



District 8 Community Round Table – D8CRT

Meeting Minutes

October 4, 2018 @ 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Village Square Library Community Room

4001 Evergreen Village Square, San Jose, CA 95135

Membership Attendees: Steve Bennette, Christopher Corpus, Sherry Gilmore, Dan Gould, Derek Grasty, Gwendolyn Kyle, Luc Ha Le, Wesley Lee, Marilyn Leonard, Bonnie Mace, Peter McNerney, Sandra Randles, Robert Reese, Daniel Reyes, Burton Smith, Francisca Taro, Pat Waite, Glen Wetzel, Jim Zito

1. Call to order
2. President's Report (Pat Waite)
 - a. The Steering Committee has requested volunteers for the Nominating Committee which develops a slate of candidates for Steering Committee positions. The slate will be announced at the November meeting, where floor nominations will also be accepted. Lacking volunteers, the existing Steering Committee members will act as the Nominating Committee.
 - b. There will be a D8CRT sponsored candidates forum for Evergreen School District Board of Trustees candidates on October 9th at Grace Church, beginning at 7:00pm.
3. Report from SJPD (Lt. Jorge Gutierrez)
 - a. 50% increase in carjacking, many by minors. Eastridge and King Corridor are highest risk areas.
 - b. So far this year Patrol has recovered 160 weapons city wide.
 - c. 21% increase in city wide burglaries.
4. Review of state propositions (Martha Beattie & Connie Hunter from the League of Women Voters)
 - a. Martha & Connie provided information on state propositions 1, 5, 6, & 10. Information included what a yes or no vote means and who are the major supporters and opponents of the various measures.
5. Presentation by proponent of San Jose Measures T & V (Mackenzie Mossing)
6. Presentation by opponent of San Jose Measures T & V (Mark Hinkle)
7. John Hirokawa and Laurie Smith, candidates for County Sheriff each talked to the community for fifteen minutes.
8. Endorsements for November Election
 - a. Measure EE
 - i. Proponents for Measure EE (Bonnie Mace, Jim Zito) outlined why voters should approve EE.
 - ii. Mark Hinkle explained why voters should vote no on EE.
 - iii. **Upon a motion moved (Sherry Gilmore) and seconded (Marilyn Leonard) the District 8 Community Round Table voted 17-0 (with one abstention) to endorse Measure EE.**
 - b. Measure T
 - i. **Upon a motion moved (Bonnie Mace) and seconded (Robert Reese) the District 8 Community Round Table voted 8-6 with 5 abstentions to endorse Measure T.**
 - c. Measure V
 - i. **Upon a motion moved (Bonnie Mace) and seconded (Sherry Gilmore) the District 8 Community Round Table voted 8-3 to endorse Measure V.**

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9. Report from elected officials
 - a. City Council (Lauren Urhausen)
 - i. Day in the Park is on October 13 at Lake Cunningham
10. Upcoming Meetings (all meetings are at Village Square Library unless otherwise noted)
 - a. November 1st – Health insurance information, nominations for Steering Committee
 - b. December 6th – Steering Committee election, Pot Luck dinner, local history
 - c. January 10th – TBD (please note that this is the 2nd Thursday of January)
11. Adjourn