



Dear Candidate,

As the San Francisco Latino Democratic Club embarks on our endorsements for the June 2016 election cycle, your participation in our club questionnaire allows our membership to better understand you and where you stand as a candidate.

Our questionnaire consists of a series of short-answer questions (200 words or less).

Please return the completed questionnaire by 11:59 PM Tuesday, April 5, 2016.

E-mail all questionnaires to our Political Action Committee at pac@sflatinodemocrats.com. If you are unable to complete the questionnaire by April 5, please let us know ASAP.

Upon submission of your completed questionnaire, you will receive an invitation to our April 9, 2016 PAC endorsement meeting.

Good Luck!

Sincerely,
The San Francisco Latino Democratic Club

BASIC INFORMATION

Name as It Will Appear On the Ballot:	London Breed
Campaign Contact Info:	Campaign Manager – Rosie Dilger; dilger.rosemary@gmail.com or londonfordccc@gmail.com ; 415-794-0101
Website:	www.londonforsupervisor.com (there is no website for the DCCC campaign)

	Yes	No
Are you now or have you ever been a member of LDC?		X
Have you ever sought LDC's endorsement in the past?	X	

QUESTIONS (Please limit responses to 200 words):

- 1) Please describe your qualifications for the position you seek plus anything else that you'd like our members to know about you and your candidacy. Also list any endorsements you have secured from others you wish us to know about.**

I am a native San Franciscan and grew up in the Western Addition neighborhood of District 5. I graduated with honors from Galileo High School, and attended the University of California, Davis, where I earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science-Public Service. I also earned a Master's degree in Public Administration from the University of San Francisco.

For 10 years, I served as Executive Director of the African American Art & Culture Complex in the Western Addition, transforming the struggling center into an economically stable community resource, providing after school arts and cultural programs for youth and seniors.

I previously served as a San Francisco Redevelopment Agency Commissioner and as a member of the San Francisco Fire Commission. I currently serve as the President of the Board of Supervisors and represent the residents of District 5.

I very recently entered the race for DCCC and am just beginning to solicit endorsements. Most recently, I received endorsements from the San Francisco Women's Political Committee, the Alice B. Toklas Democratic Club and San Francisco Firefighters Local 798.

I am currently interviewing with a number of clubs. To give you an idea of my general base of support, I have listed some of my endorsements for re-election to Supervisor. I hope to count each of them as an endorsement for the DCCC as well. <http://www.londonforsupervisor.com/endorsements>

2) What do you think are the top 3 priorities/issues of the San Francisco Latino Community? And why?

Three key issues of importance are creating affordable and healthy neighborhoods, improving public transportation and supporting public safety. During my three years in office, I have worked to create and protect affordable housing in my district and the entire city; I led the Board of Supervisors' effort to replace hundreds of outdated Muni buses with modern buses, and replace and expand Muni's entire train fleet; and I stopped the proposed \$380 million jail and am working to create alternative investments in mental health treatment for the homeless and those at risk of incarceration.

As the Supervisor of District 5, I represent a diverse constituency, and I believe our communities have many commonalities when it comes to displacement and lack of opportunity. Having grown up in public housing in the Western Addition myself, I am acutely aware of what it means to be a woman of color living in San Francisco. One of the most important things we can do to keep families in our communities in San Francisco, is to make housing affordable for them. During my three years in office, I have worked to create and protect affordable housing in my district and the entire city. I feel strongly that the legislation we've passed to increase affordable housing stock and give neighborhood preference to current residents will go a long way toward keeping not only the Latino community here, but residents in every San Francisco neighborhood.

3) What are your plans to encourage and empower the Latino Community into the Democratic political process?

We had a robust voter registration program during my first Supervisorial campaign and will again this year. Voter registration is one the most important tools we have as voters, and with the availability of online registration, we have a bigger opportunity than ever to get out and register more Democrats. In addition to registering and empowering voters to have a voice, I believe it also the responsibility of elected officials to give opportunities to aspiring community activists and neighborhood leaders in every community. Serving as the President of the Board of Supervisors has given me an incredible opportunity to support other people running for office and to appoint a diverse group of people to important commissions. Most recently, I reappointed Myrna Melgar, a Latina, to the Building Inspection Commission. I have supported and encouraged numerous members of the Latino community in their pursuit of public office, appointments, and employment opportunities.

4) Are you active in your community/communities? If so, how?

I have been an active member of my community my entire life. When I graduated from college I returned to the city I love to continue working in my community. Through my work at the African American Art & Culture Complex and as a volunteer, I'm proud of the work I've done to help kids in the

Western Addition - getting them on the right path by partnering with Northern police station, giving them employment opportunities, and being a support system. Every single day I am on the phone and with various community members and friends I grew up with in the district, still doing everything I can to help people.

5) Which candidates are you supporting or have you supported in the following elections:

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2015 Mayor – Ed Lee

Sheriff – Vicki Hennessy

Board of Supervisors (District 3) – Julie Christensen

Community College Board – Tom Temprano

6) Do you believe that registered/paid lobbyists should be required to recuse themselves from votes that benefit the industry or organizations that they represent?