Democrats of Napa Valley Club Endorse Candidates and Initiatives in June Primary

Thursday, April 19, 2018

*Members of the Democrats of Napa Valley Club Voted to Endorse Candidates and Initiatives at the Federal, State, Regional and County Levels.*

**Napa, CA** -- The Democrats of Napa Valley Club announced its endorsement of the candidates and key measures, that received the required 67% of the members’ votes, at the Monday, April 16 Endorsement Meeting.

Candidates spoke to a packed house at the Napa County Library on Monday, such as Pat Harris for US Senate and Ruben K. Major for CA Secretary of State. Also, campaign directors/managers spoke on behalf of their candidates: Eleni Kounalakis for Lt. Governor; Malia Cohen for Board of Equalization, District 2; Cecilia Aguiar-Curry for State Assembly, District 4.

There was a lively and informational exchange with speakers on several important Measures as well: Napa County Measures C and D, and Regional Measure 3.

“The Democrats of Napa Valley Club strives to provide opportunities to meet and learn about candidates as well as a forum and information on Initiatives,” said Johanna O’Kelley, President of the Democrats of Napa Valley Club. “It was heartening to see so many of our Members and engaged citizens take time out of their busy lives to learn how they can help make Napa County, California, and the country better.”

The following Candidates and Measures received a minimum of 67% of the Democrats of Napa Valley Club Members’ votes, which is the threshold needed for the Club to make an endorsement:

Mike Thompson, US Representative, District 5  
Eleni Kounalakis, Lt. Governor  
Betty Yee, Controller  
Fiona Ma, Treasurer  
Malia Cohen, Board of Equalization, District 2  
Cecilia Aguiar-Curry, Assembly Member, District 4  
Brad Wagenknecht, Board of Supervisors, District 1  
Diane Dillon, Board of Supervisors, District 3  
Measure D

Regional Measure 3

Proposition 68

"The Democrats of Napa Valley Club will proudly mobilize our members to elect our endorsed candidates and pass our endorsed measures,” said Johanna O’Kelley.

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**About the Democrats of Napa Valley Club**

The Democrats of Napa Valley Club is Napa County’s largest Democratic Club, encompassing the areas from Napa to Calistoga & Angwin. Our purpose is to advance Democratic values and elect Democratic candidates to local, state, and national offices. We care for the environment, affordable education and homes that are affordable, health care for all, immigrant rights, and equal pay for equal work through grassroots organizing and public education. For more information, visit [www.napavalleydems.org](https://napavalleydems.org/)