
MEMORANDUM TO CHAIRMAN BEN RAY LUJÁN

To: DCCC Chairman Ben Ray Luján
Fr: Liz Robertson, Deputy National Finance Director, (318) [REDACTED], c
Dt: February 2, 2015
RE: DCCC TEAM Conference Call

Event Date: Tuesday, February 3, 2015

Time: 3:00 pm EST

Staff: Liz Robertson, Deputy National Finance Director, (318) [REDACTED], c

Speaker Dialing Instructions:

Toll Free Number: 1.866.297.6395

Direct Dial Number: 1.847.944.7317

Conference Code: 38913514

This number will place you in a Speaker's conference line. Participants will be on a separate line and will be muted until the question and answer portion of the call. DCCC staff will be included in the Speakers line to answer any questions you might have about the workings of the conference call.

Number of participants: Approximately 10 (as of 2/2/2015)

Background:

This is a conference call to kick-off the 2016 cycle's Tribal Program and introduce the DCCC's new Tribal Engagement and Active Members (TEAM) Program. Congressman Xavier Becerra will moderate the call, and you will give a brief political update and unveil the new TEAM Program.

The main purpose of this call is to thank participants for their support last cycle, and to encourage them to renew their support this cycle. Please inform them that you will be traveling across the country, traveling to tribal communities over the course of the next two years.

The invitation for this call has been extended to all members of the DCCC's TEAM Program. The program raised over \$1,555,000 for the 2014 cycle. This was the Program's most successful cycle to date.

Please acknowledge Congresswoman Ann Kirkpatrick who will also be on the call.

Please encourage members of the TEAM Program to renew their support of the DCCC.

Timeline:

3:00 pm: Conference call begins; guests dial-in

3:05 pm: Congressman Becerra welcomes callers and introduces **You**.

3:10 pm: **You** give brief political update and introduce new DCCC TEAM Program.

3:20 pm: **You** open the program to Q&A

3:30 pm: Final question is received.

3:35 pm: Final question is answered; **You** invite Congressman Becerra to give closing remarks.

3:38 pm: **You** give concluding remarks.

3:45 pm: Conference call concludes.

Attendees:

First	Last	Organization
Congressman Xavier	Becerra	
Congresswoman Ann	Kirkpatrick	
Phil	Baker-Shenk	Holland & Knight
Brian	McClain	Choctaw Nation
Chairman Charlie	Vig	Shakopee Tribe
James	Meggesto	Holland & Knight
Holly	Cook Macarro	Ietan Consulting

Member Biography

Congressman Xavier Becerra

First elected to the U.S. House of Representatives in 1992, Representative Xavier Becerra serves as Chairman of the House Democratic Caucus, is a member of the Committee on Ways And Means and is Ranking Member of the Ways and Means Subcommittee on Social Security. He has dedicated himself to promoting issues affecting industries critical to the economic vitality of the Southern California region such as health care, high technology, entertainment, and stimulating free, yet fair, trade.

The first Latino to serve on the Ways and Means Committee, Rep. Becerra has used his position to increase opportunities for working families, to improve the Social Security program for women and minorities, to combat poverty among the working poor, and to strengthen Medicare and ensure its long-term viability. He currently serves on the Social Security Subcommittee. In 2010, Rep. Becerra served on the bipartisan National Commission on Fiscal Responsibility and Reform.

Rep. Becerra is a member of the Congressional Hispanic Caucus (CHC) where he served as Chair during the 105th Congress (1997-98). The Congressman is also a member of the Executive Committee of the Congressional Asian Pacific American Caucus. Rep. Becerra also serves on the Smithsonian Board of Regents, a distinguished panel of 17 men and women who oversee the Smithsonian Institution's expansive collection. In 2011, he was appointed to serve on the Smithsonian's National Museum of African American History and Culture Council. Rep. Becerra has led a decade long effort to establish the National Museum of the American Latino and ensure that we remember and celebrate the history of America's diverse communities.

Prior to his election to Congress, Rep. Becerra served one term in the California Legislature as the representative of the 59th Assembly District in Los Angeles County. He is a former Deputy Attorney General with the California Department of Justice. The congressman began his legal career in 1984 working in a legal services office representing the mentally ill.

Rep. Becerra is the son of working-class parents and was the first in his family to graduate from college. His mother was born in Jalisco, Mexico and immigrated to the United States after marrying his father. In 1980, Rep. Becerra earned his Bachelor of Arts in Economics from Stanford University. He was awarded his Juris Doctorate from Stanford Law School in 1984. Rep. Becerra is married to Dr. Carolina Reyes. They are the proud parents of three daughters: Clarisa, Olivia and Natalia.