

Sudbury Democratic Town Committee (SDTC)
Minutes of the Meeting of 12 March 2014

Chairperson Beverly Guild convened the meeting promptly at 7:15 p.m. at the Sudbury Grange Hall. Seventeen members were in attendance. State Committeewoman Sue Kennedy from Action was a guest in attendance along with four local guests. The attendance sign-in sheet is included with the permanent records of the Committee.

Minutes: The minutes of the January 8, 2014 meeting were approved with a correction regarding Ms. Vitvitsky.

Treasurer's Report: Ms. Moeller provided the Treasurer's Report. The committee has total funds on hand of \$741.22, of which \$163.42 represents amounts raised for candidate support from committee fundraising, and \$578.30 represents unrestricted operating funds. 15 members have paid 2014 dues at this point.

Carmine Gentile Campaign: Going well, no Republican candidate has emerged yet. Has 200+ signatures for ballot.

Town Elections: Briefly discussed. Mr. Gentile endorsed Mr. Drobinski, Ellen Joachim. An interesting discussion ensued with regard to the need for a new police station. No consensus on the expensive project.

Funding Senator Barrett's Campaign: Mr. Riordan moved to fund \$150. Mr. Offner seconded. Accepted Mr. Chauls amendment to provide a similar contribution to Sen. Eldridge if and when he has a Republican opponent. Approved unanimously as amended.

Breakfasts: The April 13 M&W Breakfast and the 3rd MAD May 3 Breakfast were noted. Attendance was encouraged.

Future 2014 Meeting Dates: May 14, June 11, Aug. 13, Sept. 10, Oct. 8, Nov. 12. Annual Holiday Party Dec. 6th.

Membership: Mr. Offner, Mr. Chaul 2nd motion to approve Tania Vitvitsky to full membership. Approved unanimously. Mr. Noer motion, Mr. Offner second to approve associate membership for Ms. Carlson, Ms. Silverman and Mr. Abrams. Unanimous approval.

Old Business: By-laws still need minor editing. Mr. Noer raised the notion that it would be a good idea to require that amended by-laws be approved over two consecutive meetings. Work is ongoing.

New Business: There was none. The next meeting was announced for Monday, April 7, 2014 at the Grange Hall.

Adjourn: The meeting was adjourned at 9:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, John Riordan, Secretary, April 7, 2014