

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisor Kim,

On behalf of (insert organization), we urge you to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. The YBCBD's work supports the cultural and nonprofit heartbeat of the district. Every time a person visits, and sees a clean, safe, and inviting neighborhood, it encourages them to return and support our museums, galleries and performance venues.

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Sincerely,

Elizabeth Gessel Program Manager

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Wednesday, May 20, 2015

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

RE: Renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District

Dear Supervisor Kim,

On behalf of the San Francisco Bicycle Coalition, we urge you to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District (YBCBD). The YBCBD's work supports the cultural and nonprofit heartbeat of the district and we look forward to many more years of partnership with the YBCBD.

We commend the YBCBD for its strong support of community-based organizations across a diversity of fields and issues. In particular, the YBCBD works to improve the neighborhood's streets and public spaces for all, creating safer streets for people walking, biking and taking transit and new public spaces for residents and visitors to interact and linger. The streetscape programs have shown steadfast commitment to improving public spaces through a public art plan, greening programs, artful bike racks, alley designs, and more. The YBCBD also provides grants to neighborhood nonprofits that support efforts like family programs, public art projects, and cultural exhibits vital to the neighborhood.

With the support and partnership of the YBCBD, the San Francisco Bicycle Coalition successfully launched San Francisco's first Bicycle-Friendly Business District in Yerba Buena in 2014. We worked with over 30 local merchants to attract more customers on bike and create a more inviting experience for people already riding their bikes through the neighborhood. We also look forward to helping implement the ambitious public space and transportation projects outlined in the Yerba Buena Street Life Plan this year and into the future.

We're proud to support the YBCBD's efforts as they have proven collaborative, committed, and innovative partners. The YBCBD gets results because of the strong partnerships they've built with the City, residents, businesses and neighborhood non-profit organizations. As Yerba Buena continues to grow, the YBCBD's efforts to make this incredible neighborhood better for everyone who lives, works and visits the neighborhood will be even more important. The San Francisco Bicycle Coalition encourages you to support the YBCBD's renewal.

Sincerely,

Noah Budnick Executive Director

San Francisco Bicycle Coalition



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Dear Supervisor Kim,

On behalf of Yerba Buena Ice Skating & Bowling Center, we urge you to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. The YBCBD's work supports the cultural and nonprofit heartbeat of the district.

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Signature/Print Name/Title

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May 20, 2015

The Honorable Supervisor Jane Kim City & County of San Francisco Board of Supervisors 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

Subject: Resolution of Intention to Renew and Expand Yerba Buena Community Benefit District

# Dear Supervisor Kim:

The San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA) expresses its enthusiastic support for the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District (Yerba Buena CBD). The SFMTA has two of its larger off-street garages, 5th & Mission and Moscone Center, in Yerba Buena CBD's district, and our parking customers benefit greatly from the Clean Team and safety services. The Yerba Buena CBD also helps create a fun and inviting environment that people want to visit during the workweek and on weekends. Their innovative and engaging programming and events define the neighborhood and bolster its stores, cultural institutions, and restaurants.

On the Central Subway Project and other transportation initiatives in the Yerba Buena community, Yerba Buena CBD Board, staff, and volunteers have worked with the SFMTA as collaborative, committed and innovative community partners while advocating for community needs. I encourage you to support a 15-year renewal term that sustains services to maintain the district, allows for implementation of projects with longer planning horizons, and conserves Yerba Buena CBD and city funding and resources used to renew the district. The Yerba Buena CBD has our strong support—its work is fundamental to the well-being of Yerba Buena's businesses, residents and visitors.

The SFMTA fully supports the renewal of the Yerba Buena CBD.

Sincerely,

Edward D. Reiskin

**Director of Transportation** 



May 19, 2015

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Sincerely,

Peter Kim

**GLOW** 

May 18, 2015

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244 San Francisco, CA 94102 Jane.Kim@sfgov.org

#### Dear Supervisor Kim:

On behalf of SFMOMA, we urge you to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. The YBCBD's work supports the cultural heartbeat of the district. Every time a person visits, and sees a clean, safe, and inviting neighborhood, it encourages them to return and support our museums, galleries and performance venues. The plans to augment cleaning and pedestrian safety services after renewal are one of many reasons we're supportive. As we move closer to completing our exciting expansion, the number of visitors to the area will increase making their services to keep the area clean and safe more important than ever.

We also commend the YBCBD for its strong support of the arts. The streetscape programs implemented – large and small — improve public spaces with public art plans, greening programs, artful bike racks, alley designs, and more. Yerba Buena Night organized by YBCBD celebrates the district with a free evening of dance, arts, music and performance. It was attended by 10,000 people last year and draws attention to the cultural attractions in the neighborhood. The YBCBD also provides grants to neighborhood nonprofits that support efforts like family programs, public art projects and cultural exhibits. This type of support excites people about the arts that are so important in society.

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Deputy Director, External Relations

**SFMOMA** 





Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisor Kim,

On behalf of the San Francisco Travel Association we urge you to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. The YBCBD's work supports the cultural and nonprofit heartbeat of the district. Every time a person visits, and sees a clean, safe, and inviting neighborhood, it encourages them to return and support our museums, galleries and performance venues.

The Moscone Center, one of the City's major economic engines, sits in the middle of the YBCBD district. As the Moscone Center expands and continues to be one of the most sought after convention centers it is important for the neighborhood around it to showcase the great aspects of San Francisco. YBCBD's services are effective. They fund a San Francisco Police Department bike patrol officer to improve safety and address quality of life issues. Community Guides help everyone in the district and monitor public areas. They direct visitors to local businesses, contact the YBCBD dispatcher to have areas cleaned, report safety issues, and help those in need. Their Clean Team sweeps and steam-cleans sidewalks, and removes graffiti and litter, and responds to neighborhood cleaning needs. All of these are vital services to sustaining a great neighborhood now and in the future.

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Sincerely,

Joe D'Alessandro President & CEO

San Francisco Travel Association



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Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

May 19, 2015

Dear Supervisor Kim,

As the Executive Director of the Children's Creativity Museum (CCM) and on behalf of CCM's Board of Directors, I am writing to express our support for the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District (YBCBD) and I urge you to support its renewal. As you know, CCM partners with YBCBD on a number of projects and we participate regularly in the important meetings that YBCBD successfully convenes—therefore, I have personally seen the critical role that YBCBD plays in creating and sustaining the vibrancy of the Yerba Buena Gardens, community partnerships, and the neighborhood spirit. YBCBD's goals to support access to the arts and to preserve open space for children and families is highly compatible with our mission at CCM.

Yerba Buena Gardens is an integral part of the cultural fabric of this vibrant and diverse neighborhood—and of the entire San Francisco community as a whole. YBCBD plays a vital role in preserving access, safety, and public engagement of this community resource. Yerba Buena Night (just one of the activities planned by YBCBD) brought in over 10,000 people last year to celebrate art and culture in San Francisco and we are looking forward to participating this year to serve families with young children. YBCBD's effective use of resources in supporting a bicycle patrol police officer and Community Guides not only keep Yerba Buena Gardens clean and safe, but they also create community awareness and ownership of the Gardens and neighborhood. Without this constant vigilance in keeping the Gardens attractive and clean, CCM would not have been able to welcome over 2 million visitors to the museum, carousel, and theater over the years.

But YBCBD's work extends beyond the Garden itself. Their efforts for the neighborhood include the streetscape programs that create engaging and attractive public spaces with artists, city planners, greening programs, and artful bike racks—this program is innovative, inspirational, and creates value for the neighborhood and it needed vision from YBCBD to come to life. We are proud to partner with YBCBD in considering ways in which families and children can be served by these public areas.

It's clear from our work with families, educators, and schools that *all* children need open spaces to roam, safe places to play, and access to culture and art. Thus, a renewal of YBCBD not only supports the residents and families of San Francisco, but helps further the aspirations of our organization, and many others, within the Yerba Buena Gardens neighborhood. In our increasingly complex and technologically-driven society, it is organizations such as ours and YBCBD that can work together to ensure that children grow up well-rounded and that access to high-quality art is not limited to only the privileged few.

Sincerely,

Carol Tang, Ph.D. Executive Director



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May 19, 2015

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Dear Supervisor Kim,

On behalf of SPUR, I urge you to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. The YBCBD's work supports the cultural and nonprofit heartbeat of the district. Every time a person visits, and sees a clean, safe, and inviting neighborhood, it encourages them to return and support our museums, galleries and performance venues.

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works and visits here will be even more important. The cultural arts community of Yerba Buena encourages you to support the YBCBD's renewal.

Sincerely,

Lawrence Li

Administrative Director



May 19, 2015

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisor Kim,

On behalf of Yerba Buena Center for the Arts, we urge you to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. The YBCBD's work supports the cultural and nonprofit heartbeat of the district. Every time a person visits, and sees a clean, safe, and inviting neighborhood, it encourages them to return and support our museums, galleries and performance venues.

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Yerba Buena Center for the Arts	
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May 15, 2015

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244 San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisor Kim:

Westfield San Francisco Centre, the City's premier destination for world-class fashion, entertainment, and dining, is proud to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. We encourage you to join us in supporting a 15-year renewal term that sustains services to maintain the district. The YBCBD's services are critical to the success of the Centre. Each year, 20 million people visit the Center. Our guests are evenly divided among tourists, residents and regional visitors. Each time one of them visits and sees a clean, safe, and inviting neighborhood, it encourages them to return and support us and other stores, cultural institutions and restaurants.

The YBCBD's services add great value to Yerba Buena and the City. Their Community Guides report cleanliness issues and direct people to us. YBCBD markets the area with websites, events, social media, street banners, and more to help support our neighborhood's economic engine. Its Clean Team sweeps and steam-cleans sidewalks, removes graffiti, picks up litter, and responds to immediate neighborhood cleaning needs. The YBCBD funds a San Francisco Police Department bike patrol officer to improve safety and address quality of life issues. Community Guides help everyone in the district and monitor public areas. They direct visitors to local businesses, contact the YBCBD dispatcher to have areas cleaned, report safety issues, and help those in need. All of these are vital services to sustaining a great neighborhood now and in the future.

Westfield has been proud to participate on its Board of Directors and its committees. We have seen how they make a difference in the neighborhood because of the strong partnerships they've built with the City, residents, businesses and cultural organizations. We encourage you to support the renewal and thank you for the support you've provided the Westfield San Francisco Centre over the last several years.

Sincerely,

Leah Heil General Manager Westfield San Francisco Centre

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisor Kim,

As a business owner in the Yerba Buena District I would like to enthusiastically support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. The YBCBD's services are critical to our business, neighborhood and City economy. Every time a person visits and sees a clean, safe, and inviting neighborhood, it encourages them to return and support us and other stores, cultural institutions and restaurants. The renewal of YBCBD is vital to sustaining this ideal.

The YBCBD also adds value to our business and supports the cultural and convention heartbeat of the district that drives commerce in the district. Their Community Guides, Clean Team, and San Francisco Police Department bike patrol officer work to improve safety and address quality of life issues throughout our neighborhood. Were we to lose those services, it would have a devastatingly negative impact for all who visit, live, and work in Yerba Buena.

The YBCBD staff, board and volunteers are collaborative, committed and innovative. They make a difference in the neighborhood because of the strong partnerships they've built with the City, residents, businesses and cultural organizations. We encourage you to support a 15-year renewal term that sustains services to maintain the district, allows for implementation of projects with longer planning horizons, and conserves YBCBD and City funding and resources used to renew the district. The YBCBD has our strong support—their work is fundamental to the well being of Yerba Buena's businesses, residents and visitors.

Brian Jess / Store Team Leader

Sincerely,

Signature/Print Name/Title

Business'Name

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**Contact Phone or Email** 



May 18, 2015

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisor Kim,

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On behalf of Yerba Buena Alliance, we urge you to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. The YBCBD's work supports the cultural and nonprofit heartbeat of the district. Every time a person visits, and sees a clean, safe, and inviting neighborhood, it encourages them to return and support our museums, galleries and performance venues.

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Sincerely,

Virginia Grandi Executive Director Yerba Buena Alliance

# CONTEMPORARY JEWISH MUSEUM

May 18, 2015

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisor Kim,

On behalf of The Contemporary Jewish Museum, we urge you to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. The YBCBD's work supports the cultural and nonprofit heartbeat of the district. Every time a person visits, and sees a clean, safe, and inviting neighborhood, it encourages them to return and support our museums, galleries and performance venues.

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Sincerely,

Kerry King

Chief Operating Officer

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415.655.7813

May 18, 2015

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Sincerely,

Lori Starr Executive Director lstarr@thecjm.org 415.655.7808 May 15, 2015

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244 San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisor Kim:

Moscone Center, one of the most successful convention centers in the nation, enthusiastically supports the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. Tourism is the single biggest contributor to San Francisco's economy and the Moscone Center is responsible for 21 percent of it. The YBCBD's services are critical to the success of the Moscone Center, the neighborhood and the City's economy. Every time a person visits and sees a clean, safe, and inviting neighborhood, it encourages them to return and support us and other stores, cultural institutions and restaurants. The renewal of the YBCBD is vital to sustaining this ideal.

The YBCBD adds value to Yerba Buena and supports the convention heartbeat of the district that drives commerce here. Their Community Guides report cleanliness issues and direct people to us. The YBCBD markets the area with websites, events, social media, street banners, and more to help support our neighborhood's economic engine. Its Clean Team sweeps and steam-cleans sidewalks, removes graffiti, picks up litter, and responds to immediate neighborhood cleaning needs. The YBCBD funds a San Francisco Police Department bike patrol officer to improve safety and address quality of life issues. Community Guides help everyone in the district and monitor public areas. They direct visitors to local businesses, contact the YBCBD dispatcher to have areas cleaned, report safety issues, and help those in need. All of these are vital services to sustaining a great neighborhood now and in the future.

The YBCBD staff, board and volunteers are collaborative, committed and innovative, and the Moscone Center is proud to participate on its Board of Directors. They make a difference in the neighborhood because of the strong partnerships they've built with the City, residents, businesses and cultural organizations. We encourage you to support a 15-year renewal term that sustains services to maintain the district, allows for implementation of projects with longer planning horizons, and conserves YBCBD and City funding and resources used to renew the district. The YBCBD has our strong support—their work is fundamental to the well being of Yerba Buena's businesses, residents and visitors.

Sincerely.

John Noguchi

Director of Convention Facilities City and County of San Francisco



May 18, 2015

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco I Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisor Kim,

On behalf of Renaissance Entrepreneurship Center, I urge you to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. The YBCBD's work supports the cultural and nonprofit heartbeat of the district. Every time a person visits, and sees a clean, safe, and inviting neighborhood, it encourages them to return and support our museums, galleries and performance venues.

We commend the YBCBD for its strong support of community-based organizations. The streetscape programs – large and small — have improved public spaces with public art plans, greening programs, artful bike racks, alley designs, improved lighting and other initiatives designed to improve safety and beauty in the community. The YBCBD also provides grants to neighborhood nonprofits that support efforts like family programs, public art projects and cultural exhibits. Yerba Buena Night organized by YBCBD celebrates the district with a free evening of dance, arts, music and performance. It was attended by 10,000 people last year and draws attention to the cultural attractions in the neighborhood.

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As Yerba Buena continues to grow, the YBCBD's daily services and long-term projects to make our incredible neighborhood better for everyone who lives, works and visits here will be even more important.

Sincerely,

Lisa Wood Kirvin

Managing Director

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May 18, 2015

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisor Kim,

On behalf of the Filipino-American Development Foundation (FADF), we urge you to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. The YBCBD's work supports the cultural and nonprofit heartbeat of the district. Every time a person visits, and sees a clean, safe, and inviting neighborhood, it encourages them to return and support our museums, galleries and performance venues.

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For FADF, the YBCBD provides annual financial support for the Annual Parol Lantern Festival and in 2010, provided financial support for the Filipino community mural at the Filipino Education Center campus of Bessie Carmichael School.

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Sincerely,

Bernadette Sy Executive Director Supervisor Jane Kim
City and County of San Francisco
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisor Kim:

On behalf of the employees at Peet's Coffee & Tea at Third and Mission streets, please support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. We need their clean and safe services to continue, which are essential to the district.

We experience firsthand how the YBCBD's services add value to Yerba Buena. Their services providers are always eager to help. Their Clean Team sweeps and steam-cleans sidewalks, removes graffiti, picks up litter, and responds to immediate neighborhood cleaning needs. Their Community Guides report cleanliness issues and direct people to us. YBCBD markets the area with websites, events, social media, street banners, and more to help support our neighborhood's economic engine. The YBCBD funds a San Francisco Police Department bike patrol officer to improve safety and address quality of life issues. Community Guides help everyone in the district and monitor public areas. They direct visitors to local businesses like us, contact the YBCBD dispatcher to have areas cleaned, report safety issues, and help those in need.

All of these are vital services to sustaining a great neighborhood now and in the future. We encourage you to support the YBCBD's renewal and appreciate that you'll consider our request.

Best.

Peet's Coffee & Tea

Third and Mission streets \*

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May 18, 2015

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisor Kim,

As a founding Board member of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District I am writing to enthusiastically support its renewal. While I am no longer a Board member, I still believe that the YBCBD's services are critical to the neighborhood and to the City economy. Every time a person visits and sees a clean, safe, and inviting neighborhood, it encourages them to return and support neighborhood stores, cultural institutions, and restaurants. The renewal of YBCBD is vital to sustaining this ideal.

I spent many months helping launch the YBCBD, as well as serving as Treasurer for the first 18 months. I did this because I saw a need for the neighborhood – residents, businesses, and government – the truly coalesce to welcome people into the area. The area needed focused attention to ensure it remained attractive and competitive to those who live, work or visit.

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Sincerely,

Dan Goldes

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May 18, 2015

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102



Dear Supervisor Kim,

On behalf of South of Market Child Care, Inc., we urge you to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. The YBCBD's work supports the cultural and nonprofit heartbeat of the district. Every time a person visits, and sees a clean, safe, and inviting neighborhood, it encourages them to return and support our museums, galleries and performance venues.

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South of Market Child Care, Inc.	
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Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

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**Business Name** 

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Contact Phone or Email

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244 San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisor Kim,

As a resident of Yerba Buena, I urge you to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. The YBCBD is vital to improving the quality of life in Yerba Buena for property owners, residents and business. The CBD is working — the district is cleaner, safer and more inviting than ever.

The YBCBD is effective. Their Clean Team sweeps and steam-cleans sidewalks, removes graffiti, picks up litter, and responds to immediate neighborhood cleaning needs. Last year alone, YBCBD Clean Team addressed 7,500 sweep requests, cleaned up over 600 overflowing garbage cans and removed 3,500 graffiti tags, flyers and stickers. I can't imagine what the neighborhood would look like without their efforts. The YBCBD-funded SFPD officer for the district and Community Guides address quality of life issues every day and makes the streets safer with their presence. Streetscape programs – large and small — improve public spaces with greening programs, artful bike racks, seating, alley designs, public art plans, and more.

YBCBD's daily services and long-term projects are more important than ever as the district grows rapidly. There are thousands of new residents, office workers and visitors. The number of visitors will increase dramatically with the reopening of SFMOMA, Moscone Centre expansion and new museums, businesses and transit lines. Their services over the past seven years have proven to make the neighborhood cleaner, safer and better for everyone. I strongly support the renewal of the YBCBD for 15 years and encourage you to do the same.

Sincerely,			
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May 15, 2015

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

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Sincerely,

Sean M. Jeffries

Boston Los Angeles Miami New York San Francisco Washington, D.C. Hong Kong



May 13, 2015

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

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Peter oehler, Regional Director of Operations-Northern CA & General Manager
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May 15, 2015

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

### Dear Supervisor Kim,

On behalf of the Cartoon Art Museum, we urge you to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District. The YBCBD's work supports the cultural heartbeat of the district. Every time a person visits, and sees a clean, safe, and inviting neighborhood, it encourages them to return and support our museums, galleries and performance venues.

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I would be happy to discuss the significance of the YBCBD with you more. Feel free to contact me at 415-227-8666 ext. 313 or office@cartoonart.org.

Sincerely,

Summerlea Kashar Executive Director

Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

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Sincerely,		
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Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 280 San Francisco, CA 94102

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Signature/Print Name/Title

Director

Business Name

Contact Phone or Email

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

Signature/Print Name/Title

Misty Rasche / Misty Rasche / owner/operator

**Business Name** 

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Business Name

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May 3, 2015



Honorable Jane Kim Supervisor, City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244 San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Supervisor Kim:

The board of directors and staff of the Yerba Buena Gardens Festival (YBGF) enthusiastically support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District (YBCBD). YBGF is the independent non-profit arts organization that every year presents more than 100 admission-free, high-quality performing arts and cultural programs outdoors in Yerba Buena Gardens.

The YBCBD is an important leader in community-wide efforts to create a lively, healthy and happy civic environment for everyone in the Yerba Buena Cultural District. Led by Cathy Maupin and Andrew Robinson, the YBCBD has been an invaluable resource in bringing stakeholders together around important issues. The organization has built productive partnerships with the City, Yerba Buena residents, businesses and cultural organizations, and offers vital neighborhood services.

YBGF greatly appreciates YBCBD's campaign to brand and market Yerba Buena via websites, Yerba Buena Night, family days, street banners, etc.

The YBCBD Community Benefit Fund annually provides much-needed grants to art projects that make our neighborhood a wonderful place to live, work and visit. The Community Benefit Fund has supported many efforts like family programs and public art projects and cultural exhibits, including our own.

The YBCBD's other services, likewise, are all aimed at improving the livability and attractiveness of our neighborhood. Yerba Buena is truly benefited by the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District.

I am glad to submit this unconditional letter of support on behalf of YBCBD, and strongly urge you to vote for the renewal of their contract. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call at 415-543-1718.

Warmest regards,

Linda Lucero

Executive/Artistic Director

Aaron Grizzell Board President

# **Cathy Maupin**

From:

Laurel Arvanitidis [laurelbarsotti@gmail.com]

Sent:

Friday, May 15, 2015 9:51 PM

To:

jane.kim@sfgov.org Cathv Maupin

Cc: Subject:

Please Support Renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District.

Dear Supervisor Kim,

As a resident of Yerba Buena, I urge you to support the renewal of the Yerba Buena Community Benefit District.

The YBCBD is vital to improving the quality of life in Yerba Buena for property owners, residents and business.

The CBD is working — the district is cleaner, safer and more inviting than ever.

As a resident, I love the app that allows me to report quality of life issues - such as graffiti, illegal postings, broken glass, needles on the sidewalk etc. and then have the ability to track the results on their efforts to address the situation.

The 10b officer is also a great asset to the group - and their plans to include staffing to deal with vision zero goals for our neighborhood is welcome news. I can't wait for traffic enforcement during rush hour that will improve my safety as I walk to work.

As a resident in a neighborhood that is often thought of as a freeway entrance, a walking path to the Giants, a massive construction zone or a purely commercial area - it is great to have groups like the YBCBD ensuring residents get the quality services and neighborhood capacity building that we deserve.

I wholeheartedly support the renewal of the YBCBD for 15 years and hope that you and your colleagues on the Board will do the same.

Sincerely,

Laurel Arvanitidis Resident - 2nd St.

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