

DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF SACRAMENTO COUNTY

CENTRAL COMMITTEE RESOLUTION

3/8/2018 – Curtis Hall, Sacramento

RESOLUTION 2018-10

*Applauding the Board of Supervisors for Protecting Hotel Workers &
Calling on City Councils to Enact Similar Ordinances*

WHEREAS, Hotel workers often face sexual assault when performing their job of cleaning hotel rooms; and

WHEREAS, The Sacramento County Board of Supervisors collaborated with hotel workers, drafted and enacted an ordinance requiring that hotel workers be provided with a panic button to prevent them from being sexually assaulted while on the job; and

WHEREAS, The 2016 platform of the California Democratic Party states that Democrats support the right of workers to “work in a safe environment and be free from intimidation and retaliation tactics,” and to that end Sacramento Democrats believe that all hotel workers throughout Sacramento County should have the protection of a panic button;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Democratic Party of Sacramento County applauds the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors for acting to protect hotel workers against sexual assault.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Democratic Party of Sacramento County calls on every City Council in Sacramento County to collaborate with hotel workers to enact a similar ordinance that would protect hotel workers from sexual assault by providing them with a panic button.

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