

## LEAGUE ENDORSEMENT CHEAT SHEET!

### NATIONAL RACES

US President — Bernie Sanders  
 US Senate — Kamala Harris  
 US Congress D12 — Preston Picus  
 US Congress D14 — Jackie Speier

### STATE OFFICES

State Senate District 11 — Jane Kim  
 State Assembly District 17 — No Endorsement  
 State Assembly District 19 — No Endorsement

### LOCAL OFFICES:

Superior Court Judge Seat 7 - Victor Hwang

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE

#### Assembly District 19:

Norman Yee  
 Leah LaCroix  
 Sandra Lee Fewer  
 Brigitte Davila  
 Here Kelly  
 Myrna Meigar  
 Eric Mar

#### Assembly District 17:

Wade Woods  
 Cindy Wu  
 Petra DeJesus  
 Bevan Duffy  
 David Campos  
 Jane Kim  
 Frances Hsieh  
 Rafael Mandelman  
 Sophie Maxwell  
 Alysabeth Alexander  
 Tom Amiano  
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 Aaron Peskin

# PISSED OFF VOTER GUIDE

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## MEET THE LEAGUE OF PISSED OFF VOTERS

We're a bunch of political geeks in a torrid but troubled love affair with San Francisco. We're blessed to live in America's most progressive city, but we're cursed to live in a city where most of the youth who grow up here can't afford to live here. Frisco has its own dark history of injustice: redevelopment, environmental racism, the "old boys" network. All of us lucky enough to enjoy the San Francisco magic owe it to our City to fight to keep it diverse, just, and healthy. What are you doing to make a difference?

This voter guide (our 20th in SF!) is how we educate our friends and peers on the issues, excite pissed off progressive voters, and remind sellout politicians that we're paying attention.

### HANG OUT WITH THE LEAGUE!

Want to get involved, got a question about this stuff, or just wanna have a drink with us? Join us at happy hour & come party on Election Night! Stay up to date:

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- [theleaguesf.org](http://theleaguesf.org)

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## GET IT! GO GIT THAT VOTE!

**5.9** Early voting starts at City Hall.

Call 311 or peep [Sflections.org](http://Sflections.org) for details.

**5.23** Deadline to register: <http://RegisterToVote.ca.gov>

**6.7** Election Day! Polls open 7am-8pm.

**Where's your polling place?** Call 311, see [Sflections.org](http://Sflections.org), or vote in City Hall. Even if you've committed a felony, you can vote as long as you're off parole. Don't let the Man disenfranchise you!

<http://theleaguesf.org/guide>

Open up this guide for highlights on the most important things on the ballot. And check our online guide for the full monty:

### LOCAL PROPOSITIONS

- ✓ **Prop A:** \$350M Bond for Health, Homeless and Firehouse Facilities
- ✗ **Prop B:** Expand the Set-Aside for Rec and Park
- ✓ **Prop C:** Fix the Affordable Housing Requirement
- ✓ **Prop D:** Require Investigations of Officer-Involved Shootings
- ✓ **Prop E:** Update Paid Sick Leave
- ✓ **Prop AA:** Parcel Tax to Save the Bay and Wetlands

### STATE PROPOSITIONS

- ✓ **Proposition 50:** Suspending Sketchy State Legislators without Pay

**NO**

## PROPOSITION B 🐞🐞🐞

### ✘ Expand the Set-Aside for Rec and Park

Of course we love parks, but the way Rec & Park is run these days makes us think twice about expanding their funding. Supervisor Avalos added language to Prop B that could address shameful inequities in our parks system, but we're not convinced it'll work. Plus, set-asides are stupid! They make our budget a political popularity contest. If the supervisors wanted to give Rec & Park more moola, they could've done that through the regular budget!

**YES**

## PROPOSITION C

### ✓ Fix the Affordable Housing Requirements

Raise affordability requirements to 25% now, and let future levels be set by the Board of Supervisors (BoS). Here's the backstory: "Inclusionary housing" is the requirement that developers include affordable housing units in their projects or pay towards

off-site units. In 2012, that requirement was locked into the City's charter at a brutal 12% rate - so stupid! Prop C would more than double that to 25% and also increase the off-site requirement (or "in lieu" fee).

We're excited to see progressives counter overly simplistic "build baby build" rhetoric with real solutions to our housing crisis - asking developers for more affordable housing at a rate set by the BoS is a great start.

**YES**

## PROPOSITION D

### ✓ Require Investigations of Officer-Involved Shootings

Prop D would require the Office of Citizens' Complaints to investigate all officer-involved shootings that result in death or injury, even if no one officially files a complaint. The SFPD is a friggin' mess, and it's a damn shame we aren't voting on a stronger police reform measure. As one Leaguer put it, Prop D "is literally the least you could do."

## STATE SENATE DISTRICT 11 ↔ JANE KIM

We go way back with Jane Kim--she's part of the crew of organizers who founded the SF chapter of the League back in 2004. As Supervisor, Jane has stayed true to her roots as a community organizer, representing and empowering District 6 communities which include many of the City's most vulnerable residents.

With the Mayor being AWOL, Jane has become the City's de facto bad-ass negotiator: On the Giants' Mission Rock development, the Mayor signed on to the original deal for 15% affordable housing. Jane, John Avalos & community leaders negotiated that up to 40%! Jane's hardball negotiations also led to SF passing the most progressive \$15 minimum wage in the country. She's led the charge to protect rental housing from condo conversion, and authored Eviction Protections 2.0 to stop speculative landlords from evicting tenants for bunk causes.

We wish we could keep Jane fighting on the Board, but we know she'll make a great State Senator, in a legislature where less than 26% of reps are women.



### A little about Scott Wiener

Ugh, this guy. Wiener opposes transparency on police misconduct records, supports converting rent controlled housing into condos, tried to water down the affordable housing requirements, and succeeded in cutting the transit impact fee developers pay to Muni.

Wiener's record on criminalizing the poor and homeless is unforgivable: supporting the Sit-Lie law, outlawing sleeping in parks, and backing Ed Lee's inhumane and counterproductive sweeps of the Division Street homeless encampments. Wiener is one of the architects of the City's current heartless (and failed!) "crackdown on homelessness" - even justifying the SFPD murder of Luis Gongora as avoidable if only we were tougher on the homeless!

We're afraid of the damage Wiener could do at the state level. We want his neoliberal, poor-bashing political career to end here when he's termed out in 2018. **Vote for Jane Kim for State Senate.**

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE:

SF is a one-party town - literally every single elected official in the City is a Democrat! That's why the biggest fight on the June ballot is for control of the Democratic County Central Committee. The DCCC is super important because they decide what gets the \*official\* Democratic Party endorsements (i.e. soft \$\$).

We are supporting the Reform Slate to undo the Real Estate takeover of the DCCC. The "corporate Democrat" faction of the DCCC is full of conflicts of interest: the realtors' lobbyist, Google's lobbyist, staff for the Mayor, and a campaign consultant for Airbnb!

The Reform Slate we're endorsing includes several activists we ♥♥♥ Frances Hsieh, Alysabeth Alexander and a host of women of color steppin' up to rep. If you're a Democrat, please hunt through the huge list of candidates to vote our slate.

## SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE SEAT 7 ↔ VICTOR HWANG

With a 23-year track record as a civil rights attorney, public defender and district attorney, Victor Hwang has serious experience and social justice chops. He's tried almost 100 cases to a jury verdict, including prosecuting hate crimes and sex trafficking. Named a "Local Hero" by the Bay Guardian & the Chinese World Journal, he's a way better choice for judge than the Mayor's right-hand man, Paul Henderson. Side note: It's so weird to vote for judges!



## US SENATE ↔ KAMALA HARRIS

While Kamala isn't aligned with our values 100% of the time, she's downright progressive by national standards, and it's significant that she would be only the third ever woman of color in the Senate! Since this is a top 2 primary, we want to make sure hella scary OC Democrat Loretta Sanchez doesn't make it onto the November ballot.