



December 2014

What is TERC?

TERC, formerly the Hidden Valley Republican Club, was founded in 1984 by Escondido men and women interested in political matters viewed from a conservative perspective.

Our Mission

TERC is a political organization dedicated to voter education relating to candidates for elected office and issues affecting residents of Escondido and surrounding communities.

Program Time:

Doors open at 11:30 am so come early to meet the new members. Lunch service begins PROMPTLY at 11:45 am.



890 W. Valley Parkway
(across from Barnes & Noble & Michael's)
Escondido, CA 92025

Menu Choices

Buffet lunch includes tostada bar, enchiladas, beans, rice and salad.

Cost: \$14.00 – chips, salsa and beverages included.

'Thank You TERC Members'

Thank you for your generous contributions of new, unwrapped gifts for the children of needy, active-duty military members!

Because of your generosity, many children will be enjoying a happier ***'Merry Christmas'***.

**December 15th Program
California State Senator
Joel Anderson**



After serving four years in the California Assembly, Joel Anderson was elected as State Senator in 2010 to represent over 1,000,000 constituents of San Diego and Riverside Counties in the thirty-sixth State Senate District.

After taking his oath of office, Senator Anderson affirmed his commitment to fight every day on behalf of those he represents. In 2011 he was recognized for his efforts to protect small businesses during the great recession, by being named the "California State Senate Legislator of the Year" by the California Small Business Association and California Small Business Roundtable. Joel was also recognized by the National Federation of Independent Business., who said "Joel has shown that he understands the challenges that small business owners in California face – we are proud that he has a 100% voting record..." said John Kabateck, California Executive Director of the National Federation of Independent Businesses.

Currently Joel is a member of the Senate Judiciary Committee, and the Senate Committee on Elections and Constitutional Amendments. He is also a member of the Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Committee.

While Joel's accomplishments are many, the most important role in Joel's life is that of being a husband to his wife Kate for 25 years, and a father to their three children - Mary, Maura and Michael.

For more information about State Senator Joel Anderson, go to: <http://www.escondidorepublicanclub.org> and click on 'Meetings' – and then 'Speakers'.

Please continue to page two:

Symbol of the Elephant

The familiar phrase “*An elephant never forgets*” refers to the animal’s alleged intelligence, memory and longevity. The peaceful elephant is also a symbol of gentle, reposing strength. The social nature of elephants allows us to view their amazing sensitivity to their group and family members, helping each other when hurt and mourning the loss of their loved ones.

PLEASE RSVP. If possible, please RSVP by Friday before the meeting via e-mail to our g-mail account: terc2010@gmail.com; however, if you prefer making your reservation via telephone, please call our TERC Telephone Chairperson **Zesty Harper – (760) 807-5827.**

If you are bringing a guest, please let Phyllis Hassinger know so she can make an “official” TERC visitor’s name badge. Contact Phyllis by email (edandphyl@cox.net) or call (760)743-6913. You may also note any guests/visitors on your RSVP to our g-mail account: terc2010@gmail.com

The Escondido Republican Club welcomes new members.

Please see our [‘Membership Application/Form’](#)

<http://www.escondidorepublicanclub.com/membershipapplication.html>

**For more information, please
visit TERC’s website:
www.escondidorepublicanclub.com**

We look forward to seeing you at our Monday December 15th meeting.
Please also plan ahead by marking your calendar for our
Monday January 15th 2015 meeting.