

Sudbury Democratic Town Committee (SDTC)

Minutes of the Meeting of 7 April 2014

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

Minutes: The minutes of the March 12, 2014 meeting were approved with a correction regarding the spelling of Mr. Chauls name.

Treasurer's Report: Ms. Moeller provided the Treasurer's Report. The committee has total funds on hand of \$743.72, of which \$13.42 represents amounts raised for candidate support from committee fundraising, and \$730.30 represents unrestricted operating funds. 19 members have paid 2014 dues year to date.

Carmine Gentile Campaign: No Republican candidate has emerged yet. There will be an event for Carmine Gentile at Ms. Betty Thorner's home on Plympton Road on April 27, 2014 from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Mr. Offner's Reflections on Town Elections: Mr. Offner made a presentation on his observations on the recent Town elections and the import for future elections in town.

Lieutenant Governor's 3rd MAD Forum: There was a wide ranging discussion of the performance of the Democratic candidates for Lt. Governor. Views of the candidates differed quite sharply among those who were present and witnessed their performance.

Elected to Membership: Ms. Kay Silverman, Associate Member, was nominated by Ms. Guild and seconded by Ms. Yarbrough to be a full member of the committee. The motion carried unanimously. Ms. Silverman was warmly welcomed to the committee.

Old Business: None

New Business: Mr. Chauls informed the committee that there would be a signature collection effort for Don Berwick at the Shaw's Market on Saturday, April 12, 2014. All were invited to participate. Ms. Moeller, Treasurer, reported on the OCPF event regarding Massachusetts campaign finance rules and regulations to be held in Marlborough on April 30, 2014 at 6:30 p.m. at the Public Library on West main Street..

Adjourn: The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, John Riordan, Secretary, May 14, 2014