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## Meet the Candidates



**AL HINKLE**  
**U.S. CONGRESS**  
**DISTRICT 13**

*"The trend of the government in the last 40 years has been to reward failure and penalize productivity."*

Al Hinkle was born in Florida in 1926. He served in the Merchant Marine during World War II. After the war he settled in California. He has lived in San Jose since 1953. He has been married 33 years to his wife Helen. They have two children, Mark and Dawn. He has attended San Jose State, has received a B.A. from San Francisco State, and has done graduate work at Stanford University in geography. He is currently a conductor for the Southern Pacific Railroad, and has worked for that company for the past 35 years.

The Libertarian Party has a full slate of candidates for partisan office in Santa Clara County. To introduce these candidates to their constituents and potentially most active supporters, we plan to run their pictures and biographical data in the next few issues of SANTA CLARA LIBERTARIAN. We will cover candidates for local office and for statewide office and hope to devote space in the May issue to the only primary contest with which Libertarian voters in this county will be faced.

The best way for voters, supporters, and members to meet the Libertarian candidates is to see them in action. Each meeting of the Libertarian Council, beginning in May, will offer (in addition to any featured speaker) an opportunity for the audience to quiz some of our candidates on the issues.

We expect different levels of intensity and participation from our various campaigns. One of the principal campaigns in Santa Clara County, Bill White's campaign for Congress in the 12th district, will sponsor a brochure for general distribution on the theme, "Why Vote Libertarian?"

We reproduce here a draft of the text for this brochure. The text

### *Libertarians Will Protest Taxation At April 15th Demonstration*

Libertarian groups plan tax protests in more than 112 locations in all 50 states. April 15th has been designated Tax Protest Day by the National Libertarian Party. Last year libertarians in Santa Clara County handed out anti-tax literature to thousands of sympathetic taxpayers filing last-minute returns. This year we plan to be even more active.

The regular third Thursday meeting of the Libertarian Council of Santa Clara County coincides this month with national tax protest day. Our meeting will start at 7:00 p.m. at the headquarters office. After preparing signs and other demonstration materials, members of the Libertarian Council will proceed to the main post office on Meridian Avenue in San Jose. There they will participate in a tax protest scheduled for 10:00 p.m.

Volunteers are needed to hand out literature at various Santa Clara County post offices all evening. If you would like to help in this way, call Libertarian Headquarters at 408/CRY-FREE to let us know which post office you would like to leaflet. Tax protest and voter registration materials may be picked up at the headquarters office any time after noon on Thursday.

The Libertarian Council of Santa Clara County meets the third Thursday of each month at our headquarters office, 401 E. Taylor in San Jose. There is no admission fee and the public is welcome.

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# Meet the Candidates

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will be interspersed with pictures of local, state, and national libertarian candidates, not exclusively from our county.

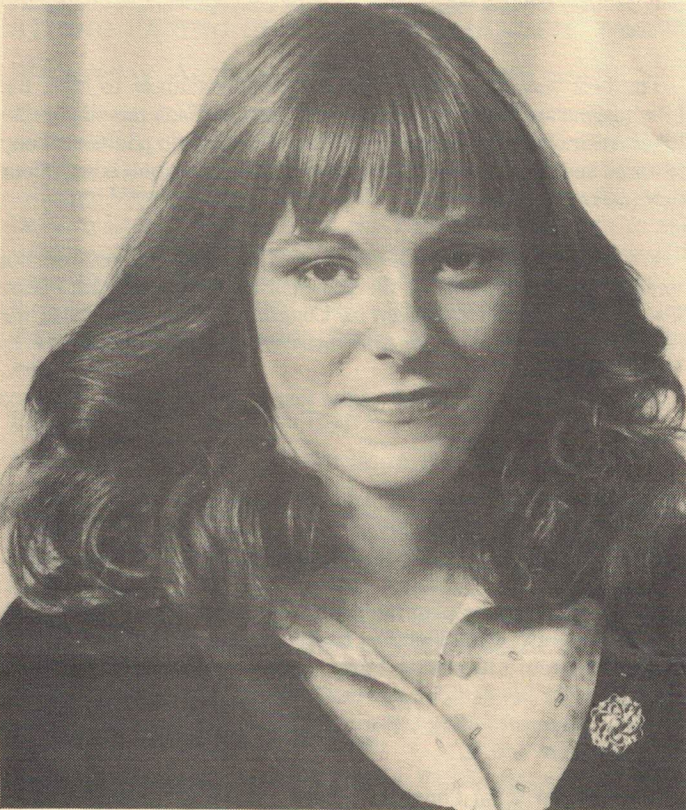
## WHY VOTE LIBERTARIAN?

### What is Libertarianism?

Libertarianism is the politics of liberty. Libertarians believe in the individual's right to life, liberty, and property. They believe that no person, group or government should initiate physical force against anyone. Libertarians are working for a voluntary society, free from the draft, free from taxes, and free from government interference in our lives. A libertarian society would be the exact opposite of a totalitarian society.

### What is the Libertarian Party?

The Libertarian Party is a national political organization. It is just beginning to have an effect on American politics. It is composed



**ANN JUSTI  
STATE ASSEMBLY  
DISTRICT 23**

*"I will work to promote a joint community and police effort to stop violent crime."*

Ann Justi is a licensed vocational nurse currently studying communications at San Jose State University. She is a member of the National Rifle Association, a member of Calvary Baptist Church, and a member of the Bay Area Dancers and Models Union. She has been National President of Youth In Action, and a member of the California Youth Commission and the California Commission on Youth Crime.

of people who want to reach a libertarian society through peaceful, voluntary political action. Members of the Libertarian Party want radical change, but they are absolutely opposed to violence and terrorism. All dues-paying members of the Libertarian Party sign a statement saying that they do not believe in the initiation of force as a way to reach political or social goals.

### Why does the LP run candidates?

The Libertarian Party runs candidates to give voters the choice of voting for liberty. Other political parties have not offered voters a consistent choice for freedom, individual responsibility, and non-interference in the lives of others, on a personal level and on an international level. Libertarian candidates want to do more than educate. They want to build a movement that will make our country a better, more healthy place to live.

### Who are the LP candidates?

Libertarians choose candidates who are qualified to serve. They choose men and women of principle who have dedicated their lives to liberty. They choose candidates like Dick Randolph, who was elected to the Alaska State Legislature, and Ed Clark, who was the LP candidate for president in 1980. Very likely there are libertarian candidates running for local office in your community. Libertarians like Alice Agogino, Joe Fuhrig, and Bill White need our support to bring the message of liberty to voters everywhere.

### Can a libertarian candidate win?

Yes. Libertarian candidates have been elected to a variety of offices in several states. Every year more people vote for libertarian candidates and improve our chances of winning in each race.

### Why should I vote Libertarian?

The LP is not yet a major party, but it is on its way. For those who are disgusted or disillusioned with our major parties, the LP represents a real alternative. Every single libertarian vote brings us closer to a free society.

### How can I contact the Libertarian Party?

The California Libertarian Party Headquarters is located at 401 E. Taylor Street, San Jose, CA 95112. Our telephone number is 408/279-3733. It's easy to remember: it spells CRY-FREE.

## Giant Flea Market

at

## De Anza College

Stevens Creek Boulevard and  
Stelling Road in Cupertino

**May 1**

**8 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

For information or booth reservations call 996-4946

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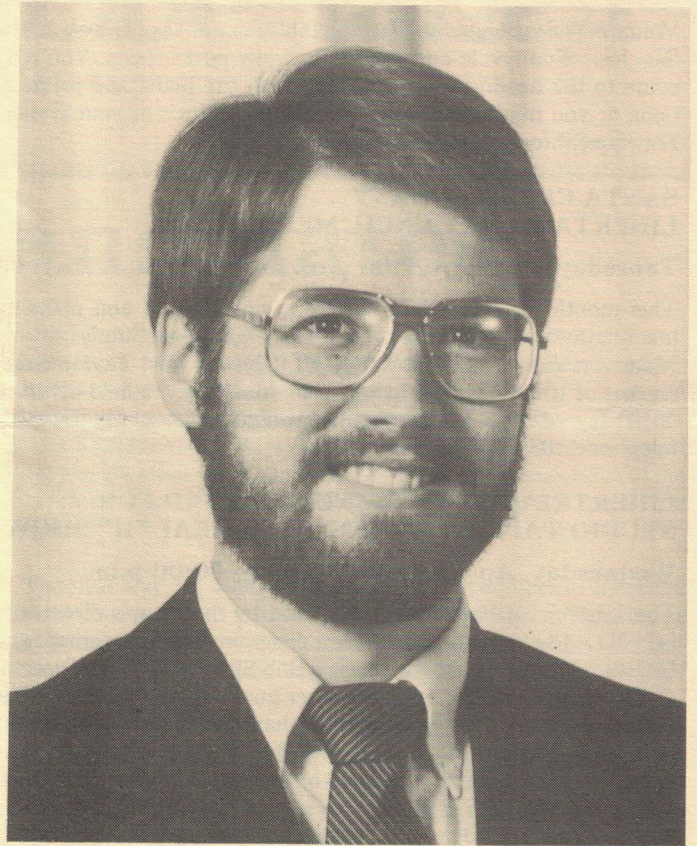
# Campaign For Liberty, 1982



**BILL WHITE**  
U.S. CONGRESS  
DISTRICT 12

*"People know better than government how to spend their own money."*

Bill White was born in New York in 1942. He grew up in New York and Connecticut and graduated from the United States Air Force Academy in 1964. In 1966 he earned a Master of Science degree in computer science from Stanford University, and then served with the U.S. Air Force until he was honorably discharged as a captain in 1970. Bill is a computer software engineer and registered professional parliamentarian. Bill lives in Los Altos with his wife Kathy and his two sons Erik and Sean.



**CHUCK OLSON**  
U.S. CONGRESS  
DISTRICT 11

*"Only if we return to the traditional American foreign policy of free trade and non-interventionism will we regain the respect of the other peoples of the world."*

Chuck Olson is a molecular biologist with a B.A. in Chemistry from Swarthmore College and an M.S. in Molecular Biology from Stanford University. He currently works in Palo Alto for a company that provides computer software used in genetic engineering. He was the Libertarian Party candidate for State Assembly in the 21st district in 1980.

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# Calendar

## ANNUAL INCOME TAX PROTEST

**Thursday, April 15. 7:00 p.m. to 12:00 midnight.**

Volunteers are needed to staff the tables at our tax protests at the San Jose, Sunnyvale and Mountain View post offices. You may come to the headquarters and help with the plans and preparations or you may just show up at the post office of your choice. For more information phone 408/CRY-FREE.

## SANTA CLARA COUNTY LIBERTARIAN COUNCIL MEETING

**Thursday, April 15. 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.**

This month's meeting will feature a sign-making and planning meeting for our annual tax protest at the San Jose, Sunnyvale and Mountain View post offices. LOCATION: 401 East Taylor Street (corner of 10th & Taylor) in San Jose. Meetings are held the third Thursday of each month. For more details about the meeting telephone 408/CRY-FREE.

## LIBERTARIAN TV AUDIENCE WANTED FOR STUDIO TAPING OF "IT'S YOUR HEALTH" SHOW

**Wednesday, April 21. 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.**

The Libertarian Party has been asked by the show's director to provide a 13-person audience for a program on "Government and Health." The program will feature Bob Silan, Executive Director of Valley Medical Center and another guest, and will be hosted by Dr. Armstrong. The audience will have an opportunity to ask questions. The tape of the show will be edited to a half-hour program that is scheduled to be aired on Sunday, May 9 at 12:30 p.m. Please call 408/CRY-FREE if you wish to be part of the audience. Taping Location: Channel 11 Studios at 945 Park Avenue in San Jose.

## PICNIC IN ST. JAMES PARK

**Saturday, April 24. 12:00 noon to 6:30 p.m.**

Friends of the California Marijuana Reform Initiative '82 have organized an all-day picnic and petition drive with live music and representatives from NORML (National Organization for Reform of Marijuana Laws) and the LP. Location: St. James park in downtown San Jose, at St. James and Second St. For information call Oscar Leatherman in Gilroy at 408/842-6717.

## WINE & CHEESE PARTY

**Saturday, April 24. 7:30 p.m.**

This informal social event will feature Dan Dougherty, the Libertarian Party candidate for Governor of California. Location: The home of Warren and Karen Gibson in the Belmont hills. A contribution will be requested at the door. For directions to their difficult-to-find home, phone 415/593-2125 (days) or 415/591-8701 (evenings).

## LIBERTARIAN COUNCIL BOOTH AT THE DE ANZA FLEA MARKET

**Saturday, May 1. 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

Volunteers are needed, especially in the morning to staff our permanent information and merchandise booth at the De Anza Flea Market in Cupertino. Help us raise money to support our many local projects and educate yourself and others on the issues by talking to the public about libertarianism. Donations of books and other fast-selling items are needed and may be dropped off at the flea market or at our Taylor Street office. Location: De Anza Col-

lege Parking Lot C, Stevens Creek Boulevard and Stelling Road in Cupertino. For more information or to volunteer call 408/CRY-FREE (12-5 weekdays).

## EASTBAY LIBERTARIAN COUNCIL MEETING

**Thursday, May 13. 7:30 p.m.**

Meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month. Location: To be announced. For information on the speaker or the location telephone Yvonne Davis at 415/835-4765.

## PHILOSOPHICAL DISCUSSION GROUP

**Friday, May 14. 7:00 p.m.**

An informal philosophical discussion group meets on the second Friday of each month at 416 Leland Avenue in Palo Alto. If you wish more information please phone the sponsors: Ruth Steven-son 408/727-3747 (days) or Chuck Olson 415/324-0516 (evenings).

## CANDIDATE WORKSHOP

**Saturday, May 15. 12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m.**

All libertarian candidates are invited to participate. Telephone 408/CRY-FREE to register. Our candidates need an audience to help them improve their skills at impromptu question answering. Anyone wishing to be part of a "non-partisan" audience is welcome to attend.

## GRAND OPENING CELEBRATION FOR NEW LP OF CALIFORNIA HEADQUARTERS

**Saturday, May 15. 6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.**

A party and open house will celebrate the official opening of the new location of the headquarters of the Libertarian Party of California.

## SANTA CLARA COUNTY LIBERTARIAN COUNCIL MEETING

**Thursday, May 19. 8:00 p.m.**

Next month's tentative schedule includes Ron Howard, Professor of Economic-Engineering at Stanford University, speaking on his recent trip to Russia. Location: 401 E. Taylor St., San Jose. Meetings are held the third Thursday of each month. Information phone: 408/CRY-FREE.

## NOTES

- **Refrigerator wanted.** Our local headquarters may have to return the refrigerator that is on loan from Lyn Sapowsky of San Mateo County. If you have an extra refrigerator in working condition that you could donate or loan to the Council please telephone 408/CRY-FREE. We can arrange for volunteers to transport it to the office.

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