

## Potrero Hill Democratic Club 4/10/07 Meeting Minutes

I. Joni Eisen called the meeting to order sometime after 7PM.

II. Agenda & minutes were approved.

### III. Committee Reports

- A. Treasurer – Dick Millet was absent. We have about \$700 in the bank.
- B. DemocratsWork - Thomas Bates reported on a successful day at Juri Commons in the Mission, complete with candidate visits from State Senator Carole Migden and challenger Assemblyman Mark Leno.
- C. T-shirts – Alyssa Levine, Kate Hilsenbeck. Discussion of T-shirt design – we definitely want to do another “Potrero Hill 94107” run - and sources for union printing. Rafael will help find a union shop.

### IV. Program

- A. Introduction – Alyssa Levine
- B. Special guests from the San Francisco Democratic Party: Patty Senecal, Field Organizer, Scott Wiener, Chair, and Rafael Mandelman, Vice Chair. Scott welcomed us as a newly re-chartered club, and Patty discussed local voter registration activities, taking questions as she spoke. She suggested we commit to one day a month to register voters, with members taking one to two hour shifts. Safeway at Potrero Center, in front of Potrero Terrace Market, and in front of Good Life Grocery were mentioned as possible venues. PAC chair Rebecca Shearin will get the necessary materials from Patty, and we'll have our first go at it the following Saturday at the T-Third light rail opening celebration in the Bayview.

### V. Unfinished business

- A. Replacement Secretary. The club nominated Kate Hilsenbeck as Secretary, to replace Thomas who is moving away. She was elected by acclamation.
- B. Web site. Thomas described what the host Blue Utopia provides, and members discussed what we would need. Joni reported that JC Prenner will be our webmaster, maintaining the site once Thomas gets it up and running. A motion to spend the money for it – up to \$400 setup fee, \$30 per month – was passed. Thomas will contact the host and get things going.

### VI. New business

- A. Suggestions from members for future programs: an environmental panel with speakers from different organizations; a speaker from Muni to discuss city public transit concerns (there are many); Supervisor Maxwell; someone from Speaker Pelosi's office.

### VII. Announcements and adjournment

- A. Following announcements of upcoming events, the meeting was adjourned some time before 9PM