

AFT 2121 General Membership Meeting Minutes
March 25, 2014 Ocean Campus, MUB 255

1. Call to Order. President announced that SF Board of Supervisors unanimously approved resolution to restore CCSF Board of Trustees
2. **M/S/P to approve minutes of Oct. 15, 2013 with some formatting changes.**
3. Delegates reported on CFT Convention.
 - a. Resolution in support of changing repeatability regulations passed.
 - b. 2121 received 12 communications awards
 - c. Other locals expressed gratitude and admiration for our work to save CCSF
 - d. connected our work with bigger picture
4. Cal Labor Federation will hold pre-primary convention in Oakland. Members nominated Alisa Messer, Fred Glass, Alan Fisher, Rodger Scott, Tim Killikelly to represent 2121 at the convention. **m/s/p to approve Alisa Messer, Fred Glass, Alan Fisher, Rodger Scott, Tim Killikelly as representatives.**
5. Legislative report:
 - a. Senate Bill on **funding stabilization**: Mark Leno has removed mention of special trustee from the bill; however, other parties are advocating for requiring special trustee with extraordinary powers as a condition of funding stabilization. To pass, we need every democrat, plus 3 republicans to vote in support.
 - b. **AB 1942** ACCJC Reform Bill. Community College League has rejected it.
 - c. **AB 2087** Ammiano's bill forbidding the revocation of Board of Trustees, has also been attacked by Community College League.
6. Organizing Report:
 - a. **Rally** in Chinatown
 - b. Raised \$1600 in 45 minutes to make **bail** for Otto. Seeking further donations to spread this cost out among more members. Contact Ona to donate.
 - c. **Presentations** about City College at various community groups
 - d. **Bargaining survey** is key to future contract negotiations because it gives us power at the table and allows us to understand members' priorities.
 - e. Members participated in an **exercise in identifying organizing issues** in workplace, distinguishing between organizing issues and individual issues:
 - i. widely felt
 - ii. deeply felt
 - iii. winnable
 - iv. builds union & builds leadership
7. Officer, precinct, delegate and executive board nominations:
 - a. Member organizing committee has reorganized precincts and is envisioning a more active role for precinct representatives – regular communication with precinct members.
 - b. Elections committee nominations: Malaika Finkelstein, Kathleen Duffy, Vicki Legion, Susanna Atwood, Kim Lee. **m/s/p to approve elections committee.**
 - c. **4 officers, 6 delegates at large** (7 if no part-timer is among those six), plus precinct.
 - d. Nominations:
 - **President**: Tim Killikelly
 - **VP**: Alan D'Souza, Kovac Williamson, Mike Estrada
 - **Secretary**: Jessica Buchsbaum

- **Treasurer:** Nancy Mackowsky
 - **Representatives at large:** Fred Chavaria, Ann Fontenella, Janey Skinner, Li Miao Lovett, Billington Mbolu, Wendy Kaufmyn, Alisa Messer, Mike Estrada, Wendy Miller, Allan Fisher, Roger Scott, Jenny Worley, Kovak Williamson, Alison Datz, Galina Gerisamova, Patty Chong-Delon, Margaret Hanzimanolis, Harry Bernstein, Richard Baum
 - **Labor council:** Roger Scott, Alisa Messer, Galina Gerisamova, Bob Price, Allan Fisher, Tim Killikelly, Bill Shields, Jim McKinney, Alan D'souza, Wendy Kaufmyn, Ana Fisher, Fred Chavaria, Wendy Miller, Harry Bernstein, Felita Clark, Kathe Burick
 - **AFT Convention Delegate:** All above nominated. Ann Killibrew, Debra Wilensky, Kim Lee, Ray Berrard, Joe Barry, Erin Denney, Sarah Thompson, Aliya Dunn, Leslie Simon, Dana Labreque, Nora Goodfriend Koven, Doug Orr, Eva Chen, Lynn Schneider, Alicia Wong, Jim Torlakson
 - Members nominated **precinct delegates** by writing their names on posters.
 - **m/s/p to amend precinct structure**
8. Bylaws and constitution Alan D'Souza reviewed proposed changes (appendix A) to bylaws and constitution. **M/s/p to put suggested changes on the ballot for upcoming elections.**
 9. **M/s/p to adjourn to a cope meeting**
 10. COPE Meeting
 - SF Labor Council is the only local honored with an award at COPE Banquet, April 24
 - **M/s/p to buy table (\$2250), and an ad for \$700 thanking Labor Council.**
 - We have endorsed David Campos for state assembly. Maximum donation amount is \$4100; we currently have \$8400.
 - **m/s/p to donate \$4100 to David Campos campaign.** 1 abstention.
 - Saturday is kick off for Campos campaign, need volunteers to attend kick off at 10am, 3143 Mission @ Precita.
 - Wednesday evening, "100 Women for Campos" at the Marsh.
 - Alan suggested everyone donate \$21.21 to cope.
 9. **M/s/p to adjourn back to General Membership meeting.**
 10. Elections chair closed the Nominations.
 11. New Business:
 - a. President discussed CCSF student Alejandro Nieto was shot and killed by SFPD. Townhall meeting at 6pm tonight.
 - b. Thurs 6:30 MUB 140 Micah Utrecht, author of *Strike Against Austerity* about CTU strike and organizing effort.
 - c. We have several copies of *How to Jumpstart Your Union* for sale, \$12.
 - d. Bay Area Rainbow Symphony, Sat. 8, Sun. 4, \$5 student tickets.
 - e. Info on El Salvador election 6501 Telegraph Ave. Ana has flyers.
 12. Adjourned in name of Alejandro Nieto