

Stonewall Democrats of San Antonio

Membership Meeting

April 20, 2015

Luby's Cafeteria 911 N. Main

Meeting called to order at 6:40pm

The minutes from the March 2015 Membership meeting were distributed.
Approved as presented.

Guests, candidates, and new members were recognized.

Tomorrow 4/21 is Vincent Enriquez's birthday

Treasurer's Report - \$13,384.09

\$4,000 to City Council and School Board candidates. We have \$1500 on hold for a run-off election if needed.

Endorsement committee - Campaign contributions:

Mayor Mike Villarreal \$1,000.00

City Council Dist 2 and 6 \$ 250.00

Dist 4,5,7, and 8 \$ 500.00

School Board candidate Scott Meltzer \$250.00 and \$100.00 to each
Velma Ybarra, Carlos Quezada, and Theo Castillo

Guest Speaker: The candidates for Dist 124 Ina Minjarez was here to address the members. Delicia Herrera sent a written acknowledgement and thanks for our support.

Equality Forward Summit - There was a state wide board meeting which was well represented. There were several different conferences that dealt with , getting out the vote, with discussion by Battle Ground Texas, and the impact of Gay marriage in Texas was also discussed. It is estimated that after the first 4 years, there will be \$189 million more revenue for the state. The Democratic State Convention will be held in June and the guest speaker

will be Hillary Clinton. Increase in *membership unity amongst the state* was a topic of discussion. There will be a *Day of Decision Rally in Dallas* around the Supreme Court possible decision in June. They asked if San Antonio had anything planned. There was also discussion as to the clarity on the chapters activities so that there is unity amongst the state.

The City Council passed Ray Saldana's efforts to get the NDO included in the resolution to Austin.

SDSA would like to start 2 committees: Increase membership and Communications. If anyone would be interested in serving or chairing one of these committes, please contact Carolee Moore or Vincent Enriquez.

Meeting adjourned at 7:22pm

Secretary

Jeanie Minor

Approved by SDSA on _____