



Republicans of River City

Chartered by the California Congress of Republicans



If you have not already done so, please send a check for your dues. If there are changes in name and/or address please fill out the application on the back page.

Republicans of River City meeting for October is **MOVED**.

The board hopes you have a wonderful and restful October and that you will attend the Republican Candidate's Debate at the SCRCP debate watch party at the SCRCP headquarters, 9851 Horn Road, Suite 100, 95827. Call 916-974-1821 for details.



HELP MAKE HISTORY AGAIN

By Carl Burton

California Republicans can have a Victory in 2016 and you can help Republicans of River City to play a major part in California political upset election 2016 when Republicans elect a new U.S. Senator to Congress.

Because of the top two primary system that California operates under Republicans need to unite behind one candidate in the June 7 primary election in order to pick up the seat and win in

November 2016.

Your Republicans of River City delegates and Board of Directors had an opportunity to talk to all five of the announced candidates at last month fall Republican State Convention and below is a link to their web sites. And Republicans of River City board of directors would like your help so we can MAKE HISTORY AGAIN.

Republicans of River City volunteers have always been the leading club that is first to endorse the winning candidates in the Sacramento area.

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OCTOBER REGISTRATION REPORT

By Carl Burton

In the month of September American River Republican Women and Republicans of River City volunteers registered over 50 new Republican voters along with a few Democrats and Decline-to-state voters at the Chicken Festival in Fair Oaks and also at the New Citizens Ceremony in Sacramento.

On Sept. 19, the Republican Women sold out all of their Donald Trump material and on Sept. 23 the Republicans of River City volunteers handed out 800 American flags and congratulated the new citizens at the New Citizens Ceremony

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MAKE HISTORY



Rocky Chavez
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Assemblyman,
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City Councilman
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Chair &
Conservative
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Al Ramirez (R) -
Businessman &
'10/'12
Candidate
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Duf Sundheim
(R) - Ex-State
GOP Chair,
Attorney &
Mediator
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Sen., Ex-State
Assemblyman,
Attorney,
Rancher & '14
Atty. Gen.
Candidate
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The Republicans of River City board of directors would like your help so we can MAKE HISTORY AGAIN.

Remember Republicans of River City was the first volunteer Republican Club in California to endorse the recall of Gov. Gray Davis in 2002. And we were first volunteers club in the state to endorse Arnold Schwartzegger for Governor.

We were first volunteer Republican club in Sacramento to endorse Sheriff John McGinnas for Sacramento County Sheriff and we were the first to endorse Sheriff Scott Jones.

We were first volunteer Republican club to endorsed Anne Marie Schubert for Sacramento County District Attorney and we were first to endorse former District Attorney Jan Scully.

We were the first volunteer Republican Club to endorse Senator Dave Cox, Senator Roger Niello, Senator Ted Gaines, Senator Jim Nelsen, Assemblywomen Beth Gains, Congressman Doug Ose and Supervisors Susan Peters and Roberta MacGlashan.

Republicans of River City has led the way for Republican Victory not only in Sacramento County but in California.

And Republicans of River City CAN MAKE HISTORY AGAIN in

California when you renew your 2016 membership and cast your vote for our next United State Senator.

Membership is still only \$25.00 per year for an individual and \$40 for a couple.

Let us know which candidate you want us to support:

Assemblyman Rocky Chavez
Blogger Tom Del Beccaro
Businessman Al Ramirez
Attorney Duf Sundheim
Attorney Phil Wyman

You can help Republicans of River City make history by renewing your membership and casting a VOTE TODAY.

REPORT ON CALIFORNIA REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION

By Carl Burton

Over the weekend of Sept. 18-20 California Republican delegates gathered at the California Republican State Convention in Orange County.

A number of years ago I proposed to hold only one convention a year but the changes to the byelaws was never passed out of the Rules Committee. At this year fall convention, with backing of our State Party Chair Senator Jim Brulte, the delegates agreed to hold one convention a year in even election years. That makes one less convention to attend. The 2016 spring convention will take place on April 29-May 2.

This year members of Republicans of River City suggested changes to the California Republican Platform and some of them were

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OCTOBER REGISTRATION

where 799 individuals, coming from 72 countries, became new American citizens.

In October the following events are taking place in Sacramento County where we have an opportunity to register Republican voters:

- Capital Airshow Oct 4-5
- Pumpkin Festival in Elk Grove Oct 4-5
- Asia Voter Forum at Sac State Oct 11, and
- New Citizens Oct. 28.

Other events taking place in October:

- Sacramento Republican Women Oct 7
- Central Committee Meeting Oct 8
- American River Republican Women Oct 10
- Sacramento Republican Assembly Oct 13
- Sacramento Young Republicans Oct 15
- College Young Republican weekly meetings
- Sacramento New Citizens Ceremony Oct 28
- Republican Debate Party Oct. 28
- Sacramento County Republican Party fundraiser with Sheriff Scott Jones on Oct. 29

Events in November:

Sacramento Republican Women Nov. 4
Consumes Republican Assembly Nov. 5, and
Republican Nov. Debate will be in Wisconsin sponsored by the Wall Street Journal airing on Fox Business.

Events in December:

Republicans of River City Christmas Party December. 10, and

The last Republican Debate for this year will be December 15.

STATE CONVENTION

incorporated in the updated 2015-2019 platform.

To view the proposed RRC changes to the state platform, visit our web site at

<http://www.rrcgop.org/2015Platform.htm>

Visit the California Republican web site at <http://www.cagop.org>

I attended the Yolo County Constitution Day celebration last month where our State Party Chairman Senator Jim Brulte was the principle speaker. Again, Jim stressed that the job of all County Central Committees is to recruit candidates who look like, sound like and have the shared values

of the people who live in the district for local school boards, city councils, county boards of supervisors and local office and then to help elect these people by turning out registered Republicans and to register new Republican voters. To do this each County Central Committee needs to raise money and for an example, Jim said the San Diego County Republican Central Committee raised over \$3 million this year to perform these vital tasks.

Democrats will hold their Presidential Debates on these dates in 2015 - October 13, November 14 and December 19.



WHERE CRIMINALS GET THE GUN

By Robert Evans

According to a new survey of criminals incarcerated at Chicago's Cook County Jail,

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GUNS

conducted by researchers from the University of Chicago and Duke University, many criminals get their guns from friends, family or fellow gang members and do not use traditional legal channels like licensed dealers.

The survey consisted of interviews with 99 inmates, the vast majority of whom were current or former gang members, who had illegally possessed a firearm within six months prior to their arrests. While the source of their firearms was unclear in about one-third of the cases, 49 percent of respondents acknowledged receiving guns from a family member, gang member or someone else they knew personally. An additional 16 percent got them from a mutual acquaintance or from someone

they did not know on the black market. Just 1.5 percent got their guns from a gun store and just 1.5 percent said they had stolen their guns.

The results are similar to other surveys, including a 1997 U.S. Department of Justice survey that found that 40 percent of state inmates possessing a firearm got it from friends or family and 39 percent got it from the street or another illegal source. Only 8 percent got a gun at a retail store, 4 percent from a pawnshop, 1 percent from a flea market and just 0.7 percent from a gun show.

“[I]t is rare for offenders to buy from licensed dealers, and also rare for them to steal their guns. Rather, the predominant sources of guns to offenders are family, acquaintances, fellow gang members – which is to say, members of their social network,” the authors concluded.

“This proves what we have said all along,” Alan Gottlieb, founder of the Second Amendment Foundation, told the Washington Free Beacon. “Criminals don’t go through background checks to acquire a gun. They don’t buy them at gun stores, gun shows or on the Internet. They get them from family, friends and fellow gang members. Gun control laws only affect lawful gun owners.”

The research provides further evidence that calls for “universal background checks” and laws to close gun show “loopholes” (California already has both kinds of laws on the books) will not lead to any significant improvements in public safety, but don’t expect such facts to deter gun-grabbers from their crusade to disarm honest citizens.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Your membership in Republicans of River City provides you a monthly newsletter, speakers, and an outstanding opportunity to meet your elected officials and California’s finest political strategists. River City is also a great way to network and make new friends.

I am a registered Republican and would like to join Republicans of River City.

Name _____

Spouse _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Occupation _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____

E-Mail: _____

Yearly Membership:

_____ Regular Membership: enclosed is my check for \$25
(Young Professionals 18-25 \$15 per person)

_____ Couples Membership: enclosed is our check for \$40

Signature _____

Date _____

Mail check to: **Republicans of River City**
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