Minutes of the Potrero Hill Democratic Club March 1, 2011

- 1. The meeting of the Potrero Hill Democratic Club (the "<u>PHDC</u>") was held at the Potrero Hill Neighborhood House on March 1, 2011.
- 2. Joni Eisen called the meeting to order at 7:15 pm local time.
- 3. The minutes of the February 1, 2011 meeting of the PHDC were approved by acclamation
- 4. Ms. Eisen reported that Isaac Bowers, First Vice President and Membership Chair of the PHDC would be leaving San Francisco for a job opportunity in the District of Columbia and would thus resign his position. Ms. Eisen opened nominations for candidates for the First Vice President and Membership Chair.
- 5. J.R. Eppler nominated Bill Barnes for First Vice President and Membership Chair. Monisha Mustapha accepted the nomination on behalf of Mr. Barnes, who was not in attendance at the meeting.
- 6. The program, a panel discussion on Governor Brown's budget proposal to eliminate community redevelopment agencies, then commenced. Marisa Lagos, Political Reporter for the San Francisco Chronicle, moderated the conversation among the following panelists:
 - Saul Bloom, Executive Director, Arc Ecology
 - Olson Lee, Deputy Executive Director, San Francisco Redevelopment Agency
 - Calvin Welch, Program Director, San Francisco Information Clearinghouse
 - Carroll Wills, Communications Director, California Professional Firefighters.

7. Announcements:

- On Sunday, March 20, PHDC will register voters at Sunday Streets. Volunteers were requested for this event.
- 8. There being no further business before the PHDC, Ms. Eisen announced that the next meeting would take place on April 5, 2011 and, at 8:48 pm, adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully submitted, J.R. Eppler, Secretary