

SV Dems General Meeting June 26, 2023

Board Present: Hadley, McDevitt, Martin, Taylor, Suarez, and Baeyan Zoom: 19

1. Regional Directors:

- a. Jeff Koertzen, Region 3 Director: He is responsible for Assembly districts 4, 11, 14, and 15. Main focus at present is to work with Clubs preparing for the Pre-Endorsement meetings. He is also working on completing the Clubs rosters. He will have a training session in August. He is also working on the Party platform that is updated every 2 years.
- b. Pat Johnstone, Region 2 Director: Responsible for Assembly districts 2 and 12. One Club representative is allocated for each 20 club members in a particular Assembly District. The next CA Democratic convention will take place in Sacramento on 17-19 of November. Regional Directors share information between the clubs and State party. Input on the Party Platform can be given on the website until August 19, 2023.
- c. Two scholarships were presented by Teresa Suarez and Mary McDevitt at the High School on May 31st. Beth read the thank you note from Rowan Winslow.
- d. Sherry Smith gave an update on the Compensation Board actions for former Sonoma Center patients. Only 3 cases have been approved.
- e. July 4th event. More help needed for 4PM clean up. Contact Beth
- f. County Fair August 5, 2023. Need volunteers for 3-hour shifts.
- g. Social event August 27th at Westerbeke Ranch.

2. **Financial Report:** Checking: \$2,340. Savings: \$450.

3. **Report from recent Democratic Convention:** Carol Taylor. CA State primary will be held on March 5, 2024. As noted above the next State convention will be held on November 17-19, 2023. Carol reported that the party structure is being reorganized. Looking to increase input from rural areas. The next Executive Board meeting will be in Visalia in August.

4. **Presentation on “Private Equity in Healthcare”.** Dr. McDevitt’s PowerPoint presentation will be available on the website.

Minutes by Mary McDevitt