

**MINUTES OF ACT STEERING COMMITTEE AND
PASADENA ARROYO DEM CLUB (PADC)
JUNE 5, 2025**

ATTENDEES: Sally Beer, Jon Fuhrman, Ann Hickambottom, Karen Wingard, Marilee Marshall, Bruce Wright, Beth Gertmenian, Teresa Lamb Simpson, Karen Rowinsky, Cheryl Brickey, Tim Wendler, Fred Register, Arden Beer, Karen Breau, Tammy Silver, Ron Garber, Darla Dyson and Barbara Paul.

CALL TO ORDER: By ACT Director Jon Fuhrman at 7:36pm, hosted by Office for LA Fire Justice/ Assemblymember Chris Holden(Ret).

INTRODUCTION OF STEERING COMMITTEE AND GUESTS

PRESENTATION: Intro by Darla Dyson, Aide for State Senator Sasha Renee Perez, 25th State Senate District:

Speaker Senator Perez is sponsoring several bill as they relate to Jan 7 fire in her district affecting Altadena, Sierra Madre and Pasadena restoration. What a way to kick off her first term. Kathryn Barger working on getting the 3 county parks open. Farnsworth's building above the amphitheater is gone, but most is unscathed. The CA budget crunch will affect this entire restoration!

The Altadena Community Land Trust will play an active role in monitoring this agenda. Critical to get people into housing. The Land Bank is protecting those displaced in Altadena from private investors taking advantage of the situation, big issue. Difficult to assess the lots as they existed before the fire. Dirt has been dug up, removed and leveled for testing.

Followed by Q's, A's. discussion ensued re prioritizing what is best for the public to do right now to assist.

ACT resumed 8:05.

MINUTES: Motion: Approval of May 1, 2025 Minutes distributed by email. Second. No discussion. CFV All Ayes No Nays No Abstain. MP

TREASURER, E. D. REPORTS: Per Jon, detailed Reports distributed by e-mail re period ending May 28, 2025:

Operating	\$13,263.83
ACT/PADC POLITICAL	\$15,703.94
JB Fund	\$ 742.33
Total Operating	\$16,446.27
ACT Political	\$28,567.88
ACT Dem Victory Fund	\$ 2,752.22

Households	145(renewal rate 50%)
New	17
Membership Income	\$ 9,385.12
Political Account	\$ 4,194.00
ACT Members	202
ACT/PADC	167

The Treasurer's Report is moved, received for filing.

CO-CHAIR REPORT: Everything coming along.

SPECIAL REPORT: June 14, big protest day nationwide, Tesla 11am to 1pm, then Lake and Colorado 2pm.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

RESEARCH: No Report

PROGRAM: Per Ron, our Annual Potluck on July 10, will host a panel discussion re what our paths of resistance look like.

INTERNET: Tammy suggested we post photos from the protest at Tesla on our website. That led to a discussion of other venues we can post photos (even MSNBC has found us), Instagram account, Blue Sky, Cheryl will start that up. Fred will post article in Phx. By Labor Day, Fred hopes to have 3-4 people trained to assist Fred (who is still displaced from his home).

FUNDRAISING: Judy Boggs Intern Fund received a nice boost as the Hains family included that request for donations at Chuck's Memorial. Thank you to the family.

MEMBERSHIP: Per Jon, presently at 18 new members.

PHOENIX: Articles, photos, please forward to Susan, Sally, Tues deadline.

NEXT MTG: July 10, Potluck, 6:30-7:45pm, at the charming home of Tim, Joanne Wendler, need extra chairs 30-40, chair Greg Harrison.

OLD /NEW BUSINESS, ANNOUNCEMENTS: Sally updated us re Jeanette Mann, continuing with some improvement.

ACT ADJOURNED: 8:27pm

PADC CALL TO ORDER: 8:28pm by Tim Wendler. Update of State Convention, a bit more subdued than previous conventions. Cheryl seconded that! Adam delivered a fired up speech. Booker and Walz spoke. Dolores Huerta present. State Party re-elected Rusty Chair.

ADJOURNED: 8:34pm

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED


Barbara Paul