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DAVIS DEMOCRATIC CLUB

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by Dan Carson

Davis is special. Over many decades, we have intentionally designed our community to reflect, encourage, and support our core values. We gather for Farmer's Market or music in our downtown common space and play sports in our parks, we're proud to be a leader in bike- and walkability, and we love that our family-friendly town feels safe and secure. Voting **Yes on Q is critical continuing this life** which we so cherish.

Measure Q is supported by every Davis City Councilmember, the Davis Chamber of Commerce, Davis police officers, and many former and current local leaders because it generates crucial revenue for public safety, community public space, recreation programs, bike paths, and roadway maintenance.

Through the renewal of an existing 1 percent city add-on sales tax, Measure Q continues approximately \$9 million of annual revenue to our General Fund budget. These resources are fundamental for maintaining the services that support our quality of life.

Measure Q:

- **Does NOT increase taxes**
- Tax dollars stay local for the benefit of Davis residents; by law, revenue from this measure cannot be taken by the State.
- Provides critical funding for Davis firefighters and police; helps maintain emergency response times
- Is necessary for ongoing road repair and maintenance
- Supports public open space, recreation programs, and parks
- Continues funding for sidewalks and bike paths
- Funds are reviewed annually by an independent auditor and the Davis Finance and Budget Commission
- Allows for exemptions for essential purchases like groceries and medicine

If you would like to know more about Measure Q, please contact Yes on Q campaign co-chair Dan Carson at daniel.c.carson@gmail.com or 530 212-0833. Additional background information on Measure Q can be found on our website at www.renewdavis.com.

We can't take voters for granted on a matter this important and we are counting on your help to pass Measure Q. Please consider contributing financially to our campaign effort, joining our list of more than 100 campaign endorsers, signing up for a lawn sign, or volunteering to help table or walk precincts or phone bank in the critical weeks ahead. You can plug into our campaign easily at www.renewdavis.com or our Facebook page @YesOnQ or by calling or emailing Dan Carson.

We've already built a broad coalition of endorsers and supporters of Measure Q. That includes such leaders of the Davis Democratic Club as former City Councilman Stephen Souza, Arun Sen, Dillan Horton, Linda Deos, and Bob Bockwinkel.

Please join Assemblymember Helen Thomson (ret.), Assemblymember Mariko Yamada (ret.), former Davis Mayor and State Senator Lois Wolk (ret.), County Supervisors Don Saylor and Jim Provenza, Davis first responders, every City Councilmember, and a long list of former mayors, councilmembers, and community leaders in **asking that you VOTE YES ON Q to preserve the community we love and maintain our quality of life.**



Democratic News

Calendar of Events & Campaign Activities

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Tues., Jan. 7, 7:00-9:00 pm. Monthly Board Meeting, Hosted by Stephen Souza at his home 2424 Rodin, Davis. The Board conducts routine business and plans future events. All members are invited.

Tues., Feb 4, 7:00-9:00 pm. Monthly Board Meeting. Small Room of the Davis Library. The Board conducts routine business and plans future events. All members are invited.

Love Your Electeds: TBA This annual Valentine themed party to express our appreciation for the service provided by local elected leaders will be held in early February.

Holiday Party

Stephen and Robin graciously hosted the annual Holiday Party at their home. The highlight of the party was a medley of politically themed "Christmas Carols" which were composed and presented by the Raging Grannies. The Grannies are a hoot, and we thank them for enlivening our celebration. There was a huge buffet dinner courtesy of those attending complemented with holiday beverage provided by the Club and, also by Steve Souza, who is trying to reduce his home storage. In the same Holiday Spirit and to further reduce household clutter, Steve presented each guest with a neat present. (Additional photos, p.3)

DDC DONORS BENEFACTOR

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Davis Democratic Club Board Elections

The Davis Democratic Club Board (*consisting of President, Vice President, Recording Secretary, Membership Chair, Treasurer and Publicity Chair*) is elected for a two-year term of office, which expires March 2020. **The election for these offices will be held at the 7:00 pm, Tuesday, March 10 meeting of the Board at 2424 Rodin-Stephen Souza's home.** Prior to and at this meeting Club Members may nominate themselves or other Members to be candidates for these offices. All dues current members are eligible to vote at the election meeting. Presently, all current Board Members have agreed to serve as candidates for their incumbent positions as follows: Steve Souza, Pres.; Rick Gonzales, Vice Pres.; Richard Yamagata, Recording Sec'y; Saira Delgada, Membership Chair; Treasurer, Amir Alsawaf, and Publicity Chair, Giles Giovanazzi.

In addition to service as Board Officers, Club Members are also invited to join the Board as voting members to help administer the Club. Your participation is indeed welcome and encouraged in this crucial presidential election year.

Democratic Newsletter

Annual Love your
"Electeds" Party
TBA February

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