notices of the SFDCCC in English, Spanish, Chinese, and Filipino.

Section 1.5 In order to support these efforts, the SFDCCC will include within the annual budget resources sufficient to fund these needs.

Section 2.0 It is the Policy of the San Francisco Democratic Party to support participation of all individuals regardless of ability. At no time shall it be acceptable to prevent the participation or abridge the rights of participants in party activities. To insure that all individuals may attend all party activities, all committee meetings, fundraisers, and events of the SFDCCC and Chartered Clubs and Organizations must be wheelchair accessible.

Section 2.1 Sign language interpreters, readers, large print agendas, and access to sound systems for those who are hard of hearing shall also be made available upon request for all public meetings and activities.

Section 2.2 Requests must be received by the Executive Director at least five (5) business days in advance of the meeting or event to help ensure availability. Best efforts will be made to accommodate requests received after this period.

Section 2.3 In order to assist Chartered Clubs and Organizations with compliance for this requirement, the SFDCCC shall create within the annual budget a special_needs-based fund that Chartered Clubs and Organizations may apply to for financial support to fulfill disability

access requests. The SFDCCC may work with clubs with recurring needs to develop ways to minimize ongoing costs, for example, finding suitable accessible meeting locations, cost sharing options, or finding more cost effective ways to provide the necessary accommodations.

Section 2.4 The SFDCCC shall create a form for Chartered Clubs and Organizations to apply for financial support for disability access accommodations that will include all information necessary for financial and ethics filings.

Section 2.5 In order to further support Chartered Clubs and Organizations with compliance of this requirement, the SFDCCC shall maintain on its website a list of free or low-cost accessible facilities and meeting spaces in San Francisco.

Section 2.6 In order to accommodate persons with severe allergies, environmental illness, multiple chemical sensitivity or related disabilities, notice shall be included in all SFDCCC meeting announcements to remind attendees of those who may be sensitive to perfumes and various other chemical-based scented products.

Section 2.7 Notification of this policy shall be included in all public notices of the SFDCCC. Chartered Clubs and Organizations must include notification of this policy within their bylaws, on their website, or within other policy or operational documents.”

Resolution Calling on the Democratic Party to Stand Firm in Support of Our Reproductive Rights Platform

Sponsors: *F. Hsieh, Gallotta, Groth, Gupta*

WHEREAS, Access to comprehensive, evidence-based, quality, affordable reproductive health care services, including including safe and legal abortion has been part of the Democratic Party platform for decades, affirming that a person's autonomy in medical decisions over their own body is not a secondary or social issue, but a human right; and

WHEREAS, Under the current administration, there has been an erosion of access to contraception and abortion, inspiring a groundswell of grassroots activism that has successfully prevented measures to defund Planned Parenthood and repeal Obamacare, proving that there is national popular support for reproductive rights issues, funding for teen pregnancy prevention, prevention of Title X cuts, and fighting budget cuts that limit access to abortion, which disproportionately affect low-income individuals and people of color; and

WHEREAS, Democratic anti-choice legislators who seek to impose their personal views on their constituents and the country by voting to restrict abortion access or contraception coverage and access undercut the Democratic Party platform and threaten the health, security, and well being of women and families, and they must be held accountable for these devastating legislative and administrative actions;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the San Francisco Democratic Party believes that it is not the role of the Democratic Party to excuse the actions of elected officials and candidates, but to educate, train, and hold all our members accountable to supporting the Democratic Party core values; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that we urge the California Democratic Party, the Democratic National Committee, and our democratically elected state and national representatives to recommit to reproductive rights as a central tenet of the Democratic Party, support candidates who are pro-choice and do not condone anti-choice rhetoric, and work with reproductive rights stakeholders to develop positive messaging and trainings for legislators and candidates around reproductive rights, through a transmission of this resolution.

Resolution Urging Compliance of Fair, Accurate, Inclusive, and Respectful Act in California Textbooks and Curricula

Sponsors: Gupta, F Hsieh, Gallotta

WHEREAS the Fair, Accurate, Inclusive, and Respectful Education Act, also known as the FAIR Education Act (Senate Bill 48) was authored by Senator Mark Leno and went into effect on January 1, 2012, amending the California Education Code by mandating that K-12 public schools provide Fair, Accurate, Inclusive and Respectful representations of people with disabilities and people who are lesbian, gay, bisexual or transgender in history and social studies curriculum. The updated educational guidelines also prescribe that schools do not adopt learning materials with a discriminatory bias or negative stereotypes based on gender, sexual orientation or disability; and

WHEREAS the next State Board of Education adoption of kindergarten through grade 8 instructional materials is scheduled to take place in 2017, therefore the Instructional Quality Commission (IQC) is getting ready to approve K-8 history-social science instructional materials for use in California. These materials must comply with the History-Social Science Framework that requires the inclusion of the roles and contributions of LGBT people as a result of passage of the FAIR Education Act. There is no state-mandated curriculum on these topics, but instead the state issues guidelines and then lessons are developed and approved at the local level; and

WHEREAS Of the proposed publications that are being considered by the state and IQC four of twelve failed to include any LGBT content, and the other eight publications require edits and corrections in order to comply with the LGBT content in the History-Social Science Framework;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the San Francisco Democratic Party urges the IQC to require ALL publishers to make edits and corrections to fully comply with the FAIR Education Act law and to reject the four publications that fail to include LGBT history in our new textbooks; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the San Francisco Democratic Party encourages other California school districts and school board members to implement and utilize accurate educational textbooks and the social studies curricula in compliance with the California law which compels the inclusion of the political, economic, and social contributions of persons with disabilities and lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender for a more fair, accurate, inclusive, and respectful learning experience for all students.

Resolution Denouncing White Supremacy and President Trump's Statements

Sponsors: *Gupta, F Hsieh, Gallotta*

WHEREAS, white nationalists and Neo-Nazi groups marched in Charlottesville, Virginia on August 11-12 while carrying torches and yelling slogans like "white lives matter" and "blood and soil" in what has been described as one of the largest white supremacist events in recent history; and

WHEREAS the President chose to equate peaceful anti-racist protestors with Neo-Nazis instead of condemning the violent actions of white nationalists, one of whom plowed a car through a group of concerned citizens exercising their right to counter-protest. Many white supremacists and Neo-Nazis feel emboldened and affirmed by the President's remarks and rallies organized by extremist groups are now being planned across the country, including here in San Francisco on August 26th; and

WHEREAS the racism, white supremacy, anti-Semitism, homophobia, and misogyny on display in Charlottesville will not end unless we mobilize to dismantle these systems of oppression throughout our country;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the San Francisco Democratic Party calls upon all Democrats and San Franciscans to take action to combat the plague of racism in our country, to create spaces of inclusion, and to protect our most vulnerable people and communities. We must hold conversations about race and privilege with ourselves and those around us to further challenge and dismantle white supremacy; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the San Francisco Democratic Party will transmit this resolution to the California Democratic Party officers and our Congressional representatives asking them to condemn hatred, bigotry, and violence against the diverse people of our great state and our nation, and to work towards real solutions to dismantle white supremacy and promote restorative justice.