

City and County of San Francisco Entertainment Commission

Audrey Joseph Commissioner - Industry Representative

Audrey Joseph was appointed to the Entertainment Commission by Mayor Willie L. Brown and took office July 1, 2003. She has served as the first Vice President 2003-2004 and the President of the Commission 2004-2005.

Audrey Joseph relocated to San Francisco from New York in 1982. Her background in the concert, nightclub and record business in New York served her well in San Francisco. Ms Joseph worked for Megatone Records upon her arrival and was instrumental in the marketing and promotion of Sylvester. Her community spirit led her to volunteer with organizations



embarking on a new battle against the devastating pandemic of AIDS

1993 was the year Audrey founded Club Universe which became an international renown dance club and entertainment venue and hosted shows for the likes of Grace Jones, Cyndi Lauper, Chaka Kahn, B 52s, Blondie, and world class disc jockeys from around the globe. Universe was known for its ever evolving, ever changing themes each week.

Club Townsend, her night club venue, hosted the City's heart of diverse activity and entertainment including, Wicked, Futura, New Wave City, Club Asia, Club Q, Electric to name a few. Club Townsend also was the drop in center after the 911 attacks in New York and prided itself on its philanthropic events.

Audrey Joseph produced the dance stage at the Folsom Street Fair for many years and is still the main stage produce for San Francisco's Gay Pride celebration. This year that stage hosted En Vogue, Third Eye Blind, and Kimberly Locke as their primary headliners.