

Sudbury Democratic Town Committee (SDTC)
Minutes of the meeting of 27 October 2004

The meeting was convened at 7:15 pm in the Unitarian Church by Chairperson Beverly Guild. Twelve persons were in attendance, of which eleven were Committee members, as documented by the attached attendance record

The minutes of the previous meeting of 8 September, that had been vetted by email and also available in printed form at the meeting, were approved without change. According to those minutes, the next scheduled meeting date was 7 October, but the meeting was postponed by general agreement via email until 27 October.

Helga Andrews, Treasurer, reported assets of about \$\$430, after clearing expenses and political distributions in connection with the fund raising affair featuring Robert Drinan on 19 September. She further reported that the affair raised about \$5600 after expenses, most of which was distributed to various state candidates, the U.S. Senate Campaign Committee, and the Massachusetts Democratic Committee. Details will appear in a subsequent Treasurer's report.

The only new business of the meeting consisted of official rounds of applause and thanks to those who served the Committee well over the past year. Those specified by name were Claire Schlosser (in absentia) for heading up the fund raiser in September, Susan Thel and Jeanne Maloney for having served as team leaders on the fund raiser, Henry Noer for his tireless work on the town meeting resolution against the USA-Patriot Act and in organizing our presentation on Sudbury Day, Helga Andrews for handling monetary distributions after the fund raising event, Thomas Hollocher for minutes, and Beverly Guild for presiding over all the meetings and steering us in political matters.

Arrangements were made for display of political signs on Saturday morning, 30 October, on the town common and on election day, 2 November, at Sudbury's two polling sites.

After setting **the next meeting for 7:15 pm on Monday 15 November at the Unitarian Church of Sudbury**, the meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm.

Announcements

If you have not already done so, please forward your 2004 dues of \$25 minimum, c/o SDTC, to Helga Andrews, 11 Maple Ave., Sudbury. Dues were expected on or about 1 January 2004.

Please remember to submit to the Secretary a copy of text or outline of verbal reports made at meetings, particularly if the report is long or complex. This is the only way to assure that an accurate summary is entered into the minutes.

Thomas Hollocher, Secretary, 28 October 2004.