

On Carole Migden...JUST VOTE NO!!!

She is NOT Worthy of Endorsement by the California Democratic Party

Today, we are being asked to adopt the following as part of our 2008 Party Platform...

Political Reform

California Democrats believe that a healthy democracy is based on clean elections... We will fight the culture of corruption, cronyism and incompetence that has inflicted a great cost upon the American people. We demand open and fraud-free elections and incontrovertible government accountability to the electorate. We will insist that officeholders respond honestly...through transparent and open public service.

How can we then endorse a candidate who admits to violating state law 89 times and earns the largest fine of its kind in state history?

FPPC Fines Sen. Migden \$350,000 for 89 Violations
Largest penalty of state official in FPPC history

The Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC), the independent state agency charged with investigating violations of campaign laws, today fined **Senator Carole Migden, \$350,000 for 89 violations** of the Political Reform Act, of which \$100,000 was paid from her personal funds. **The charges include the personal use of campaign funds, inaccurate disclosure of cash payments and receipts, and numerous other recordkeeping and reporting violations.**

"Senator Migden's track record has shown her complete disdain for the Political Reform Act," said Commission Chairman Ross Johnson. "This \$350,000 fine is the largest ever imposed upon an elected state official in the history of the FPPC..."

The simple answer is we cannot...JUST VOTE NO!!!