

**FINAL Minutes – October 23, 2017 Libertarian Party of Los Angeles County (LPLAC)
Executive Committee Meeting**

Held at Philippe's Restaurant, Los Angeles, CA
Meeting began at 8:00 pm.

Attendees

Chair – Jose Castaneda	Vice-Chair – Tim Ferreira
Treasurer – Jonathan Jaech	Secretary – David Bowers
Region 61 – Kevin Shaw	Region 62 – Bob Weber
Region 63 – Bill Lopez	Region 64 – Not Present
Region 65 – Not Present	Region 66 – Jay Jones
Region 67 – Frank Chau	Region 68 – Not Present

Guests – Eric Fine, Andrew Aguero, Boomer Shannon, Matt Barnes, Jason Wu, Jordan Lovato Henry, Kevin and two other guests in attendance.

At the the start of the meeting a motion is made by Bob Weber and seconded that LPLAC send its condolences to the family of Phil Baron, former Libertarian Candidate for Assembly Districts in the San Fernando Valley over the years, on his passing. Motion passes without objection.

Vice-Chair reports on his Lieutenant Governor campaign. His website is www.Tim2018.com. He will need to gather between 3,000 and 3,300 signatures to avoid having to pay a filing fee. He will be having a fundraising event in November in Pasadena.

Kevin Shaw is the new Region 61 Chair and is the Regional Representative on the LPLAC Ex Com.

Secretary provides minutes for the September meeting. Grammar corrections are to be made for the final minutes.

Treasurer reports on balances and funds paid out per prior motions to support various groups and for the LPLAC Convention expenses. Treasurer makes a motion to retain our current web hosting company for another two years at a cost of \$254.75 which covers the hosting and domain name for www.lplac.us. Motion is seconded. Motion passes.

Treasurer makes a motion to create via resolution an ad-hoc Investigatory Committee consisting of Matt Barnes and Ted Brown, current LPC Chair, to investigate the allegations of improper behavior by LPLAC Officers in the matter of Dovner vs. LPLAC that was before LPC State Judicial Committee. A substitute motion was made by Bob Weber to have the ad-hoc Investigatory Committee consist of three individuals, Matt Barnes, Ted Brown and Bob Weber. The substitute motion became the main motion on a 5-3-1 vote. Before the main motion could be voted on the meeting's quorum dissolved and no further business actions could be taken.

Region Reports

Region 61 – Region 61 selected a new Chair and LPLAC Ex Com Regional Rep, Kevin Shaw. There was a good sized group in attendance including over 25 students. Kevin Shaw is running for State Senate in 2018.

More about Kevin Shaw from the start of this article

<http://college.usatoday.com/2017/04/05/how-a-college-student-in-california-is-fighting-for-his-free-speech-rights/>

When Kevin Shaw tried to distribute copies of the U.S. Constitution in Spanish on his college campus, he was reprimanded by an administrator.

The administrator told him he would need to distribute the Constitution in a designated area, and only after obtaining a permit to do so. If he didn't comply, he would be removed from campus.

Shaw attends Pierce College, which is part of the Los Angeles Community College District. According to Pierce's free speech policy, students can only distribute materials in a prescribed location on campus — a 616-square-foot area comprising .003% of Pierce's total campus — and only after receiving permission to do so.

Shaw is now suing LACCD, claiming that his First Amendment rights were violated.

Region 62 – Reports on Scott Horton's speech at The Peace Center, on September 28th. Mr. Horton's new book is: Fool's Errand: Time to End the War in Afghanistan.

Region 63 – No one to report.

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Region 65 – Chuck McLawn to speak at the November meeting. The Region 65 homepage is being updated weekly with upcoming City Council and other City local government meetings with some information from agenda and links to the various cities' websites.

Region 66 – Jay Jones will be speaking at the Region 66 November meeting about paying attention to city and municipal governments' action.

Region 67 – No one to report.

Region 68 – No report.

Meeting adjourned 9:45 pm.

The amount in the hat was \$20.00.