Libertarian Party of San Francisco July 2023 Minutes Regular Meeting

<u>Attendance</u> Starchild, chair Richard Fast, LPSF member

<u>Guests</u> Zem, guest

The meeting was called to order by the chair on Saturday, July 8, 2023 at 3:30 pm PST at SF Main Library and Jitsi videoconference.

Introductions: The members and guests present introduced themselves. Zem is not a party member, is part of Cross Party Lines, which meets second Sundays, 5-7pm.

Activist Reports: Discussion of the Non-Aggression Principle and different economic views inside the LP (capitalist vs. libertarian socialist). Starchild has an article on ThirdPartyWatch.com re: LP in-fighting.

Officer Reports: (skipped)

Guest Speaker: (none)

Unfinished Business: The three LPSF officers other than the chair have not been showing up to meetings, making conduction of party business impossible.

After a bylaws discussion, Richard Fast, LPSF member, gave notice that he will run for the LPSF Secretary position at the August meeting, in accordance with LPSF Bylaws Article IV, Section 3 and LPCA Bylaw 9, Section 6.

New Business: Starchild mentioned having a picnic in Golden Gate Park, buy donkey/elephant masks for the boxing ring there.

No elections this year. Nov. 5, 2024 will be the next one, maybe a primary. Mayor, DA, U.S. Senate and Rep., state assembly will be on the 2024 ballot. Half of Board of Supervisors 7, 9, 11 will be on the 2024 election. Will look for the filing deadline.

24 people have filed for SF mayor so far, all pending. No obvious all-encompassing freedom-fighter; some good on particular issues.

Good of the Order: Starchild was mentioned in the June 8 Examiner on decriminalizing sex work. He also was on a podcast with Chris Baker in TX. Testified at a few SF public hearings, including re: Breed cracking down on fentanyl. Discussed Zide Door church that sells psychedelic mushrooms.

Adjourn: 5:10pm PST

The next meeting date will be Saturday, August 12, 2023 at SF Main Library, 3rd floor conference room, and Jitsi videoconference.