Minutes of the Regular Meeting Potrero Hill Democratic Club Held September 4, 2012

- 1. The regular meeting of the Potrero Hill Democratic Club (the "<u>Club</u>") was held at the Potrero Hill Neighborhood House on September 4, 2012.
- 2. Endorsement ballots were distributed to the members of the Club.
- 3. The Club then heard the follow speakers present on the following topics:

Topic	Speaker(s)	Title/Affiliation
Yes on F	Mike Marshall and Chris Rico	Yosemite Restoration Campaign
		Campaign Manager, Save Hetch
No on F	John Gavin	Hetchy
		Region 4 Chair, California
No on 32	Brian Leubitz	Democratic Party
Yes on A	Alisa Messer	Protect Our City College Campaign
		Families to Amend California Three
Yes on 36	Annette Summers	Strikes
Yes on B	Rachel Donno-Taylor	Trust for Public Land
		Former Member, San Francisco
No on B	Aaron Peskin	Board of Supervisors
Yes on 32; No on 37; No on 36; No		
on 34	Monisha Mustapha	The Club
		San Francisco Volunteer Co-Chair,
Yes on 37	Liz Kroboth	Label GMOs Campaign
No on D	Terence Faulkner	San Francisco Republican Party
Yes on E	Kate Sofis	SFMade
No on 35	Rachel West	US PROStitutes collective
		Founder, Californians Against
Yes on 35	Daphne Phung	Slavery
		Contra Costa County Democratic
Yes on 30	(Sarah Butler - could not make it)	County Central Committee
No on A; No on C; No on E; No on		Outreach Director, Libertarian Party
G	Starchild	of San Francisco
		Organizer, Northern California
Yes on G	Helen Grieco	Common Cause
No on 30	Joni Eisen	The Club
		Latino Outreach Coordinator,
Yes on 39	Magdalena Carrasco	Proposition 39 Campaign
No on 39; Overview of Proposition		
31; Overview of Proposition 38; Yes		
on 40.	Joni Eisen	The Club
Yes on C	Amy Beinhart and Dan Adams	Yes on C Campaign
Overview of 33	J.R. Eppler	The Club
Yes on 34	Jan Adams	Field Director, Safe California

4. Following the presentations, Ms. Eisen announced that (i) on Thursday, September 6 at 6:00 pm, there would be a Democratic convention watch party held Laborers Local 261, 3271 18th Street, cosponsored by the Club; (ii) neighborhood phone banks for the Obama campaign were being held every Tuesday and Saturday; and (iii) that the Club was a sponsor for, and would have tables at, the Potrero Hill Festival held on October 20.

- 5. The Club then discussed the various ballot initiatives. A motion was made and duly seconded that the endorsement vote of Proposition 35 be postponed to the following meeting. The motion passed by a vote of fourteen to zero, with three votes abstaining.
- 6. The Club completed their discussion of the various ballot initiatives and the members returned their ballots. Ms. Eisen announced that the next meeting of the Club, a special endorsement meeting, would take place at the Potrero Hill Neighborhood House on September 11, 2012. There being no further business before the Club, Ms. Eisen then adjourned the meeting so that endorsement ballots could be counted.
- 7. Upon a count of the ballots completed and witnessed by a total of four Club members, the Club made the following endorsements:

For San Francisco Ballot Measures:

- Yes on A-City College Parcel Tax
- No on B-Clean and Safe Neighborhood Parks Bond
- No position on C-Housing Trust Fund
- Yes on D-Consolidating Odd-year Municipal Elections
- Yes on E-Gross Receipts Tax
- No on F-Water and Environment Plan
- Yes on G-Policy Opposing Corporate Personhood

For California State Propositions:

- Yes on 30-Temporary Taxes to Fund Education, Guaranteed Local Public Safety Funding
- No on 31-State Budget, State and Local Government
- No on 32-Political Contributions by Payroll Deduction, Contributions to Candidate (Unanimous)
- No on 33-Auto Insurance Companies, Prices Based on Driver's History of Insurance Coverage
- Yes on 34-Death Penalty (Repeal)
- Yes on 36-Three Strikes Law, Repeat Felony Offenders, Penalties (Unanimous)
- Yes on 37-Genetically Engineered Foods, Labeling
- No position on 38-Tax to Fund Education and Early Childhood Programs
- Yes on 39-Tax Treatment for Multistate Businesses, Clean Energy and Energy Efficiency Funding
- Yes on 40-Redistricting, State Senate Seats

Respectfully submitted, J.R. Eppler, Secretary