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LIBERTARIANS ELECT NEW STATE CHAIR

The California Libertarian Party elected Bill Evers of Palo Alto State Chairman at its annual convention held February 13 -- 16 in San Diego.

He is the former Editor in Chief of the San Francisco -- based "Inquiry" magazine and is at present doing research in political science at Stanford University.

Evers will lead the Libertarian Party as it prepares for the 1982 elections by strengthening its local grass-roots organizations. He explained, " We need to expand our Party's registration so that more people think of themselves as Libertarians and so that we have more weight in the political process. We need to develop new candidates so that we can have a full slate, and we need to offer training to these candidates, both on the Party's analysis of the issues and on how to win elections."

The Libertarian Party, which ran over 100 candidates for office in California in 1980, seeks a fully deregulated economy, a policy of staying out of foreign wars, and strict respect for civil liberties.

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