

## 070521 DONV ExCom Meeting Minutes

Attending: Johanna O’Kelley, Chris Benz, Buck Donnelly, Richard Bruns, Conchita Marusich, Tricia Baldwin

### Agenda:

I. Call to order 5:08 pm

II. July 19 DONV General Meeting

Title: Housing in Napa Valley: From Homelessness to Second Homes

Moderator: Mary Luros, Napa City Council

Speakers:

Molly Rattigan, City of Napa, Director of Homeless Services

- Homeless Services

Abode Services

- The Face of Homelessness

Bob Massaro, Napa Housing Coalition

- Workforce Housing

Larry Florin, CEO Burbank Housing

- Affordable Housing

Vin Smith, City of Napa

- ADU’s, VRBOs, and AirBnBs

Ellen Haberle, Pacaso Homes

- Second Homes: Co-Ownership

III. Brainstorm for August 16 DONV General Meeting Moderator: Suzanne Truchard (Candidate for Supervisor District 1)

Suzanne’s ideas: Voter Suppression, Stacey Abrams/ Beto O’Rourke, Democracy Docket

JOK: Concerned about availability of speakers

Other ideas: Terry had idea about education; Senator Dodd is hosting Town Hall on Education & Innovation(during the pandemic); Republicans focusing on electing School Boards; Civic Education Bill in Florida

Recall Election, September 14—G. Anthony might have speaker suggestions

Latinx Community—get out the vote (for Democratic Party)

Worker shortage in Napa (commercial and agricultural) + Tourism income post-pandemic

Future of ag with changing climatic conditions (heat and drought)

Immigration Reform from the Latinx point of view; update on Biden Admin actions

Update on Policing in Napa—gang activity; new police chief; new sheriff; changes in response to Black Lives Matter protests; incarceration in California

IV. Ideas for Sept. 20 meeting – see above

V. Newsom Recall Election - Sept. 14—JOK will get volunteers involved;

DONV roster needs to be submitted to CADEM ~ July 20, this will determine how many votes we get in CADEM endorsements for 2022 election

VI. Approve Continuation of Hootsuite for 1 yr. - \$650 --This is program that manages our Social Media accounts and gathers data on social media views. Have been on 90-day trial. Can use to influence voters. Tricia and JOK have been posting and both say Hootsuite makes job easier. Chris motions paying \$650 for Hootsuite, Buck seconds. Vote: Unanimous approval.