

CORONADO DEMOCRATIC CLUB GENERAL MEETING

UNAPPROVED

June 9, 2022, 6:30 p.m.

Winn Room, Coronado Library, 640 Orange Ave, Coronado

I. **Call to Order** – President Marely Ramirez at 7:04 p.m.

II. **Pledge of Allegiance** – led by President Marely Ramirez

III. **Approval of the Agenda** – approved as distributed

IV. Introductions

- a. President Marely Ramirez wishes everyone a happy Pride month.
- b. Doug Case – representing Senator Atkins. Budget bill is going through next week. He updated everyone on 3 issues:
 - i. Senator Atkins is sponsoring a State constitutional amendment for a specific right to abortion and contraception. It will go to the voters in November 2022 if it makes it through the legislature.
 - ii. California Dream for All program – purpose is to help first-time homebuyers in California. The state would invest with a first-time homebuyer of low to medium income. The state would put down a certain percentage. \$1 billion will be put into the fund this year and the next 10 years to assist.
 - iii. Senate Bill 1013 – would make wine bottles and liquor bottles part of the CA recycling program.
- c. Alexia Palacios-Peters, CUSD School Board candidate

V. **Approval of Minutes** - approved May 21, 2022, as distributed

VI. Standing and Special Committee Reports

- a. **GO Team** – presented by Frank King
 - i. Canvassing has started. The primary was a low turnout. The canvassing will pick up for the November 2022 general election race.
- b. **Fourth of July Parade** – presented by Patti Flores-Charter
 - i. July 2, 2022 will be the paint-in where you can come paint signs. There will be t-shirts for all who march in the parade. There will also be decorations for people to use.
- c. **Strategic Implementation Committee** – presented by Judy Bambace and Gail Bardin
 - i. The CDC recently met with the CHS Young Dems for lunch.

- ii. Upcoming events
 - 1. Coffee in the Cays – 10:30 am on June 11, 2022 at Jamaica Village Clubhouse
 - 2. March for our Lives – June 11, 2022 at 10:30 am
 - 3. Family Friendly beach party this Summer – TBD
 - 4. Concert in the Park – August 21, 2022
 - 5. Holiday Happy Hour – December 2022
 - 6. Skating by the Sea at the Hotel Del – tentative December 2022
- iii. Club Cookbook is being organized by Jill Rooney. Submit your recipes to her.
- d. Other
 - i. Hospitality – presented by President Marely Ramirez on behalf of Jenna McIntosh
 - 1. Please bring your own cup from home for water, coffee, and tea.
 - 2. Needs volunteers to bring snacks so everyone shares the load.
 - ii. The Mercy Mandelbaum award presented by Susan Marrinan to Gail Bardin.

VII. Treasurer's Report – presented by Pat Callahan

- a. Expenses were \$649.
- b. Income was \$118.82
- c. Our balance is \$6,171.37

VIII. Program Speaker: Angelle Maua. Topic: BIPOC/QTPOC Mental Health and Homelessness Disparities.

Bio: Angelle (they.she.elle) is a very proud queer femme parent of a transgender young adult, and it was through their child's transition they noticed the need for safer BIPOC confidential spaces for support in LGBTQIA+ communities of color, especially the Black/African American communities in North and Southeast San Diego Counties. It was because of this void in the BIPOC LGBTQIA+ communities that the Gender Phluid Collective (GPC) support groups and other services have formed. Their work mainly focuses on transgender, nonbinary, and gender non-conforming communities to help ensure they have spaces where they can be 100% authentic and affirmed. For more information, visit the Trevor Project's National Survey on LGBTQ Youth Mental Health 2021. She will give a presentation on pronouns on June 22, 2022 via Zoom.

IX. Unfinished Business - none

X. New Business - none

XI. Announcements

- a. Need someone to help programs chair – 2 hours a month
- b. Need someone to help our communications committee.
- c. Looking for someone to help with Angelle's Zoom presentation.

XII. Adjourned at 8:30 pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Alexia Palacios-Peters, Secretary