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Prepared by: John Carroll

Date: Nov. 25, 2020

Prepared by: John Carroll

Date: Dec. 11, 2020

1 [Condemning the Naming of the Priscilla Chan and Mark Zuckerberg San Francisco General
2 Hospital and Trauma Center]

3 **Resolution condemning the naming of the San Francisco General Hospital and Trauma**
4 **Center after Priscilla Chan and Mark Zuckerberg and urging City departments to**
5 **establish clear standards with regards to naming rights for public institutions and**
6 **properties that reflect San Francisco’s values and a commitment to affirming and**
7 **upholding human rights, dignity, and social and racial justice.**

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9 WHEREAS, The Priscilla Chan and Mark Zuckerberg San Francisco General Hospital
10 and Trauma Center (the “Hospital”), formerly the San Francisco General Hospital and Trauma
11 Center, is a public hospital operated by the San Francisco Department of Public Health; and

12 WHEREAS, The Hospital is a safety net and community hospital, located in the
13 Mission, serving more than 100,000 vulnerable San Franciscans a year; and

14 WHEREAS, On March 3rd, 2015 the San Francisco Board of Supervisors adopted
15 Resolution No. 57-15, authorizing the Department of Public Health to accept and expend a
16 \$57,375,000 gift from the San Francisco General Hospital Foundation and approved a Gift
17 Agreement with the San Francisco General Hospital Foundation by which Dr. Priscilla Chan
18 and Mark Zuckerberg granted \$75,000,000 to the Foundation, \$32,375,000 of which was
19 designated for the procurement of furniture, fixtures, equipment, information technology and
20 related services for San Francisco General Hospital’s new acute care and trauma building,
21 which was to be named the Priscilla and Mark Zuckerberg San Francisco General Hospital
22 and Trauma Center; on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 150158,
23 which is hereby declared to be a part of this resolution as if set forth fully herein; and

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1 WHEREAS, The Gift is being distributed through the Silicon Valley Community
2 Foundation (“SVCF”), in installments, from an advised fund controlled by Mark Zuckerberg
3 and Dr. Priscilla Chan (collectively, the “Donors”); and

4 WHEREAS, in 2013 the Donors gave SVCF its largest gift to date, donating Facebook
5 stock worth nearly \$1 billion; and

6 WHEREAS, Donor advised funds, such as those used by SVCF and the Donors, have
7 been criticized for functioning as tax shelters to offset capital gains taxes from appreciating
8 stock values following events like initial public offerings (“IPO”); and

9 WHEREAS, The Donors’ initial contribution to the SVCF closely coincided with
10 Facebook’s IPO, likely saving the Donors tens of millions of dollars in capital gains taxes; and

11 WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco should discourage, not publicly
12 reward, tax evasion; and

13 WHEREAS, In November 2008 during the beginning of the Great Recession and
14 before Mark Zuckerberg purchased his home in San Francisco, the voters of San Francisco
15 authorized the sale of \$887,400,000 in a bond measure for the construction of a seismically
16 sound acute hospital; and

17 WHEREAS, Another bond measure was authorized in June of 2016 for an additional
18 \$222,000,000 for the retrofit of older facilities at the hospital; and

19 WHEREAS, Through the bond measures, San Francisco residents have therefore paid
20 approximately 90% of the \$1.244 billion construction and furnishing costs for the hospital; and

21 WHEREAS, The Department of Public Health is responsible for safeguarding hospital
22 patients’ privacy and right to informed consent for both care and research; and

23 WHEREAS, Mark Zuckerberg is co-founder, chairman, chief executive officer, and
24 controlling shareholder of Facebook, the largest social media company in the world; and

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1 WHEREAS, Facebook engaged in unauthorized research on 689,003 of its users
2 without their knowledge or consent to see if emotions could be transmitted like a contagious
3 disease; and

4 WHEREAS, Facebook sought U.S. hospital data for further research as late as 2018
5 without ethical review or informed consent; and

6 WHEREAS, Facebook has been unable to protect its users from major privacy
7 breaches such as when Facebook allowed Cambridge Analytica to harvest data from the
8 personal profiles of some 87 million people worldwide without their consent, and when a 2018
9 attack on Facebook’s computer network exposed the personal information of nearly 50 million
10 users; and

11 WHEREAS, In July 2019, the Federal Trade Commission fined Facebook \$5 billion, by
12 far the largest penalty ever imposed on a company for violating consumers' privacy rights; and

13 WHEREAS, Facebook has allowed paid advertisements making false claims about the
14 risks of proven AIDS prevention medication while simultaneously preventing advertisements
15 promoting these public health tools; and

16 WHEREAS, In September 2019 Facebook removed a fact-checking disclaimer from a
17 medically inaccurate video from an anti-abortion organization, which remains up; and

18 WHEREAS, In October 2019 Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg announced the
19 company would allow politicians and political parties to openly lie in their advertisements,
20 meaning that Facebook holds paid political advertisements to a lower standard than all others,
21 which prompted a public outcry from Facebook employees; and

22 WHEREAS, According to Facebook’s own internal audit, the Facebook platform in
23 Myanmar was used by bad actors to spread hate speech, incite violence, and coordinate
24 harm, and posts on Facebook were linked to offline violence; and

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1 WHEREAS, In India, according to a study by Equality Labs, hate speech targeting
2 Indian caste, religious, gender, and queer minorities is rampant across Facebook; and

3 WHEREAS, Facebook’s refusal to address long-standing concerns about its policies
4 that have allowed hate, lies, racism, and disinformation on its platform has provoked more
5 than 1,000 companies to boycott advertising on Facebook in July 2020 as part of the Stop
6 Hate for Profit campaign; and

7 WHEREAS, According to a study by Pro Publica, despite pledges to root out
8 misinformation about coronavirus and COVID-19 millions of Facebook users are still being put
9 at risk of consuming harmful misinformation about coronavirus at a large scale, and Facebook
10 is rife with false or misleading claims about voting, particularly regarding voting by mail, which
11 is the safest way of casting a ballot during the coronavirus pandemic; and

12 WHEREAS, According to an August 2020 study by Avaaz, during the last year, content
13 from the top 10 websites spreading health misinformation had almost four times as many
14 estimated views on Facebook as equivalent content from the websites of 10 leading health
15 institutions, such as the World Health Organization (WHO) and the Centers for Disease
16 Control and Prevention (CDC); and

17 WHEREAS, A survey conducted by the International Center for Journalists and
18 Columbia University’s Tow Center Journalism of reporters covering the COVID-19 pandemic
19 reported that the Facebook platform was the largest impediment to delivering accurate stories
20 about the virus, and that efforts to reach out to the platform to stem the tide of lies were
21 usually unsuccessful; and

22 WHEREAS, In May 2020, Facebook refused to take down posts by President Trump
23 that incited hatred and violence against African Americans and facilitated voter suppression,
24 despite the fact that these posts violated the company’s own community standards policies,
25 which prompted Facebook employees to stage a virtual walkout; and

1 WHEREAS, In July 2020, Facebook released a civil rights audit it had commissioned,
2 which found that “the company make painful decisions over the last nine months with real
3 world consequences that are serious setbacks for civil rights” and that “Facebook has made
4 policy and enforcement choices that leave our election exposed to interference by the
5 President and others who seek to use misinformation to sow confusion and suppress voting”;
6 now, therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors condemns the naming of
8 the San Francisco General Hospital and Trauma Center after Priscilla Chan and Mark
9 Zuckerberg; and, be it

10 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors urges City
11 departments to establish clear standards with regards to naming rights for public institutions
12 and properties that reflect San Francisco’s values and a commitment to affirming and
13 upholding human rights, dignity, and social and racial justice.

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From: [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#)
To: [BOS-Supervisors](#)
Cc: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: FW: please remove Zuckerberg from SF General Hospital
Date: Monday, December 7, 2020 11:49:10 AM

From: Judith Miller <miller.judith@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2020 10:35 AM
To: Board of Supervisors, (BOS) <board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org>
Subject: please remove Zuckerberg from SF General Hospital

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I am a native San Franciscan. Born, raised, educated here in SF.

My father was a surgeon at St. Francis Hopital.

Many of my friends who are paramedics always gave praise to SF General as the best hospital in the city.

I was beyond upset when I saw that sneaky creeps name on correspondence and then on the wall of SF General.

What a sell out!!!!!!

That creepy inventor of what has literally ruined our society, and made him zillions of dollars by deception and greed, is now prominently held over our heads on one of the cities most iconic and vital landmarks.

PLEASE REMOVE THAT NAME FROM OUR BELOVED HOSPITAL. HE DOESN'T DESERVE IT.

AND SHAME ON THE CITY FOR BEING SEDUCED BY HIM. IT'S A DISGRACE.

From: [Ann McDonald](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Fwd: Resolution 7
Date: Sunday, December 6, 2020 7:58:53 PM

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Thank you for your reply.
I missed calling for the
Board of Supervisors
Meeting this past week. I appreciate your
conveying my email message.

Additional Thoughts

At MGH
Massachusetts General
Hospital
which has 1811 as a time
of beginning, there are
buildings and wings
named after
doctors and donors.
Wang Lunder, Yawkey
White, Cox, Blake
I'm unaware of the
donation amounts.

Why then in San Francisco
with their donation should

San Francisco General
Hospital
see the names of
dual donors
Chan-Zuckerberg
added to
SFO General Hospital ?

A building, plaque, clinic,
wing
could see the donor's
names
Not the whole hospital!

To me it is a
marketing and politically
devisive act and should

not have happened.

The name can be
removed and placed
Elsewhere.... and should
Include Priscilla Chan's
last name.

CPMC

Columbia-Presbyterian
Medical Center
now affiliating with other
New York hospitals.

is known for
Babies Hospital,
Neurological Institute
Psychiatric Institute
Sloane Women's Unit,
Eye Institute
Squire Urological Unit
to name some of what I recall.

During the 1920's
Edward and Anna
Harkness purchased land
and funded the construction
of Columbia- Presbyterian
Medical Center.

(It merged with Columbia
University College of
Physicians and Surgeons
in 1910.)

(Located between 168th St.
Fort Washington Ave.,
165th St., and Broadway
and Riverside Drive.)

There is/was Harkness
Pavilion (single rooms).
Private Patients.

Years later
Milstein Bldg
Built 1986-1988

Black Bldg. 1963
(Research) were
constructed and named
after the 2 major donors.

Vanderbilt Clinic moved to

that location in 1928.

Many major donors
over 140+ years,
none of whom has his
or her name before CPMC.
now known as
Columbia-University
Presbyterian Hospital
Medical Center.

There is major history
about the Nursing School
and Residence
Maxwell Hall built in 1928.

Anna C. Maxwell
Superintendent and Nurse
Teacher at the Presbyterian
Hospital 1892-1921
was called upon to plan
and raise funds for the
Nursing School which
opened as the first Bldg
at CPMC in 1928.
(Refer to Anna C Maxwell
to follow the history and
changes.)

Here I am
simply sharing info about
other Medical Centers,
history and names.

For the good of the people
of San Francisco and the
history, please have the
name and sign as what it
is and always will be,

San Francisco General
Hospital.

Thank you
Ann McDonald

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Ann McDonald <ann.mcd3@gmail.com>
Date: November 30, 2020 at 1:15:38 PM EST
To: john.carroll@sfgov.org
Subject: Resolution 7

From the onset I was
shocked to see
Zuckerberg's name
preceding
San Francisco General
Hospital.
A plaque inside the hospital
would suffice.
Please remove his name!
For all the reasons cited.

A connection to his name
and Facebook is
not what
the people of San Francisco
voted for.
At the onset his name was
covered with tape.
The history of
San Francisco General
is important.
It doesn't include
Zuckerberg who knows
little about the history.

We are in a time of

donations being
political.

I will sign up to leave a
message as well.
Thank you for the email
and opportunity to voice
and write my opinion!

Ann McDonald

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#)
To: [BOS-Supervisors](#)
Cc: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: FW: 12/15 Agenda: Resolution on San Francisco General Hospital Naming
Date: Friday, December 4, 2020 4:09:28 PM
Attachments: [Resolution on Zuckeberg General Hospital Name.pdf](#)

From: Tracy Rosenberg <tracy@media-alliance.org>
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2020 1:42 PM
To: Board of Supervisors, (BOS) <board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org>
Subject: 12/15 Agenda: Resolution on San Francisco General Hospital Naming

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Dear supervisors,

Please find attached a letter of support for the resolution from Supervisor's Gordon Mar and Matt Haney regarding the naming of San Francisco General Hospital.

We would appreciate your support for the resolution. If you have any questions regarding the resolution, please reach out and we would be more than happy to discuss with office staff why the resolution is a significant part of the national push back against viral public health disinformation on the Facebook platform.

Thank you,

Tracy Rosenberg
on behalf of the Protest Facebook Coalition.

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December 4, 2020

San Francisco Board of Supervisors
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Hon. Norman Yee, Hon. Sandra Lee Fewer, Hon. Catherine Stefani, Hon. Aaron Peskin, Hon. Gordon Mar, Hon. Dean Preston, Hon. Matt Haney, Hon. Rafael Mandelman, Hon. Hilary Ronen, Hon. Shamann Walton, Hon. Ahsha Safai

Dear Chair Yee and Supervisors,

We are writing in strong support of the resolution introduced by Supervisors Mar and Haney to condemn the naming of San Francisco General Hospital after Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg.

Organizations and companies around the country have been pushing Mark Zuckerberg to stop hate, lies, racism, and disinformation from running rampant on the platform he founded. But despite a boycott by more than 1,000 companies that advertise on Facebook (www.stophateforprofit) and public outcry by Facebook's own employees ([FB employees stage virtual walkout](#)), he's failed to take strong action.

With the turbulent 2020 elections completed, and Facebook leaders still refusing to stop their platform from being used to disrupt our democracy with bogus claims of election fraud and lies about COVID-19, now is the perfect moment for the City of San Francisco to take a stand.

A recent study by the nonprofit group Avaaz analyzed how a few dozen super-spreader accounts have used the platform to generate over 75 million pieces of election fraud disinformation, more than one for every single Trump vote in the entire country.¹

Similarly, Facebook users document how a seemingly harmless way to keep in touch with family, friends and acquaintances has become a weapon for exacerbating divides, sowing confusion and hatred, and enhancing polarization.²

A survey conducted by ICFJ and Columbia University's Tow Center for Journalism of reporters covering the pandemic reported that the Facebook platform was the largest impediment to delivering accurate

1 <https://www.nytimes.com/2020/11/23/technology/election-misinformation.html>

2 <https://www.nytimes.com/2020/11/24/opinion/facebook-disinformation-boomers.html>

stories about the virus, and that efforts to reach out to the platform to stem the tide of lies were usually unsuccessful.³

Due to Facebook's shameful record in spreading public health misinformation during the current COVID-19 pandemic, its founder's name has no place on San Francisco's prominent public health facility.

Although the resolution will not actually remove the Zuckerberg name from San Francisco General Hospital, it is an important step for the City to disassociate from a company that doesn't even come close to reflecting our city's values and commitment to human rights and social and racial justice.

We hope this resolution will be a part of efforts both locally and across the country to make Facebook change its ways. Here in the Bay Area, the Protest Facebook coalition has been holding a series of events at the company's downtown and peninsula offices, at the executive's residences and online to lift up the frustration at the company's failure to put society's health before its massive profits.

Please let us know if we can provide you with any additional information about the resolution or the position of our organizations.

Thank you for your support.

Global Exchange

Media Alliance

MediaJustice

San Francisco Latino Democratic Club

³ <https://www.theguardian.com/technology/2020/oct/14/facebook-greatest-source-of-covid-19-disinformation-journalists-say>

From: [Devin Hollis](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Public Comment - Agenda item 200790 December 3 Condemning the Naming of the Priscilla Chan and Mark Zuckerberg San Francisco General Hospital and Trauma Center
Date: Thursday, December 3, 2020 1:26:06 PM

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Dear Mr. Carrol,

I am forwarding a public comment at the request of our Board Chair Judy Guggenhime who is not able to participate on the phone today. Mrs. Guggenhime's comments below are specific to Agenda item 200790 Condemning the Naming of the Priscilla Chan and Mark Zuckerberg San Francisco General Hospital and Trauma Center on December 3, 2020.

Can you please share the comments below with the Government Audit and Oversight Committee on Mrs. Guggenhime's behalf.

Thank you,

Devin Hollis

San Francisco General Hospital Foundation

DIRECT: 415.418.0602

Good morning Supervisor's Mar, Peskin and Haney. My name is Judy Guggenhime, Board Member and Chair at the San Francisco General Hospital Foundation. Our Foundation's mission is to support Zuckerberg San Francisco General Hospital and Trauma Center with the essential funding and resources. For over 20 years, I have been dedicated to supporting the hospital, improving patient care, and the public health of San Francisco.

For over thirty years the Foundation has worked closely with you, the city, individual donors, local businesses, and citizens to raise more than \$200 million dollars for the well-being of our city and public hospital.

In 2008, during the worst economy, we worked to pass the bond issue and to raise the money for the furniture, fixtures, and equipment. This new hospital has performed magnificently in the face of the current pandemic. Now, we are facing another very scary economic time in San Francisco requiring our city to pull together and partner to keep us healthy and functional. Our future will need private philanthropy again. I urge you to consider this naming condemnation.

Philanthropy is a partnership between donors, the city, its government, and its citizens.

Philanthropy depends on trust; the trust that the donations will be used and treated appropriately and skillfully.

An essential part of philanthropy are naming opportunities and donor recognition. We should be very grateful and treat donors respectfully as naming opportunities signal to other donors to step up and show support that is substantial.

These are donors who care passionately about substance abuse, mental health, homelessness, equity, healthy families, trauma to name just a few issues.

We must work together—to partner—and reconsider this condemnation and the negative impact it will have on future fundraising in our city. I hope we can work together and find the balance between need and politics.

Thank you,

Judy Guggenhime,
Board Chair, San Francisco General Hospital Foundation

From: [Julie French](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Public Comment - Condemning the Naming of the Priscilla Chan and Mark Zuckerberg San Francisco General Hospital and Trauma Center
Date: Thursday, December 3, 2020 12:12:10 PM

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Mr. Carroll and SF Board of Supervisors,

First, I would like to say that I am most appreciative of the fact that this topic is on the table and open to conversation and commentary.

Second, I MOST vehemently support the condemnation of the naming, the removal of the name and the creation of a policy that prevents this from happening in the future.

I am a 30+ year San Francisco resident as well as UCSF employee who is located at SFGH and has been there for the past 14 years.

There will be, I anticipate, much commentary addressing the reprehensible practices and policies of Facebook in general and Zuckerberg specifically, and how that all flies in the face of what we stand for and what we are trying to accomplish at SFGH. I whole-heartedly agree with all of that.

I would add a couple of other concerns.

First, as a tax-paying resident of San Francisco, I am paying for that hospital. I voted for the bond and for as long as I live here in San Francisco, I, along with all of the other people in the city and county of San Francisco who pay a penny in taxes, will continue to pay for that hospital. Now, granted, I did not fork over \$75 million, but proportionately, I am paying what I can, and until this fiasco happened, "my name" was on that building in the form of "San Francisco," and that should not be for sale. It seems reasonable to name a building, or a cafeteria (UCSF Mission Bay has the Shorenstein cafeteria...), or breeze way or an open space (rooftop garden, plaza, etc.), in honor of a major donor. Or a plaque. But to rename the whole entire entity is a slap in the face.

Second, when this all went down, the messaging that we as employees received from the San Francisco Foundation was that it was not a demand or condition from the Chan/Zuckerbergs that this naming process be a part of the deal. The messaging that WE received was that the SFF encouraged them to allow "us" to do so, mainly because it was seen as a way to attract further large donors to the table. There is a lot there that is wrong on so many levels.

A.) if someone is not requesting to have the organization to be named in their honor, we should just stop right there and offer them a building, cafeteria, rooftop garden or plaque.

B.) we are not a ballpark or a stadium to be bought and sold for commercial purposes. We are a public hospital of and for the people of the city and county of San Francisco. We deserve to have that dignity preserved.

Please vote to not only condemn this practice but to ensure that we do not have to be concerned about the future auctioning off of our shared resources, services, bridges and/or towers.

thank you for your time!

Julie M. French
810 Eddy Street #204
SF, CA 94109

From: [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#)
To: [BOS-Supervisors](#)
Cc: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: FW: - Today;s Dec. 3, 2020 GAO Cmtee Meeting - Zuckerberg SF General Naming - File No. 200790
Date: Thursday, December 3, 2020 11:11:41 AM

-----Original Message-----

From: Library Users Association <libraryusers2004@yahoo.com>
Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2020 10:50 AM
To: Carroll, John (BOS) <john.carroll@sfgov.org>; Board of Supervisors, (BOS) <board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org>
Subject: - Today;s Dec. 3, 2020 GAO Cmtee Meeting - Zuckerberg SF General Naming - File No. 200790

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Dear Government Audit and Oversight Committee Members, and Board of Supervisors:

Library Users Association appreciates the concerns expressed by the proposed legislation, file number 20 0790, which "condemns the naming of the San Francisco General Hospital and Trauma Center after Priscilla Chan and Mark Zuckerberg" and "urges City departments to establish clear standards with regards to naming rights for public institutions and properties that reflect San Francisco's values and a commitment to affirming and upholding human rights, dignity, and social and racial justice" -- but we are concerned with some of the broader issues that we think need to be considered, and much stronger steps taken to eliminate the undue influence, including potential conflicts of interest, that donations and naming opportunities can engender city-wide.

We particularly encourage -- at the least -- an expansion of the visibility, or the standards, that this legislation recommends be required of individual departments -- not just that departments develop naming opportunity procedures, but that, for example, any such policies require Board of Supervisors approval.

We are additionally concerned with the selling or provision of naming opportunities in general, as well as the ongoing advocacy of specific businesses by City agencies . At the San Francisco Pubic Library, for example, there is a long list of opportunities for naming buildings, parts of buildings, rooms, and contents such as bookcases.

And, apparently for no fee, the monthly library publication "At the Library" touts Facebook and other social media: "Get Social!" multiple times in each issue. The online version even includes direct links. And there have been large banners on the outside of branches recently, "Like Us on Facebook!" All such endorsements / touting of outside entities by city agencies should also be strongly prohibited, or at least subject to city-wide public decision-making at the Board of Supervisors.

Thank you for your efforts on this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Peter Warfield
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From: [Library Users Association](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: - Today;s Dec. 3, 2020 GAO Cmtee Meeting - Zuckerberg SF General Naming - File No. 200790
Date: Thursday, December 3, 2020 10:50:54 AM

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Thank you for your efforts on this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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From: [Rich Kallet](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Support for Removing Zuckerberg's Names from SFGH
Date: Thursday, December 3, 2020 10:24:51 AM

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Dear Committee Members;

It has been my honor to have spent most of my 40 year career as a respiratory therapist working at SFGH, one of the oldest and greatest public hospitals in the United States. The initial generosity of Mark Zuckerberg sadly has been overshadowed by his despicable lack of responsibility in allowing FaceBook to be used as a platform to undermine democracy and sow social discord that has and will lead to violence.

This is consistent with his unapologetic refusal to stop FaceBook from being used to foment genocide against the Rohingya minority in Myanmar/Burma several years ago.

These actions conflict with everything SFGH stands for and makes a mockery of our hospital and our city.

As actions have consequences the very least should be to shun Zuckerberg's self serving generosity from using SFGH to sanitize his image.

Please support Item 200790 and send a message.

Richard Kallet MS RRT
SFGH 1981-2018

From: [Jeff Pekrul](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: in favor of removing Zuckerberg's name from SF General Hospital
Date: Thursday, December 3, 2020 9:31:11 AM

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John Carroll:

Mark Zuckerberg actions as CEO of Facebook have been and continue to be extremely malign and damaging to our society. I think it is a travesty that this billionaire has managed to buy respectability despite all of that buy paying to have his name on a prominent civic institution in our city. If he wants to donate, fine. With all his money, it really is no big deal for him. But he should not be rewarded with having our hospital named after him.

Sincerely,

Jeff Pekrul
180 Landers St, San Francisco, CA 94114
415-690-7441

From: [Barbara Fry](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: SFGH
Date: Thursday, December 3, 2020 7:03:21 AM

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Don't give that notoriously selfish villain Mark Zuckerberg such an honor! I already avoid Facebook as much as humanly possible, and I haven't self-destructed.

Sent from [Mail](#) for Windows 10

From: [Hank Ramirez](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: San Francisco General Hospital
Date: Wednesday, December 2, 2020 10:44:25 AM

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Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg's name has no place on San Francisco General Hospital. His failure to stop hate, lies, racism, and disinformation from running rampant on Facebook is counter to the values San Franciscans hold dear. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Facebook's algorithm has spread [public health disinformation](#) on the platform far more than actual public health information from trusted sources. During the recent elections and their aftermath, Facebook barely lifted a finger in response to Donald Trump's repeated [lies and conspiracy theories](#) about the outcome of the election, allowing them to become some of the most popular and widely shared posts on the entire Facebook platform.

The San Francisco Board of Supervisors should put our city on the record against Mark Zuckerberg's abject failure to protect the public from lies, hate, and disinformation on the platform he founded. They can take the first step by voting for the [resolution](#) that condemns his name being associated with our esteemed public hospital.

Thank you.

Hank Ramirez
(he/him/his)

A guest on traditional, unceded Kumeeyaay land. [native-land.ca](#)

From: [ANITA KLINE](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Support Resolution to Condemn Naming of our Public Hospital after Mark Zuckerberg
Date: Tuesday, December 1, 2020 2:32:36 PM

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Dear John Carroll,

I am a retiree of the SF Department of Public Health and a long-time resident of San Francisco. I've always been proud of our City's commitment to science and public health and to our public hospital SF General. I worked for 20+ years as a medical social worker on the SFGH AIDS Ward and with cancer patients and was fortunate to be part of this model of care known round the world.

I think you can understand then why I say that Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg's name has no place on San Francisco General Hospital. His failure to stop hate, lies, racism, and disinformation from running rampant on Facebook is counter to the values San Franciscans hold dear. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Facebook's algorithm has spread [public health disinformation](#) on the platform far more than actual public health information from trusted sources. During the recent elections and their aftermath, Facebook's most popular and widely shared posts contained [lies and conspiracy theories](#) about the outcome of the election.

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Sincerely,
Anita Kline

From: [Caryn Cowin](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: SF Board of Supervisors Gov't Audit and Oversight Committee Meeting
Date: Tuesday, December 1, 2020 11:19:25 AM

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Regarding Item #7 - Zuckerberg SFGH resolution

Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg's name has no place on San Francisco General Hospital. His failure to stop hate, lies, racism, and disinformation from running rampant on Facebook is counter to the values San Franciscans hold dear. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Facebook's algorithm has spread [public health disinformation](#) on the platform far more than actual public health information from trusted sources. During the recent elections and their aftermath, Facebook's most popular and widely shared posts contained [lies and conspiracy theories](#) about the outcome of the election.



It is for these reasons that I am no longer on Facebook. It's just toxic.

The San Francisco Board of Supervisors should put our city on the record against Mark Zuckerberg's abject failure to protect the public from lies, hate, and disinformation on the platform he founded. They can take the first step by voting for the [resolution](#) that condemns his name being associated with our esteemed public hospital.

Caryn L. Cowin
caryn_cowin@yahoo.com

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From: [JS](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: ZSFGH
Date: Tuesday, December 1, 2020 11:05:46 AM

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Hi John,

SFGH needs to be a place that the public fully trusts and I believe the Zuckerberg name compromises this trust.

Thank you.

Joel Scott

From: [Tamás Mészárovi](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: zuckerberg...
Date: Tuesday, December 1, 2020 12:42:53 AM

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All the world is fed up with this zuckerberg dirt....

From: [Kyra Dear](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Condemn the naming of San Francisco General Hospital after Mark Zuckerberg
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 8:06:50 PM

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This is a public comment on the SF Board of Supervisors Gov't Audit and Oversight Committee Meeting - Thursday, December 3, 2020, 10 a.m. Pacific Time

A hospital should be named for the values contributed by pioneers in the field of medicine and health. The historic institution of SF General should not be named after a capitalist who has nothing to do with health.

Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg's name has no place on San Francisco General Hospital. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Facebook's algorithm has spread [public health disinformation](#) on the platform far more than actual public health information from trusted sources. During the recent elections and their aftermath, Facebook's most popular and widely shared posts contained [lies and conspiracy theories](#) about the outcome of the election. That is all fine, but and I can choose not to use Facebook. But I certainly do not want that to have any influence or power over my healing when and if I need the professional care of the esteemed doctors and health care workers at SF General. Mark Zuckerberg's name is antithetical to the peace of mind required for good health care and his name all over and around the facility would be would be an imposition upon the community of health care workers and patients alike.

Mark Zuckerberg's charitable contributions in support of SFGH were for saving his reputation and for tax write-offs. The San Francisco Board of Supervisors should put the city on the record against Mark Zuckerberg's abject failure to protect the public from lies, hate, and disinformation on the platform he founded. They can take the first step by voting for the [resolution](#) that condemns his name being associated with our esteemed public hospital.

Kyra Rice

From: [Nora Mattek](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Do not rename SF General Hospital to Zuckerberg
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 5:50:11 PM

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Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg's name has no place on San Francisco General Hospital. His failure to stop hate, lies, racism, and disinformation from running rampant on Facebook is counter to the values San Franciscans hold dear. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Facebook's algorithm has spread [public health disinformation](#) on the platform far more than actual public health information from trusted sources. During the recent elections and their aftermath, Facebook's most popular and widely shared posts contained [lies and conspiracy theories](#) about the outcome of the election.

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Best,

Nora Polk

From: [nina.hemenway](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Zuckerberg
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 4:24:49 PM

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I am a decades-long resident of San Francisco and a former employee for 26 years at SFGH. I was sickened when the hospital was renamed with Zuckerberg included. Such a venerable, world-respected institution should not cave to the demands of the CEO of Facebook. SFGH is the people's hospital, not the plaything of rich, entitled, unscrupulous men (or women). Restore its good name - San Francisco General Hospital.

Thank you

Nina Hemenway

From: [Alana Liechty](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Facebook's Little Markie
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 3:45:48 PM

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People,

I have been disgusted since I learned SF General bares the name of one of the worst people in the world. Divisiveness for the sake of profit negates the message of healthcare showing \$\$\$'s are more important than human life.

Please get this selfish idiot's name off a SF landmark and trusted institution.

San Francisco is having image problems and this will help with the optics.

I live in Portland Oregon but I am a Bay Area native from San Mateo and I grew up in Los Altos. Please remove Little Markie Zuck-a-Fuck from this prestigious institution.

Alana Liechty

From: [Susan Anderson](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Resolution to name San Francisco General Hospital
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 3:31:59 PM

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Mr. Carroll -

On Thursday, December 3rd, I hope the entire San Francisco Board of Supervisors Gov't Audit and Oversight Committee will vote **YES** on a resolution that condemns the naming of San Francisco General Hospital after Mark Zuckerberg. I'm thrilled that someone has finally publically recognized him for who he really is.

Susan Anderson

From: ss@ssteuer.com
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Zuckerberg name does NOT belong on our SF General Hospital!
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 2:23:46 PM

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Dear Mr. Carroll,
per the supervisor meeting regarding the naming of SF General...

I am horrified that this city is honoring someone who has contributed to the hate mongering of this President, and the resultant dangers to society.

Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg's name has no place on San Francisco General Hospital. His failure to stop hate, lies, racism, and disinformation from running rampant on Facebook is counter to the values San Franciscans hold dear. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Facebook's algorithm has spread public health disinformation on the platform far more than actual public health information from trusted sources. During the recent elections and their aftermath, Facebook's most popular and widely shared posts contained lies and conspiracy theories about the outcome of the election.

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Thank you!
Sharon Steuer
District 9
Bernal

From: [mahin Charles](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Remove Mark Zuckerberg"s name
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 1:52:57 PM

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Regards,

Ms. M. Charles

425-621-3821

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Allegra Printz](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Removal Zuckerberg
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 1:14:55 PM

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Please REMOVE Zuckerberg's name from any SF Hospital! His Facebook et al has caused untold damage because of his insistence on profit & company growth & general irresponsibility to the public good. See Roger McNamee's book, 'Zucked' for details!!

A. Printz

From: [Ann McDonald](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Resolution 7
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 10:16:03 AM

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From the onset I was
shocked to see
Zuckerberg's name
preceding
San Francisco General
Hospital.
A plaque inside the hospital
would suffice.
Please remove his name!
For all the reasons cited.

A connection to his name
and Facebook is
not what
the people of San Francisco
voted for.
At the onset his name was
covered with tape.
The history of
San Francisco General
is important.
It doesn't include
Zuckerberg who knows
little about the history.

We are in a time of
donations being
political.

I will sign up to leave a
message as well.
Thank you for the email
and opportunity to voice
and write my opinion!

Ann McDonald

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Carol Glanville](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Renaming Zuckerberg
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 10:13:39 AM

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Wasn't there a resolution accepting the donation and re-naming at the time?
Please email me reference.

Carol Glanville

Sent from my iPad

From: [Paula Shafransky](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Zuckerberg SFGH Resolution
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 9:34:34 AM

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I am writing to say that Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg's name has no place on San Francisco General Hospital. His failure to stop hate, lies, racism, and disinformation from running rampant on Facebook is counter to the values San Franciscans hold dear. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Facebook's algorithm has spread public health disinformation on the platform far more than actual public health information from trusted sources. During the recent elections and their aftermath, Facebook's most popular and widely shared posts contained lies and conspiracy theories about the outcome of the election.

The San Francisco Board of Supervisors should put the city on the record against Mark Zuckerberg's abject failure to protect the public from lies, hate, and disinformation on the platform he founded. They can take the first step by voting for the resolution that condemns his name being associated with this esteemed public hospital.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Paula Shafransky

From: [Karl Kopecky](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Naming of hospital
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 9:18:40 AM

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Dear Sir:

Please do not approve the naming of the hospital the Mark Zuckerberg Hospital. It would be a disgrace to everything that a hospital should stand for. His facebook has promoted hate sentiments and the Holocaust denial, among other things.

Yours truly,

Karl Kopecky

From: [Carol & Paul Soper](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Naming of hospital
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 8:44:28 AM

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When you consider renaming the hospital, please do not do so for Mark Zuckerberg. His company has spread public health and political misinformation to the detriment of national health and our democracy. He should not be honored for that.

Thank you.
Carol S. Soper

From: [Teddy Schleifer](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Re: #200790
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 7:28:54 AM
Attachments: [image003.png](#)

Thank you for following up!
Teddy Schleifer • Senior reporter, Money and Influence
Mobile: 202-809-2946
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On Wed, Nov 25, 2020 at 4:47 PM Carroll, John (BOS) <john.carroll@sfgov.org> wrote:

Teddy Schleifer.

Your item of interest is on agenda for GAO consideration on December 3, 2020.

Here is a link to the agenda for the meeting:

https://sfbos.org/meeting/agenda/2020/gao120320_agenda.pdf

Regards,

John Carroll

From: Carroll, John (BOS)
Sent: Friday, October 2, 2020 1:27 PM
To: 'Teddy Schleifer' <teddy.schleifer@recode.net>
Cc: Wright, Edward (BOS) <edward.w.wright@sfgov.org>
Subject: RE: #200790

Thanks for your question.

I don't have a date for this at this time. Sorry to say.

The GAO committee only has a few meetings left this year. Watch for agendum for October 15, November 5, November 19, and December 5.

John Carroll

From: Teddy Schleifer <teddy.schleifer@recode.net>
Sent: Wednesday, September 30, 2020 6:27 PM
To: Carroll, John (BOS) <john.carroll@sfgov.org>
Cc: Wright, Edward (BOS) <edward.w.wright@sfgov.org>
Subject: Re: #200790

Hi guys, is there any update on the timing of this item?

Thanks,

Teddy

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On Mon, Aug 10, 2020 at 12:09 PM Carroll, John (BOS) <john.carroll@sfgov.org> wrote:

Sorry to have confused you.

I'm not able to answer the questions on when the resolution may be scheduled in GAO—the Office of the Chair has not yet directed me to agendaize the item. My contact in the office of Chair Mar is Edward Wright.

It may have been best for me at the onset of the conversation to have put you in direct contact with Mr. Wright. My apologies.

I defer to Mr. Wright on further questions about the resolution.

John Carroll

Assistant Clerk

Board of Supervisors

San Francisco City Hall, Room 244

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From: Teddy Schleifer <teddy.schleifer@recode.net>
Sent: Monday, August 10, 2020 11:39 AM
To: Carroll, John (BOS) <john.carroll@sfgov.org>
Cc: Wright, Edward (BOS) <edward.w.wright@sfgov.org>
Subject: Re: #200790

Um, very confused.

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On Mon, Aug 10, 2020 at 11:36 AM Carroll, John (BOS) <john.carroll@sfgov.org> wrote:

Thanks for the info.

Copying Edward Wright with Chair Mar's office on this message for more info.

John Carroll

From: Teddy Schleifer <teddy.schleifer@recode.net>
Sent: Monday, August 10, 2020 10:43 AM
To: Carroll, John (BOS) <john.carroll@sfgov.org>
Subject: Re: #200790

Ralph Lane said that you would be the best point of contact for questions about scheduling as the clerk of the committee?

T

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On Mon, Aug 10, 2020 at 10:26 AM Carroll, John (BOS) <john.carroll@sfgov.org> wrote:

That's interesting! Who did you talk to in Mar's office about this resolution?

John Carroll

From: Teddy Schleifer <teddy.schleifer@recode.net>
Sent: Monday, August 10, 2020 10:06 AM
To: Carroll, John (BOS) <john.carroll@sfgov.org>
Subject: Re: #200790

Gotcha. Yes, Mar sent me to your office for any scheduling inquiries for the committee. Will you be able to share an update when it is to be heard by Government Oversight?

T

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On Fri, Aug 7, 2020 at 11:51 AM Carroll, John (BOS) <john.carroll@sfgov.org> wrote:

Thanks for your question.

I don't know what is yet planned for this resolution. It is assigned to the Government Audit and Oversight Committee, and Chair Mar is the author. So, I suggest you contact the office of Chair Mar and ask what the scheduling intention is for this matter.

Best to you

John Carroll

From: Teddy Schleifer <teddy.schleifer@recode.net>
Sent: Thursday, August 6, 2020 4:58 PM
To: Carroll, John (BOS) <john.carroll@sfgov.org>
Subject: #200790

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Hi John, do you know when the committee will be hearing this legislation?

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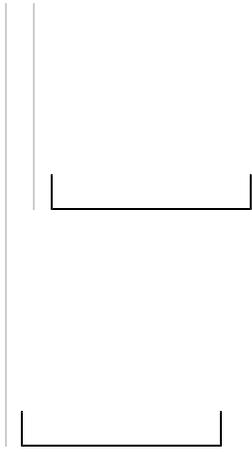
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From: [Meg B](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Cc: [Sasha Cuttler](#)
Subject: Zuckerberg name on SFGH
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 6:47:41 AM

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I am a registered nurse who just retired after 34 years at SFGH.

I support the removal of the Zuckerbergs name from our beloved, iconic hospital.

I do not feel that just because someone gives what amounts to pocket change in their world to a well known and loved institution, that it should mean they get their name on it.

I don't want to sound ungrateful, but the taxpayers have ponyed up much much more to retrofit the hospital.

The iconography of the U.S. is changing. Statues are being taken down, streets renamed so as not to honor symbols of colonialism and slaveholding.

Mark Zuckerberg has much to answer for with his tolerance of hate speech and misinformation on Facebook. While he may not be a slaveholder (though some of his employees may disagree) his name besmirches our beloved hospital.

Meg Brizzolara RN

From: [Philip Bandy](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: No Zuckerberg
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 6:39:13 AM

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Sir,

I appreciate the significance and irony of the naming game in general, but the specifics of this case, naming your institution after Zuckerberg, is about the same symbolism as naming the hospital after Adolf Hitler; not a good move.

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Phil Bandy
Vallejo, CA

From: [Gary Burrows](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Personal names on hospitals
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 4:03:26 AM

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Dear sir:

I am opposed to Mark Zuckerbergs name or any other obscenely wealthy persons name appearing on a hospital or any other public building.
This practise helps all of us to turn a blind eye to the grossly unfair ways in which our society disadvantages the many to the advantage of the few. The few do much to perpetuate this in their ignorant pursuit of power and wealth Please do NOT encourage them.

Yours sincerely,
Gary T. Burrows M.D.
Sent from ProtonMail Mobile

From: lwalker@childpro.org
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Chan/Zuckerberg SF General Hospital
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 3:58:53 AM

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To Whom It May Concern:

Please use stronger state tax law and anti trust laws to break up Facebook, Google, Twitter, You Tube and Amazon. Do not reward these robber barons with naming hospitals after them.

Citizen,

Linda Walker

From: [karen kirschling](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: SF Board of Supervisors Gov't Audit and Oversight Committee Meeting, item #7 (Zuckerberg SFGH resolution)
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 12:58:47 AM

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On Thursday, December 3rd, the San Francisco Board of Supervisors Gov't Audit and Oversight Committee is voting on a resolution that condemns the naming of San Francisco General Hospital after Mark Zuckerberg.

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Thank you.

From: [Betty Kissilove](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Public comment re: Supervisors vote on Zuckerberg"s SFGH resolution
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 12:43:25 AM

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Dear Mr. Carroll,

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Thank you,

Betty Kissilove

1401 10th Ave. #303

San Francisco, CA 94122

From: [Jane Holt](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: I worked at San Francisco General Hospital.
Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 12:07:27 AM

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This institution is different than a stadium or arena.. and should not be named after a benefactor. Please do not keep the name Zuckerbeck General Hospital . San Francisco General Hospital is an institution. Like Cook County or the Mayo Clinic. Please return dignity to our hospital.

thank you

Jane Holt RN/PNP

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866-828-0431 H Fax

From: [pat_brooks](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Comments on the removal of Mark Zuckerberg name from San Francisco General Hospital
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 11:03:12 PM

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My name is Patricia Brooks, and I am a retired Medical Anthropologist and public school teacher.

In the past 50 years, my family members, friends, and myself have been patients at San Francisco General Hospital. We are thankful for the excellent care received at the hospital. Before Mark Zuckerberg's name was attached to the institution, San Francisco General Hospital had a record of delivering excellent emergency and other healthcare.

When I last visited the area of the hospital, I was jarred by the sight of the attachment of Mark Zuckerberg's name to the physical structure because of Zuckerberg's reputation for dishonesty before several Congressional committee meetings and his cynical apologies for his actions each time. I am not alone in the observation that Mr. Zuckerberg is an opportunistic & dishonest business person. I further believe that he is hypocritical because in these very long months of the COVID-19 pandemic, he & his fellow CEOs could have used several of the billions of dollars to alleviate the problems caused by the nation's lack of adequate social safety net. They wouldn't have missed the money donated.. Lives of healthcare workers and public citizens would have not had to be sacrificed for want of funds.]

I do fervently support the removal of Mark Zuckerberg & family names from San Francisco General Hospital.

Thank you for your kind attention.

Sincerely your,

Patricia Brooks

Berkeley, California

From: [Susan Lewis](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: San Francisco General Hospital
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 10:43:50 PM

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Dear Sirs,

Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg's name has no place on San Francisco General Hospital. His failure to stop hate, lies, racism, and disinformation from running rampant on Facebook is counter to the values San Franciscans hold dear. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Facebook's algorithm has spread [public health disinformation](#) on the platform far more than actual public health information from trusted sources. During the recent elections and their aftermath, Facebook's most popular and widely shared posts contained [lies and conspiracy theories](#) about the outcome of the election.

The San Francisco Board of Supervisors should put the city on the record against Mark Zuckerberg's abject failure to protect the public from lies, hate, and disinformation on the platform he founded. They can take the first step by voting for the [resolution](#) that condemns his name being associated with our esteemed public hospital.

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Allan L. Campbell](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Resolution on SF General
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 9:29:36 PM

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Please support the resolutions condemning the naming of San Francisco General Hospital after Zuckerberg. Because Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg's name does not belong as a name of a hospital because he has allowed too much hate and disinformation on Facebook.

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Allan Campbell
allanlc16@gmail.com

From: [Temple Weste](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Resolution Condemning the Naming of SFGH after Zunckerberg
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 9:21:38 PM

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I strongly urge the San Francisco Board of Supervisors Gov't Audit and Oversight Committee to pass the resolution that condemns the naming of San Francisco General Hospital after Mark Zuckerberg. Why in the world would anyone want to name this hospital after Zuckerberg? Can only imagine someone would suggest this really bad idea with pecuniary gain in mind. The San Francisco Board of Supervisors should put the city on the record against Mark Zuckerberg's abject failure to protect the public from lies, hate, and disinformation on the platform he founded.

Temple Weste
Kahului, Hawaii 96732

From: [Ann Dorsey](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Approve the resolution to condemn naming San Francisco General Hospital after Mark Zuckerberg
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 9:20:52 PM

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San Francisco Board of Supervisors Government Audit and Oversight Committee members,

I urge you to please take action to prevent San Francisco General Hospital from being named after Mark Zuckerberg.

His unwillingness to stop the blatant hate, lies, racism and disinformation on Facebook shows his character and what is important to him. It is *not* the general public. As such, he should not be commemorated by having the hospital named after him.

Thank you,

Ann Dorsey

From: [D. Wood](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: The naming of San Francisco General Hospital after Mark Zuckerberg
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 9:06:40 PM

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Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg's name has no place on San Francisco General Hospital. He failed to stop hate, lies, racism, and disinformation from running rampant on Facebook. That is not consistent with the values San Franciscans hold dear. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Facebook's algorithm has spread 'public health disinformation far more than actual public health information from trusted sources.

During the recent elections and their aftermath, Facebook's most popular and widely shared posts contained Lies and Conspiracy theories about the outcome of the election. Mark Zuckerberg doesn't respect the truth. He supports his friends and earning money. He supported Trump and his constant stream of lies.

The San Francisco Board of Supervisors should put the city on the record against Mark Zuckerberg's abject failure to protect the public from lies, hate, and disinformation on the platform he founded. They can take the first step by voting for the resolutin that condemns his name being associated with our esteemed public hospital.

Why should anyone trust a hospital named after a man who supports lying, hate and disinformation???

Sincerely,
Deborah Wood,
Simi Valley, CA

From: [M. Curtin](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Public Comment for the December 3, 2020 Government Audit and Oversight Committee Meeting Agenda Item 7
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 8:54:06 PM

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Greetings Committee Members:

Please vote for the resolution in Agenda Item 7 that condemns the name of Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg being associated with our esteemed San Francisco General Hospital.

Mike Curtin

From: [Maurin Malinen](#)
To: [m.malinen@uchicago.edu](#)
Subject: Re: SF Supervisor to vote on Zuckerberg SFH resolution. Make a public comment by phone!
Date: Friday, November 20, 2020 8:56 AM PT

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I do not live in San Francisco or in California. However, I am in agreement that Mark Zuckerberg as the CEO has not set a sufficiently firm policy to discourage and prevent dissemination of hate, lies, racism, and political misinformation by users on Facebook.

Maurin Malinen

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From: Andrea S. via Postbox on [roostbox.org](mailto:roostbox@roostbox.org)
Sent: Sunday, November 22, 2020 8:54 PM
To: Maurin W. Malinen m.malinen@uchicago.edu
Subject: SF Supervisors to vote on Zuckerberg SFH resolution. Make a public comment (by phone?)

On Thursday, December 3rd, the San Francisco Board of Supervisors Gov't Audit and Oversight Committee will vote on a resolution that condemns the naming of San Francisco General Hospital after Mark Zuckerberg. **Please support the resolution by making a public comment by phone on Thursday!**

SF Board of Supervisors Gov't Audit and Oversight Committee Meeting
Thursday, December 3, 2020, 10 a.m. Pacific Time
Item 27: The Zuckerberg SFH resolution

Watch the meeting online at <https://www.sfbos.org/committees/govt-audit-and-oversight>

Make a public comment by calling 1 (415) 855-0011 Meeting ID: 146 215 7375. Read [about public comments](#). Or email a public comment to john.carnall@sfgov.org.

Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg's name has no place on San Francisco General Hospital. His failure to stop hate, lies, racism, and disinformation from running rampant on Facebook is counter to the values San Franciscans hold dear. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Facebook's algorithm has spread [public health disinformation](#) on the platform far more than actual public health information from trusted sources. During the recent elections and their aftermath, Facebook's most popular and widely shared posts contained [lies and conspiracy theories](#) about the outcome of the election.

The San Francisco Board of Supervisors should put the city on the record against Mark Zuckerberg's abject failure to protect the public from lies, hate, and disinformation on the platform he founded. They can take the first step by voting for the [resolution](#) that condemns his name being associated with our esteemed public hospital.

Andrea S. started this petition on Roostbox. If there's an issue close to your heart that you'd like to campaign on, you can [start your campaign here](#).

You are receiving this message because you signed the petition "[Take Mark Zuckerberg's name off of San Francisco General Hospital](#)". If you don't want to receive emails from the "Take Mark Zuckerberg's name off of San Francisco General Hospital" campaign in the future, please [unsubscribe](#).

From: [Michael House](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Don't Name SF General Hospital After Zuckerberg
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 8:25:21 PM

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To Whom It May Concern:

As a constituent resident in the Bay Area, a secular values voter, and a supporter of what is true over what is profitable, I call on you to condemn putting Mark Zuckerberg's name on San Francisco General Hospital.

Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg's name has no place on San Francisco General Hospital. His failure to stop hate, lies, racism, and disinformation from running rampant on Facebook is counter to the values San Franciscans hold dear. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Facebook's algorithm has spread [public health disinformation](#) on the platform far more than actual public health information from trusted sources. During the recent elections and their aftermath, Facebook's most popular and widely shared posts contained [lies and conspiracy theories](#) about the outcome of the election.

The San Francisco Board of Supervisors should put the city on the record against Mark Zuckerberg's abject failure to protect the public from lies, hate, and disinformation on the platform he founded. They can take the first step by voting for the [resolution](#) that condemns his name being associated with our esteemed public hospital. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,
Michael House
Redwood City, CA
orguss@mac.com

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From: [susan susan](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: SF Board of Supervisors: Zuckerberg naming resolution
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 8:03:25 PM

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Dear John Carroll:

Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg's name has no place on the San Francisco General Hospital. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Facebook's algorithm has spread public health disinformation on the platform while blocking medical doctors, virologists, and medical and health and safety scientists. Facebook inappropriately censored medical doctors and scientists for presenting criticism about big pharma and pseudo-science posing as science. Facebook may have been responding to undue pressure from Adam Schiff (apparently as a written letter) and Nancy Pelosi and perhaps Intelligence Community, but such coordinated pressure does not excuse Facebook from violating American citizens' civil rights as the US Constitution remains the Supreme Law of the Land that trumps backdoor directives from high-profiled persons.

There is great dissatisfaction in the US Senate, specifically with Mark Zuckerberg, from both sides of the political spectrum. He told them he would be transparent, but then he balked at answering questions to the US Senate on both sides of the political aisle as he discovered that they knew more than he knew they knew from at least one former employee turned whistleblower. Not only did he not answer the Senators, but it was put on the record that he refused to commit to answering several questions in the near future and that the Senate preferred voluntary cooperation but can force him to answer their questions if that is the action that will be needed. I refer you to the multiple 2020 US Senate interviews of big tech specifically Mark Zuckerberg that are available for you to watch on YouTube, as the pertinent questions asked by US Senate and the inadequate responses of Mark Zuckerberg was summed up that the US Senate plans to collaborate with both political parties to take action against Mark Zuckerberg and the others within the next couple months, including possibly breaking FaceBook up as a monopoly that is out of control and that has historically evaded telling the truth to the US Senate.

Children's Health Defense with Robert F. Kennedy Jr (son of assassinated Bobby Kennedy, nephew of assassinated JFK) is suing Mark Zuckerberg and Facebook and at least 2 fact checkers for wrongful defamation and loss of income by deplatforming CHD and labeling it as an non-credible site. Robert F. Kennedy Jr is a very smart attorney who understands the law, and his website has sources for everything and labels opinions as opinions and actively solicits information that may be contrary to anything posted makes this non-profit the wrong place for Mark Zuckerberg to have defamed in this way--even if he was being pushed into doing this allegedly illegal activity by Adam Schiff. I suspect Mark Zuckerberg knows he has done wrong and will be found that he wrongfully injured this non-profit group that protects vaccine

harmed children and wins a majority of its lawsuits in vaccine court, and I base this upon watching his responses acknowledging that FaceBook made errors to the US Senate. You do not want to be embarrassed and be in the position of being pushed to change the name in the near future. When FaceBook users were severely punished and permanently removed by their third offense when they hadn't done anything wrong without any appeal recourse, it is very difficult to say that Mark Zuckerberg should be given more consideration than he gave his users, if we are all equal.

The San Francisco Board of Supervisors should put the city on the record against Mark Zuckerberg's abject failure to protect the public from lies, hate, and disinformation on the platform he founded. They can take the first step by voting for the [resolution](#) that condemns his name being associated with our esteemed public hospital.

Susan Michetti

We must end shaming, blaming, and vilifying. We must demand full transparent and open debate of scientific facts and rigorous analysis for all matters that affect our health and safety.

From: [Brian Murray](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Zuckerberg SFGH resolution
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 7:55:04 PM

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Sincerely,

Brian Murray

From: dieffe53@libero.it
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Naming
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 7:40:33 PM

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Dear Sir,

even if I were an Italian citizen, I ask to you to condemn the naming of San Francisco General Hospital after Mark Zuckerberg, because I think that he has not any special credit on public health to get such a special recognition.

Thank you. Best wishes.

Domenico Falconieri

From: [Steve Luongo](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: SF Board of Supervisors Gov't Audit and Oversight Committee Meeting, Thursday, December 3, 2020, 10 a.m.,
Zuckerberg SFGH Resolution
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 7:40:32 PM

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Having Mark Zuckerberg's name on a public hospital clearly implies that he is a champion for the public good. Even more clearly, that implication is a lie. The actions (or more precisely, inaction) of his company are proof of that lie. The damage caused by his inaction is exacting a far-reaching and significant toll on our country and our world.

Stephen Luongo

Ann Arbor, Michigan

From: [Joseph Brown](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: San Francisco Hospital
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 7:36:50 PM

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Joseph R Brown

From: [L.Dill](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: KEEP SFGH WITHOUT MARK ZUCKERBERG'S NAME ON IT!
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 7:21:25 PM

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Hello there,

Happy Sunday Nov 29th 2020!

Short and Sweet.... I am a bay area native and I would hate to see a social media giants name plastered on the San Francisco general hospital! It is distasteful, inappropriate and it glorifies a social media giant/CEO of Facebook who has been running a social media conglomerate tied into stealing many peoples personal information/data and spreading false politics and allowing for hate mongering online to spread and acting as a monopoly, etc, etc!

Please reconsider, do NOT let Mark Zuckerberg's name come to adorn the SF general hospital.... THIS IS NOT THE TIME OR PLACE FOR SOMETHING SO WHOLLY UNCOUTH AS THIS!!!

Please reconsider....

Thank you,

Bay area native,

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From: [Doug Oostdyk](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: San Francisco Hospital.
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 7:16:35 PM

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Hello.

Hope you are well.

Please do Not name the Hospital after Mark Zuckerberg!!

I am sure you can find Another Name to put on the Hospital.

Thank you.

Best Wishes.

From: [Kay Randall](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Zuckerberg's name on SF General Hospital
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 7:06:25 PM

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The San Francisco Board of Supervisors should put the city on the record against Mark Zuckerberg's abject failure to protect the public from lies, hate, and disinformation on the platform he founded. They can take the first step by voting for the [resolution](#) that condemns his name being associated with our esteemed public hospital. Please do not allow Mark Zuckerberg's name to be placed on the SF General Hospital when he has done everything he can to spread lies and disinformation about this nation's current public health crisis.

Sincerely,

Kay M. Randall

From: [Pamela G](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Comment on Item #7, resolution re Zuckerberg SFGH
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 7:05:40 PM

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As a recent graduate of USCF School of Nursing, who did clinical rotations at SFGH, I would like to add my support to efforts to remove the Zuckerberg name from this public institution which has played a critical role in San Francisco history. The wealthy should not be able to erase their mistakes by paying for their names to be on public institutions known for their good work.

There is no doubt that Facebook has contributed to widespread public health disinformation. Mr Zuckerberg should be held accountable for the contribution of the platform in the dissemination of hate, lies and racism in our society, as he has benefited financially from his failure to act.

The San Francisco Board of Supervisors should put the city on the record against Mark Zuckerberg's failure to protect the public from lies, hate and disinformation on the platform he founded. They can take the first step by voting for the resolution that condemns his name being associated with this esteemed public hospital.

Sincerely,
Pamela Gudiño, RN, MS, MPH

From: [peter.little](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: SFGH
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 7:05:26 PM

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Please change the name back. It should always be SFGH.
Also years ago I was taken to the Mary Martin Trauma Center. That name has a story too.
Zuckerberg has no story and offers nothing at all to enrich the character and color of the city.
Thank you.

From: [John Candela](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: The Zuckerberg SFGH resolution - (item #7) for 12/3/20 meeting
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 4:44:12 PM

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Dear Mr Carroll,

I'm writing this message to the SF Board of Supervisors as a San Francisco resident. I am requesting that Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg's name, be removed from San Francisco General Hospital.

His failure to stop hate, lies, racism, and disinformation from running rampant on Facebook is counter to the values San Franciscans hold dear. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Facebook's algorithm has spread public health disinformation on the platform far more than actual public health information from trusted sources. During the recent elections and their aftermath, Facebook's most popular and widely shared posts contained lies and conspiracy theories about the outcome of the election. The San Francisco Board of Supervisors should put our city on the record against Mark Zuckerberg's abject failure to protect the public from lies, hate, and disinformation on the platform he founded. They can take the first step, by voting for the resolution that condemns his name being associated with our esteemed public hospital.

Thank you,
John Candela

From: [Anne Haggerty](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Re: Zuckerberg
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 4:13:32 PM

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Please curtail this man/boy's illegal and destructive policies and aspirations. FB needs to be broken up. Too much power for one (morally compromised) person.

From: [Todd Yeomans](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: SFGH Public Comment
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 3:25:12 PM

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As a registered nurse, MBA student, and steering committee member of the SEIU Nurse Alliance of California, I firmly oppose the initial renaming of SFGH. I am in support of the board's condemnation of the naming of SFGH after Mark Zuckerberg and support of a resolution to remove his name from the facility.

-Todd Yeomans, MSN, RN, PHN

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Todd Yeomans, MSN, RN, PHN

From: [Julia Glanville Julia Glanville](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: General Hospital Name resolution
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 3:17:52 PM

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I agree with the Resolution File Number 200790 by the San Francisco board of Supervisors that condemns the naming of the San Francisco General Hospital and Trauma Center after Priscilla Chan and Mark Zuckerberg and urging City departments to establish clear standards with regards to naming rights for public institutions and properties that reflect San Francisco's values and a commitment to affirming and upholding human rights, dignity, and social and racial justice.

As someone born and raised in San Francisco I have watched and wondered at this and so many recent examples of our city failing to remember its identity, history and important milestones and instead catering to the new and enormous digital economy that has grown up south of us and within our midst. San Francisco and the Bay Area has so many things it has contributed to for change for the better in our country and world, and I have to say, at this point, it is not the digerati we need to be enabling and celebrating.

The current trend to appreciate wealth for wealth's sake in our city contributes to our collective amnesia and sidelines important projects that have started or grown up here that link us to creating a better world, and which still require support, care and attention. We do not need the Zuckerberg family names as a feather in our cap when we have SFSU's Ethnic Studies program, the first children's playground west of the Mississippi, the Black Panthers, the Coalition on Homelessness, art and garden programs in schools, parks and open space preserved and maintained for the benefit of children, families & all, bicycle advocacy that has grown into established routes and safe streets, a history of civil disobedience and activism impactful for the ADA, for shifting global opinion on the AIDS Epidemic (including medical breakthroughs at SF General) and LGBTQ civil rights, a national park within our city limits, and so many more tangible and change making reevaluations, realities and contributions. All of which so many of us work tirelessly to support and move forward with little pay or recognition. We know the work is not done and have no intention to start sitting on our laurels, let alone hang our laurels on civic institutions.

It is time for San Francisco to start remembering and celebrating its identity and begin retelling it's social historical narrative and stop selling out! Young adults like Zuckerberg was when he was starting here apparently learned nothing about the contributions of countless people here dedicated to change for the better, instead they rake in money and live out a self-aggrandizing, technocratic and elite Ayn Rand delusions with disastrous outcomes for humans and the environment. Or if Mark did pick up on any of this at all, there is an appalling disconnect between that awareness and the algorithmic and exponential moneymaking machine that is deepening the divide between the citizens of our nation, making money on popular but false and damaging information and catapulting charlatans into power. Lets celebrate and remember the best of what we can be as a city and not forget that we have a lot of work to do to follow through on our best intentions!

Thank you,
Julia Glanville

From: [Carol Zeroual](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Zuck
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 3:15:50 PM

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Hello John,

I fully support banning Mark Zuckerberg's name being used for the name of any hospital. He is corrupt, has allowed disinformation on his platform. Zuck sucks!!

From: [Walter Mackins](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Never Zucker!
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 3:15:10 PM

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Dear Mr. Carroll,

Native San Franciscan here, born at SAN FRANCISCO GENERAL HOSPITAL. When I heard that the hospital's name had been formally changed, call me petty but that really pissed me off. Very "trumpian", Mr. Zuckerberg (And just as distasteful!) Zuckerberg San Francisco General Hospital? Really?! Just rolls off the tongue doesn't it? (Yeah, me neither.) Just because one can does not mean one should. Just sayin'.

Thank you.

Walter Mackins
San Francisco, California
November 29, 2020

Sent from my iPhone

From: [james hochstetler](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: San Francisco General Hospital
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 3:01:59 PM

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Let Zuckerberg give all the \$billions\$ he wants to SFGH, but leave his name OFF this major institution long serving the general public! We The People have not forgotten that Mark Zuckerberg chose to dine with Peter Thiel and Donald Trump at the White House (a fact that all three fervently wish had remained unknown), and following that dinner, Zuckerberg chose to initiate policies that enabled very substantial political DISinformation and propaganda to be blatantly broadcast on Facebook, and very steadfastly refused to do anything the slightest bit meaningful to compromise or change course. These facts are now very widely known (and with great disgust and contempt).

The City of San Francisco, Harvey Milk, Willy Brown, Dianne Feinstein and Nancy Pelosi, to single out just a few of many others, as well as ALL its inhabitants and those of us who have visited SF (repeatedly) with very fond memories, deserve FAR BETTER!!! Facebook's uninhibited very broad dissemination of propaganda, DISinformation and outright lies while purporting to be upholding the "free exchange of ideas" under the First Amendment, is blatantly outrageous, ridiculous, totally disgusting, AND, MOST CERTAINLY DOES NOT deserve to be rewarded by slathering the name of its chief enabler upon the edifice of this very fine institution in this liberal bastion of democracy and fine ethical standards, which has long genuinely supported the public good.

Thank you very much,

Jim Hochstetler
UWS Manhattan 10024

Sent from my iPhone

From: [R. W.](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Zuckerberg SFGH Resolution
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 3:01:51 PM

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To Whom It May Concern:

As a San Francisco resident I absolutely support the resolution to remove Mr. Zuckerberg's name from SFGH!

Thanks,

Ron Winterstein

From: howardfallon@yahoo.com
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Cc: [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Get Zuckerberg's name OFF our hospital!
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 2:49:27 PM

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Howard Fallon
333-27th Street
San Francisco, CA 94131

40 year resident, home owner & I vote!



From: [Linda Blatnik](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 2:07:26 PM

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Mark Zuckerberg has done nothing to deserve naming a hospital after him! He has allowed rampant lies to take over Facebook, the business he owns. He has assisted in the invasion of privacy. And besides his \$\$, what will he contribute to your hospital? Ethics and memorializing someone who paves the way for good health should be the guidelines.

When they start to look at names and monuments they want to tear down in the future, Mark Zuckerberg's will be one of them!

Thank you for reading this and stay well!

From: [B.Dass](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Resolution Condemning the Naming of San Francisco General Hospital
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 2:05:41 PM

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Dear Mr. Carroll

I was shocked when I first learned that Zuckerberg's name was attached to the San Francisco General Hospital. Then as now, Facebook was known as a greedy, ruthless monopoly that undermines democracy, fosters division, and harbors seditious and mendacious organizations, all in the name of profit. On Thursday, December 3rd, the San Francisco Board of Supervisors Gov't Audit and Oversight Committee has a chance to take a small but significant step toward a reaffirmation of democratic values. Let us hope they will take it.

Sincerely,

Jorge De Cecco

From: [Jenny](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: We need SFGH back
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 1:25:32 PM

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Dear John Carroll,

It is beyond insane why the San Francisco General Hospital was ever renamed Zuckerberg, after an individual who owns a social media platform that spreads misinformation.

The hospital is owned and used by the city and the citizens of San Francisco.

I have been a nurse there since 2002 and am frankly embarrassed by the name.

Change it back. Even Zuckerberg I'm certain, didn't want this. Wouldn't just a wing be sufficient?

Make one good thing come out of 2020. Reinstate San Francisco General Hospital to her correct name. Surely one of the easier fixes of your career?

Kind regards,

Jenny McGrane MSN RN

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From: [G. Thomas Hoemig](#)
To: [Carroll, John \(BOS\)](#)
Subject: Naming the S.F. General Hospital after Mark Zucker
Date: Sunday, November 29, 2020 1:10:36 PM

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Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg's name has no place on San Francisco General Hospital. His failure to stop hate, lies, racism, and disinformation from running rampant on Facebook is counter to the values San Franciscans hold dear. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Facebook's algorithm has spread [public health disinformation](#) on the platform far more than actual public health information from trusted sources. During the recent elections and their aftermath, Facebook's most popular and widely shared posts contained [lies and conspiracy theories](#) about the outcome of the election.

The San Francisco Board of Supervisors should put San Francisco on the record against Mark Zuckerberg's abject failure to protect the public from lies, hate, and disinformation on the platform he founded. They can take the first step by voting for the [resolution](#) that condemns his name being associated with this esteemed public hospital.

Introduction Form

By a Member of the Board of Supervisors or Mayor

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- 5. City Attorney Request.
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