

**Santa Cruz County Democratic Central Committee
General Meeting Agenda**

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January 27th, 2021, 7:00 p.m.

- I. Call to Order –Chair Coco Raner-Walter
- II. Attendance and Welcome Visitors - Introductions
- III. Agenda Changes
- IV. Approval of Minutes
- V. Old Business
 - 1) None
- VI. New Business
 - 1) Officer Candidate Speeches (two minutes each) (Coco)
 - i. Secretary
 1. Diana Love
 - ii. Female Vice-Chair
 1. Jenny Bach
 2. Betty Yee
 - iii. Chair
 1. Delaine Eastin
 2. Rusty Hicks
 - 2) Presentation from our new Senator, John Laird (20 minutes)
 - 3) Presentation from Don Lane on [Housing Santa Cruz County](#) (five minutes)
 - 4) Resolution on Single Payer (Glenn)
 - 5) House Resolution 45 letter to Congress (Glenn)
 - 6) DSCC Delegate Elections (14 Committee members as state delegates)
- VII. DCC Reports – **Please keep all reports to 2-minutes**
 - 1) Chair – Coco Raner-Walter
 - 2) Vice Chair – Gigi Kelbert
 - 3) Treasurer – Carolyn Livingston
 - i. December 31, 2020 Bank Balance is 14,920
 - ii. Membership dues for calendar year are due/Members 60.00 Alternates 40.00
 - iii. Revised 2021 operating budget to accommodate expenses for the Ways & Means Event Series
 - iv. In 2020 we had two successful online fundraisers despite the Shelter in Place Orders. The Spring Appeal was 95% of budget and the Fall Appeal was 100% of budget.
 - 4) Secretary – Glenn Glazer
 - i. New roster published.
 - 5) Corresponding Secretary – Cynthia Mathews
 - 6) Ways and Means – Akin Babatola
 - 7) Public Relations – Tony Russomanno
 - 8) Events –
 - 9) E-Board – Pat Manning
 - i. Report of January 16th Executive Board Meeting,
 - 10) Legislative – Andrew Goldenkranz and Cynthia Hawthorne
 - i. No Report
 - 11) Voter Reg/Engagement – Keith Gudger and Rene Bloch
 - i. No Report
- VIII. Chartered Club Reports- **Please keep all reports to 2-minutes**
 - 1) College Democrats at UCSC – Edward Estrada
 - i. No Report
 - 2) Democratic Club of North Santa Cruz County– Maryann Clare
 - i. We recognized Tim Willoughby as President Emeritus for his outstanding leadership during the turbulent past four years.
 - ii. Don Lane was our guest speaker. He is co-chair of Housing Santa Cruz County. He gave a very informative talk about this new organization dealing with Affordable Housing.
 - iii. We will again be giving out our "Democratic Ideals Award for Outstanding Youth" this year. These awards are given to two students that have demonstrated by their actions Democratic Ideals. Each winning student will receive \$500.00.

- iv. Please check out the new features that have been added to our clubs website. There is even a video on the front page that explains these features. www.svslvdemocrats.org
- 3) Democratic Women's Club – Molly Regan
 - i. No Report
- 4) MCDC – Denise Elerick
 - i. Elected new officers. Zach Friend spoke at our last meeting.
- 5) PVCCDC – Ray Cancino
 - i. No Report
- 6) People's Democratic Club- Franco Picarella
 - i. No Report
- IX. Allied Group Reports - **Please keep all reports to 2-minutes**
 - 1) Region 7 – Omar Torres
 - i. No Report
 - 2) CDP Rural Caucus – Glenn Glazer
 - i. Next meeting is Monday February 15 at 5pm, the featured item is presentations from the chair candidates.
 - 3) Housing Action Network – Diana Alfaro
 - i. No Report, ceding time to Don Lane
 - 4) Labor – Glen Schaller
 - i. No Report
 - 5) Swing Left – Rene Bloch
 - i. Our effort was a big success flipping the House, White House, and ultimately Senate over the past four years. The Georgia effort included fundraising, voter registration and get out the vote letter writing and phonebanks. This is a time for reviewing our situation and establishing new goals. 2021 will have some special election opportunities. 2022 has 20 Republican Senate seats and 14 Democratic seats available. We will likely support Congressional District 10 again and retry District 21 in 2022.
- X. SCCDCC Officer Elections
- XI. Public Comment and Announcements
- XII. Adjournment

Next E-board Meeting: February 10th, 2021 6:30pm Next General Meeting: February 24th, 2021 7:00p