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Prepared by:	John Carroll	Date:	Oct. 15, 2021
Prepared by:	John Carroll	Date:	Oct. 27, 2021
Prepared by:	John Carroll	_ Date:	

### **RESOLUTION NO.**

1	[Fisherman's Wharf Landside Community Benefit District and Fisherman's Wharf Portside Community Benefit District - Annual Report - FY2019-2020]
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3	Resolution receiving and approving the annual report for the Fisherman's Wharf
4	Community Benefit District and Fisherman's Wharf Portside Community Benefit District
5	for Fiscal Year (FY) 2019-2020, submitted as required by the Property and Business
6	Improvement District Law of 1994 (California Streets and Highways Code,
7	Sections 36600 et seq.), Section 36650, and the Districts' management agreements with
8	the City, Section 3.4.
9	
10	WHEREAS, The Fisherman's Wharf Community Benefit District (the
11	"Fisherman's Wharf CBD") was established by the Board of Supervisors in 2005, and
12	the Fisherman's Wharf Portside Community Benefit District (the "Fisherman's Wharf
13	Portside CBD") was established by the Board of Supervisors in 2006, as described
14	below; and
15	WHEREAS, Both the Fisherman's Wharf CBD and the Fisherman's Wharf
16	Portside CBD are administered by the same owners' non-profit association, known as
17	the Fisherman's Wharf Association, as described below; and
18	WHEREAS, On June 7, 2005, in accordance with the Property and Business
19	Improvement District Law of 1994, California Streets and Highways Code,
20	Sections 36600 et seq. (the "Act"), as augmented by Article 15 of the San Francisco
21	Business and Tax Regulations Code ("Article 15"), the Board of Supervisors adopted
22	Resolution No. 386-05 expressing the City's intent to form the Fisherman's Wharf CBD;
23	and
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1	WHEREAS, On July 26, 2005, the Board of Supervisors adopted Resolution
2	No. 540-05 establishing the Fisherman Wharf's CBD for a period of 15 years
3	commencing with FY2005-2006; and
4	WHEREAS, On January 10, 2006, the Board of Supervisors adopted Resolution
5	No. 16-06 authorizing a contract with the Fisherman's Wharf Association for the
6	management and administration of the Fisherman's Wharf CBD (the "Fisherman's
7	Wharf CBD Management Contract") which is on file with the Clerk of the Board of
8	Supervisors in File No. 052026; and
9	WHEREAS, On October 24, 2006, in accordance with the Act, as augmented by
10	Article 15, the Board of Supervisors adopted Resolution No. 586-06 expressing the
11	City's intent to form the Fisherman's Wharf Portside CBD; and
12	WHEREAS, On December 12, 2006, the Board of Supervisors adopted
13	Resolution No. 696-06 establishing the Fisherman's Wharf Portside CBD for a period
14	of 14 years commencing with Fiscal Year 2005-2006; and
15	WHEREAS, On June 19, 2007, the Board of Supervisors adopted Resolution
16	No. 312-07 with the Fisherman's Wharf Association, authorizing a contract with the
17	Fisherman's Wharf Association for the management and administration of the
18	Fisherman's Wharf Portside CBD (the "Fisherman's Wharf Portside Management
19	Contract") which is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 070838;
20	and
21	WHEREAS, On September 15, 2020, the Board of Supervisors approved the
22	Fisherman's Wharf CBD's and the Fisherman's Wharf Portside CBD's annual report for
23	Fiscal Year 2018-2019 in Resolution No. 391-20; and
24	WHEREAS, The Fisherman's Wharf Association has submitted for the Board's
25	receipt and approval an annual report for both the Fisherman's Wharf CBD and

Supervisor Peskin BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

1	Fisherman's Wharf Portside CBD for Fiscal Year 2019-2020 as required by
2	Section 36650 of the Act and Section 3.4 of the Fisherman's Wharf Management
3	Contract and the Fisherman's Wharf Portside Management Contract (the "Annual
4	Report"), which is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 210615
5	and is incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth; and
6	WHEREAS, Supporting documents, including, but not limited to, a transmittal
7	letter and memorandum report from the City's Office of Economic and Workforce
8	Development, dated May 24, 2021, and documentation from the Fisherman's Wharf
9	Association for the Annual Report is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in
10	File No. 210615; now, therefore, be it
11	RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby receives and approves the annual
12	report for the Fisherman's Wharf Community Benefit District and Fisherman's Wharf Portside
13	Community Benefit District for FY2019-2020.
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# Fisherman's Wharf Community Benefit District FY 2019-2020 Annual Report





## **Legislative Overview**

# Community Benefit Districts (CBDs) / Business Improvement Districts (BIDs) are governed by:

- State law
  - "1994 Act"
- Local law
  - "Article 15"



## **Review Process**

# This resolution covers the Annual Report for FY 2019-2020.

- OEWD ensures that all CBDs/BIDs are meeting their management plans.
- OEWD staff conducts an annual review of Annual Reports and CPA Financial Reviews.
- OEWD provides the Board Supervisors with a summary memo.



## **FWCBD Formation**

FWCBD	Туре	Assessment Budget*	FY 19-20 Assessment Submission	Year Established	Expires
Landside	Property- Based	\$ 622,615	\$751,901	2005	luna 20, 2020
Portside	Business- Based	\$ 187,113	\$220,260	2006	June 30, 2020

\*budget identified in management plan



# **FWCBD Operations**

### • Staff

- Executive Director Randall Scott
- Service Areas

### <u>District Identity and Streetscape Improvements (DISI)</u>

• The DISI service includes marketing and public relations and street enhancements for the district.

### <u>Street Operations, Beautification and Order (SOBO)</u>

• The SOBO service area includes street maintenance, beautification, and safety and emergency preparedness

### <u>Administration and Corporate Operations</u>

 Admin and operations includes oversight of service contract, implementation of major projects, staffing the Board of Directors and Committees, and general day to day operations.



## **BENCHMARKS**

# OEWD's staff reviewed the following budget related benchmarks for FWCBD:

Benchmark 1 – Whether the variance between the budget amounts for each service category was within 10 percentage points from the management plan.

Benchmark 2 – Whether five percent (5%) of Landside's actuals came from sources other than assessment revenue.

Benchmark 3 - Whether the variance between the budget amounts for each service category was within 10 percentage points from the actuals.

Benchmark 4 - Whether CBD is indicating the amount of funds carried over from the current fiscal year and designating projects to be spent in the upcoming fiscal year.



# Management Plan vs. Annual Budgets (Landside)

Service Category	Management Plan	FY 2019-2020 Budget	FY 2019-2020 Variance Percentage Points
District Identity and Streetscape Improvements	40.96%	46.12%	+5.17%
Public Rights of Way and Sidewalk Operations	29.09%	29.07%	-0.03%
Administrative and Corporate Operations	20.08%	17.72%	-2.36%
Contingency and Reserve	9.88%	7.09%	-2.78%

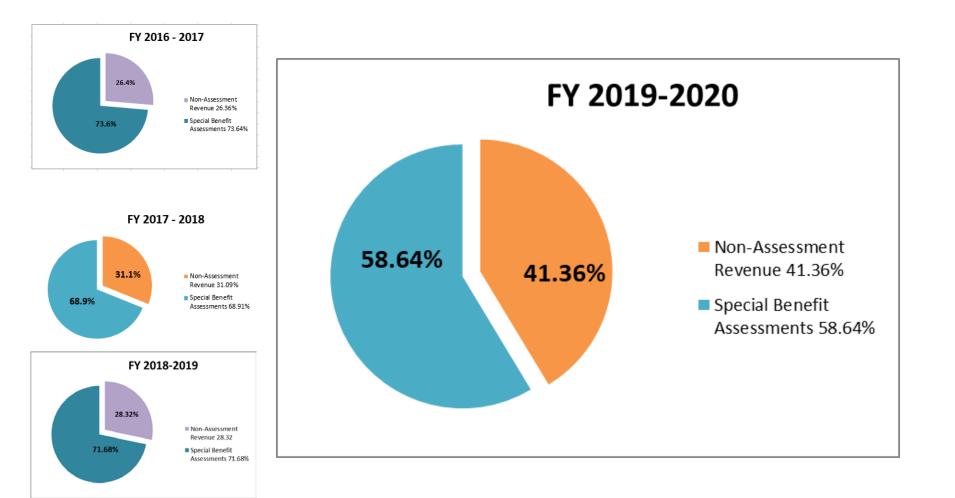


# Management Plan vs. Annual Budgets (Portside)

Service Category	Management Plan	FY 2019-2020 Budget	FY 2019-2020 Variance Percentage Points
District Identity and Streetscape Improvements	70.00%	74.18%	+4.18%
Administrative and Corporate Operations	20.00%	18.65%	-1.35%
Contingency and Reserve	10.00%	7.17%	-2.83%



## **Assessment Revenue & Other Income (Landside)**





## **Budget vs Actuals**

LANDSIDE Service Category	FY 2016-2017 Variance Percentage Points	FY 2017-2018 Variance Percentage Points	FY 2018-2019 Variance Percentage Points	FY 2019-2020 Variance Percentage Points
District Identity and Street Improvements	+8.03%	+8.50%	+5.01%	-1.49%
Sidewalk Operations, Beautification, & Order	-6.09%	-8.03%	-5.38%	+6.47%
Administrative Expenses	-4.17%	-2.03%	-0.31%	+2.11%
Contingency Reserve	-3.04%	+1.56%	+0.67%	-6.78%
Special Projects	+5.27%			



## **Budget vs Actuals**

PORTSIDE Service Category	FY 2016-2017 Variance Percentage Points	FY 2017-2018 Variance Percentage Points	FY 2018-2019 Variance Percentage Points	FY 2019-2020 Variance Percentage Points
District Identity and Street Improvements	+7.06%	+4.57%	-0.67%	-1.49%
Administrative Expenses	-4.96%	-5.34%	+0.36%	+6.47%
Special Projects				
Contingency Reserve	-2.10%	+0.77%	+0.31%	-6.78%



## Carryover

FY 2019-2020 Carryover Disbursement – Landside		2019-2020 Carryover Disbursement – Portside	
Designated Projects for	or Future Years	Designated projects for	or Future Years
PROSO	\$143,997.00	DISI	\$96,080.53
DISI	\$61,189.00	Administration	\$19,827.20
Administration	\$56.092.00	Contingency	\$69,247.48
Contingency	\$142,154.57	Total Designated	\$185,155.21
Total Designated Amount for Future Years - Landside	\$405,432.57	Amount for Future Years – Portside	



# **Recommendations & Findings for FWCBD**

- FWCBD continues to meet all financial benchmarks
- Successfully completed Landside renewal in FY 19-20.
- Portside renewal was suspended till fall FY 20-21 due to Covid-19.
  - The district did not have voter support in FY 20-21 for renewal and sunset
- FWCBD pivoted well to address the new needs related to the Covid-19 pandemic
  - Did not suspend operations in early days of Shelter-In-Place
  - Assisted OEWD with PPE distribution to other CBD/BID essential workers
  - Worked with Covid Command to disseminate information to stakeholders
  - Sat on the San Francisco Economic Recovery Task Force
- OEWD does not have current recommendations for FWCBD



# Conclusion

Fisherman's Wharf CBD has performed well in implementing the service plan of both the Landside and Portside areas:

- Marketed and produced events including the 4<sup>th</sup> of July and Fleet Week
- Maintained an active board of directors and committee members
- Focused on Portside renewal in early FY 20-21, which did not succeed.





# Randall Scott Executive Director

# Annual Report Fiscal 2019-2020

# **District Clean and Safe Numbers**

(fiscal 19/20 Landside only)

- Interactions with Businesses: 2,651
  - **Hospitality Interactions: 9,160**
  - **Graffiti Incident Mitigation: 4,206**
- **Quality of Life Issues Addressed: 7,063** 
  - **Pounds of Trash Collected: 42,157**



### ITINERARIES

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his itinerary at visitfishermanswharf.com/locals-only

Fisherman's Wharf is known around the world as a must-see destination. While the neighborhood offers a number of classic stops for the first time tourists to check off their bucket list, this area also offers more than meets the eye. Find unique and off-the-beaten Wharf spots in these itineraries curated by local experts. Fisherman's Wharf has something for everyone.

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APPS FOR EXPLORING

Download these apps on your smart phone or tablet to explore Fisherman's Wharf:

Living Social, Groupon, or CityGuideDeals (discounts & coupons



DINING

ther you're looking for a fin ing experience with breathtaking views or a quick bite on your your next tour, Fisherman's Wharf something for everyone

he core of the area's culinary scene seafood. Upscale establishments and seafood stands alike, specialize in esh crab, clam chowder in sourdough ead bowls, and ciopping. Other nic treats that visitors adore include hot fudge sundaes from Ghirardelli

Chocolate and Irish coffee from its originator, The Buena Vista Calé. Don't be atraid to venture down the foodie road less traveled. The neighborhood is home to a Michelin-starred restaurant, new concer eateries from celebrity chefs, and a diverse food truck corridor.

Find a complete list of dining options at VisitFishermansWharf.com/Res

## HISTORY OF THE FISHING INDUSTRY

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### OMMERCIAL FISHING BOATS UNLOAD 19 MILLION LBS. OF SEAFOOD AT THE WHARF ANNUALLY



Fisherman's Wharf Crab Month Wharf Fest Sea Lion Anniversary at PIER 39 Fleet Week Italian Heritage Day Parade FEBRUARY 150th SFFD Anniversary PIER 39's Tulipmania & Living History Day APRIL NOVEMBER Opening Day on the Bay Veteran's Day Parade MAY Pier 39 Tree Lighting Celebration Ghirardelli Square Tree Lighting Uncorked at Ghirardelli Square ULY DECEMBER 4th of July Festival Lighted Boat Parade Ghirardelli Square Light the BEPTEMBER Menorah Celebration The Great Pirate Scavenger Hunt Ghirardelli Square Chocolate Festival

APRIL - OCTOBER Salmon Season

For dates and event details go to VisitFishermansWharf.com/Even

### SHOPPING

terman's Wharf is the perfect place to find a gift for a loved o back home or a t-shirt in cool prints and guirky jokes. n addition to traditional souvenir shops, you will find distinguishe opping experiences off the beaten wharf. Keep your eye out fo rench boutiques, hot sauce tasting, shipyard inspired antiques ocally-owned designer shops, and more.



Fisherman's Wharf is the place to come if you want to take part in the

authentic San Francisco experience. Meet a local artist in one of the

many art galleries, hop on a bike or a Segway to explore the area, reel

Hop-on/Hop-off Bus Tours

Museums

Sport Fishing

Walking Tours

Explore tour and activity options at VisitFishermansWhart.com/Things-To-Do

in a giant salmon with a fourth generation Fisherman's Wharf fisherman.

or gaze at the sunset and sip local wines as you cruise around

Alcatraz island. Are you ready for your next adventure?

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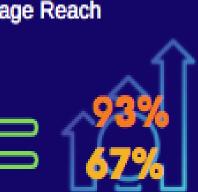






Average Open Rate vs. Industry

FWCBDetails: 29% vs. 15% Community Announcements 25% vs. 15%





San Francisco Electric Tour Company



Hotel Zephyr





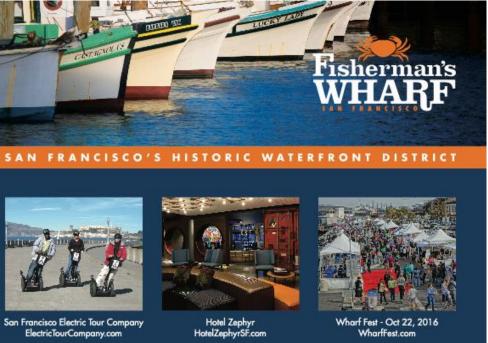
Shopping . Historic Ships . Bay Cruises . Bike/Segway Rentals . Sightseeing Tours . Sport Fishing . Cable Cars

MerryTime at the Wharf Anchorage Square













# **Marketing & Public Relations Numbers**



- (fiscal 19/20 both Port and Landside)
- **Consumer website visitors: 245,000+**
- **Constituent website visitors: 2,000+** 
  - Facebook likes: 51,100
  - Instagram followers: 5,110
- **Projected media reach: 8,265,045,905**

# **Fisherman's Wharf Events**



- 4<sup>th</sup> of July
- Fleet Week
- 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Wharf Fest
- **Crab Wheel Holiday Lights** 
  - "Merrytime at the Wharf"
    - **Lighted Boat Parade**



- **Continued Clean and Safe Operations during COVID Emergency Order**
- Some staff worked from home to remain safe and to produce concise communications for district stakeholders
- Created overnight "Wharf Patrol" to protect properties and businesses
- Deployed security teams and worked with SFPD for the George Floyd protests
- Responded and coordinated with SF Port after the Pier 45 Shed C fire
- Applied for and received a PPP loan





# Fiscal 2019-2020 Combined Budget

July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020			G	RAND TO	TA	L			LANDSIDE							PORTSIDE					
REVENUE		CTUAL		BUDGET	v	ariance	% of Variance		ACTUAL		BUDGET	,	/ariance	% of Variance		ACTUAL		BUDGET	\ \	/ariance	% of Variance
Assessments-Prior Year Carryover	Ś	681,220		681,220		-	0%		\$ 497,820		497,820		-	0%	5			183,400		-	0%
Assessments	\$	939,250		978,860	-	(39,610)		_	\$ 758,600	-	758,600		-	0%	Ş			220,260		-	0%
Grants/Other	r.	461,745		274,600		187,145	68%		-		-		_	0%		-	Ė	-		-	0%
Special Events		(73,833)		-		(73,833)	-100%		-		-		_	0%		(73,833)		-		(73,833)	-100%
Interest Savings/Other		182		-		182	100%		140		-		140	100%		42		-		42	100%
Donation - In-Kind		107,266		48,944		58,323	119%		73,215		37,931		35,286	93%		<b>34,05</b> 1		11,013		23,038	209%
TOTAL REVENUE	\$	1,434,610	\$	1,302,404	\$	132,207	10%		\$ 831,955	\$	796,531	\$	35,426	4%	5	5 140,910	\$	231,273	\$	(50,754)	-22%
TOTAL REVENUE + PRIOR YEAR CARRYOVER	\$	2,115,830	\$	1,983,624	\$	132,207	7%		\$ 1,329,775	\$	1,294,351	\$	35,426	3%	Ş	324,310	\$	414,673	\$	(50,754)	-12%
EXPENSE																					
Sidewalk Operations & Beautification	\$	302,472	\$	310,950	\$	(8,479)	-3%		\$ 302,471	\$	310,950	\$	(8,479)	-3%	Ş	- 6	\$	-	\$	-	0%
District Identity & Streetscape Improvement		683,547		721,250		(37,702)	-5%		379,896		493,425		(113,529)	-23%		303,652		227,825		75,827	33%
Administration		229,305		246,840		(17,535)	-7%		168,759		189,563		(20,804)	-11%		60,546		57,277		3,269	6%
Grants/Other		342,941		216,950		125,991	58%		-		-		-	0%		-		-		-	0%
Donation - In-Kind		107,266		48,944		58,323	119%		73,215		37,931		35,286	93%		34 <mark>,0</mark> 51		11,013		23,038	209%
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 1	,665,531	\$	1,544,934	\$	120,598	8%		\$ 924,342	\$	1,031,868	\$	(107,526)	-10%	:	\$ 398,248	\$	296,115	\$	102,133	34%
Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Carryover	\$	450,299	\$	438,690	\$	11,609	3%	_	\$ 405,433	\$	262,483	\$	142,952	54%		\$ (73,938)	\$	118,558	\$	(152,887)	-129%

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REVENUE	ACTUAL	BUDGET	Variance	% of Variance	ACTUAL	В	UDGET	١	Variance	% of Variance
Assessments-Prior Year Carryover	\$-	\$-	\$-	0%	\$-	\$	-	\$	-	0%
Assessments	\$-	\$-	\$ -	0%	\$-	\$	-	\$	-	0%
Grants/Other	162,745	216,950	(54,205)	-25%	299,000		57,650		241,350	419%
Special Events	-	-	-	0%	-		-		-	0%
Interest Savings/Other	-	-	-	0%	-		-		-	0%
Donation - In-Kind	-	-	-	0%	-		-		-	0%
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 162,745	\$ 216,950	\$ (54,205)	-25%	\$ 299,000	\$	57,650	\$	241,350	419%
TOTAL REVENUE + PRIOR YEAR CARRYOVER	\$ 162,745	\$ 216,950	\$ (54,205)	-25%	\$ 299,000	\$	57,650	\$	241,350	419%
EXPENSE										
Sidewalk Operations & Beautification	\$-	\$-	\$ -	0%	\$-	\$	-	\$	-	0%
District Identity & Streetscape Improvement	-	-	-	0%	-		-		-	0%
Administration	-	-	-	0%	-		-		-	0%
Grants/Other	162,745	216,950	(54,205)	-25%	180,196		-		180,196	100%
Donation - In-Kind	-	-	-	0%	-		-		-	0%
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$162,745	\$216,950	\$(54,205)	-25%	\$ 180,196	\$	-	\$	180,196	100%
Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Carryover	\$-	\$-	\$-	0%	\$ 118,804	\$	57,650	\$	61,154	106%



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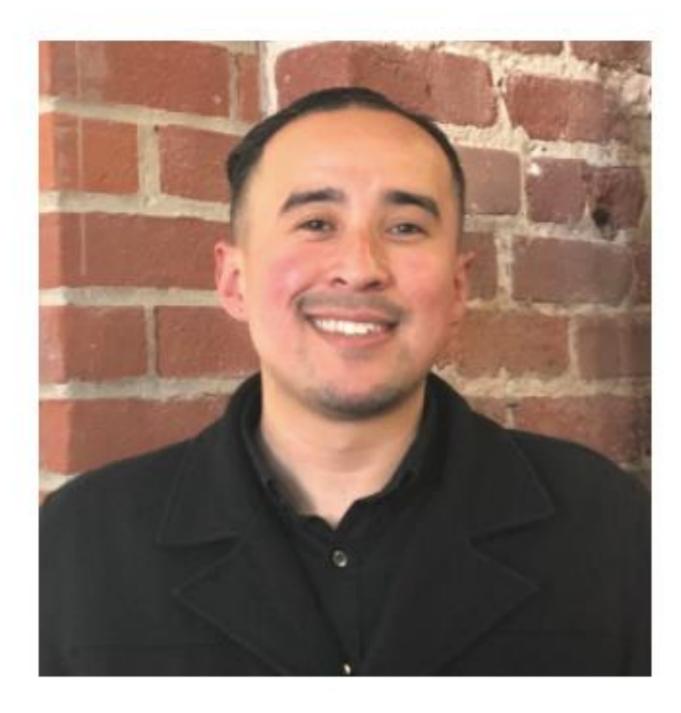




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# FISHERMAN'S WHARF ANNUAL REPORT JULY 2019 - JUNE 2020



# SOBO/DISI/EVENTS



### District Identity, Streetscape Improvements & Marketing

### Website & Social Media

- Over 245K visitors to the consumer website, VisitFishermansWharf.com.
- · Over 2K visits to our constituent website, FWCBD.com.
- · Facebook page likes have increased to a high of 51.7K
- Instagram followers have steadily increased to a total of 5,110

### **Public Relations & Communications**

- Potential media reach of 8,265,045,905 potential viewers from July 2019 to June 2020
- Received 4K instances of news media exposure
- Received the publicity equivalent of 76.5M, an 80% increase compared to the same time period the previous year
- Engaged with national media including The New York Times and Newsweek to provide pertinent messaging about the fire at Pier 45 shed C.
- Provided weekly construction updates on the Jefferson Street Phase II project
- Created and executed a robust COVID-19 communications strategy to provide FWCBD constituents with local, state, and national content as it became available.

### **Events & Holidays**

- Provided event sponsorship for the 2019 4th of July Celebration and the 2019 Fleet Week Event. Promotional activities included the production of an event flyer, website build out, and social media marketing.
- Produced the 7th annual Wharf Fest. Some highlights from the event include:
  - o Created new creative and new promotional materials that will be used at other events promoting the Wharf.
  - Recruited high profile judges including Stan Frazier from supergroup the Side Deal, Dion Lim from ABC7, Erica Sandberg from Making it in San Francisco, Supervisor Aaron Peskin, and Port of SF's Executive Director Elaine Forbes.
  - o The event featured wine and beer tasting, two live bands, and the famous Chowder Competition.
  - The Chowder Competition included 9 local restaurants who competed to win the title of either Judges' Choice or People's Choice Award.
  - o Pepsi/Warriors Activation A popular activation was created by Pepsi, featuring custom Warriors soda cans, and the ability to win special prizes. The activation resulted in a 10k sponsorship for the FWCBD.
  - o iHeartRadio gave a 10k in-kind media donation for Wharf Fest, and ran commercial spots promoting the event.
- Hung holiday lights on the iconic Fisherman's Wharf Crab Wheel sign for the holiday season and promoted "MerryTime at the Wharf" our annual holiday campaign featuring holiday festivities throughout the Wharf.
- Partnered with the St. Francis Yacht Club to produce the annual "Holiday Lighted Boat Parade". Promotional activities for MerryTime at the Wharf included the production of an event flyer, website build out, and social media marketing.
- Partnered with the FWMA on a joint district holiday party at The Grotto.





### District Identity, Streetscape Improvements & Marketing

### Advertising

- Worked with participating Wharf businesses on a full-page co-op ad in the October edition of the Alaska Airlines in-flight magazine.
- Received a \$120,000 Google Grant for Adwords. This annual grant allows the FWCBD to create ad campaigns and boost our search ranking on Google, which is our top referral search engine.
- Secured an in-kind sponsor, iHeartRadio, which awarded \$10K in free radio advertising to the FWCBD.
- Received in-kind media sponsorship from Paneau, a new company that puts screens in the back of ride share vehicles. We promoted MerryTime at the Wharf and the Bars & Attractions Treasure Hunt with this advertising tool.
- Received an in-kind donation from Firefly to promote the Bars & Attractions Treasure Hunt on their screens (placed on the roofs of ride shares).
- Created a "Welcome Back to the Wharf" social media campaign on Facebook from June 8 July 7, 2020, which increased page visits by 176% to 11,632.

### Other

- Continued the successful Bars & Attractions Treasure Hunt at the Wharf campaign and activity, with 20 bars and attractions participating. In 2019 we distributed 25,000 treasure maps and had about 150 people a month redeem their golden pint glass.
- Updated and distributed the Fisherman's Wharf brochure
- Maintained our Springboard pedestrian and car counting cameras in four locations along Jefferson Street to analyze and monitor footfall and vehicular traffic at the Wharf.

### Accolades

- For the 6th year in a row, Fisherman's Wharf was honored with the Certificate of Excellence from Trip Advisor and was also inducted into the Trip Advisor Hall of Fame.
- Fisherman's Wharf maintained a 4/5 star rating on both Yelp and Trip Advisor.
- Fisherman's Wharf was honored with the Expert's Choice Award from Trip Experts.





### Street Operations, Beautification & Order

### Ambassador Statistics: July 2019 – June 2020

Trash collected (in lbs.)	42,157
Graffiti & Stickers Removed	4,206
Pan & Broom Block Faces Swept	10,287
Street Furniture Cleaned	986
Tree Grates Cleaned	3,015
Painting Projects Completed	534
VISITOR HOSPITALITY	
Hospitality Assistance Given	9,160
Directions Given	4,730
Business Contacts Made	2,651
Street Performer Interactions	297
SECURITY & SAFETY	
Sit/Lie Advisements Given	2,768
Aggressive Panhandling Addressed	112
Drinking in Public Addressed	981
Instances of Camping/Sleeping	1,912
Instances of Illegal Dumping	985







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### Safety

- From July to October the Fisherman's Wharf CBD hired private security guards and SFPD 10-B officers to assist the district with security and create a preventative presence.
- Through the efforts of our Ambassadors and continued community participation, the FWCBD worked to get convictions and stay-away orders for the top three criminal offenders at Fisherman's Wharf. The Ambassadors also led an awareness campaign about the persons of interest in our district, publishing weekly documents on Townsquared.
- The Ambassadors worked with City agencies and partners to provide access to care to members of the street population in our district.
- The Safety Outreach Committee (formerly PIERsafe) sponsored weekly tests of the FISHnet emergency radio network that engages approximately 18 members and includes hotels, restaurants, and other key Fisherman's Wharf businesses.

### Renewal

- The FWCBD staff and Board of Directors started the landside renewal process in February with the petition vote.
- The necessary petition votes were received and presented to the Board of Supervisors in April and then authorized to proceed with the special election in May.
- The results of this special election for the landside district will be published in the 20/21 Annual Report.

### Other

- The FWCBD is working with DPW on the second phase of the Jefferson St. revitalization project and is a partner during the construction process.
- Executive Director Randall Scott was invited to join Mayor Breed's COVID-19 Economic Recovery Task Force
- The FWCBD continues to advocate on behalf of businesses during COVID-19, and has successfully assisted business categories to reopen sooner.
- The FWCBD continues to execute on the Retail Strategy's 2-year goals, and to connect with the brokerage community.



### 2019-2020 Port & Land Side Year End Financials

July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020		GRAND TO	TAL			LANDS	SIDE		PORTSIDE				
REVENUE	ACTUAL	BUDGET	Variance	% of Variance	ACTUAL	BUDGET	Variance	% of Variance	ACTUAL	BUDGET	Variance	% of Variance	
Assessments-Prior Year Carryover	\$ 681,220	\$ 681,220	Ş -	0%	\$ 497,820	\$ 497,820	\$ -	0%	\$ 183,400	\$ 183,400	\$ -	0%	
Assessments	\$ 939,250	\$ 978,860	\$ (39,610)	-4%	\$ 758,600	\$ 758,600	\$ -	0%	\$ 180,650	\$ 220,260	\$ -	0%	
Grants/Other	461,745	274,600	187,145	68%	-	-	-	0%	-	-	-	0%	
Special Events	(73,833)	-	(73,833)	-100%	-	-	-	0%	(73,833)	-	(73,833)	-100%	
Interest Savings/Other	182	-	182	100%	140	-	140	100%	42	-	42	100%	
Donation - In-Kind	107,266	48,944	58,323	119%	73,215	37,931	35,286	93%	34,051	11,013	23,038	209%	
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 1,434,610	\$ 1,302,404	\$ 132,207	10%	\$ 831,955	\$ 796,531	\$ 35,426	4%	\$ 140,910	\$ 231,273	\$ (50,754)	-22%	
TOTAL REVENUE + PRIOR YEAR CARRYOVER	\$ 2,115,830	\$ 1,983,624	\$ 132,207	7%	\$ 1,329,775	\$ 1,294,351	\$ 35,426	3%	\$ 324,310	\$ 414,673	\$ (50,754)	-12%	
EXPENSE													
Sidewalk Operations & Beautification	\$ 302,472	\$ 310,950	\$ (8,479)	-3%	\$ 302,471	\$ 310,950	\$ (8,479)	-3%	\$-	\$-	\$-	0%	
District Identity & Streetscape Improvement	683,547	721,250	(37,702)	-5%	379,896	493,425	(113,529)	-23%	303,652	227,825	75,827	33%	
Administration	229,305	246,840	(17,535)	-7%	168,759	189,563	(20,804)	-11%	60,546	57,277	3,269	6%	
Grants/Other	342,941	216,950	125,991	58%	-	-	-	0%	-	-	-	0%	
Donation - In-Kind	107,266	48,944	58,323	119%	73,215	37,931	35,286	93%	34,051	11,013	23,038	209%	
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 1,665,531	\$ 1,544,934	\$ 120,598	8%	\$ 924,342	\$ 1,031,868	\$ (107,526)	-10%	\$398,248	\$ 296,115	\$ 102,133	34%	
Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Carryover	\$ 450,299	\$ 438,690	\$ 11,609	3%	\$ 405,433	\$ 262,483	\$ 142,952	54%	\$ (73,938)	\$ 118,558	\$ (152,887)	-129%	

	LOMBA	RD STREE	T VISITOR S	SERVICES		GRAI	NT/OTHER	
REVENUE	ACTUAL	BUDGET	Variance	% of Variance	ACTUAL	BUDGET	Variance	% of Variance
Assessments-Prior Year Carryover	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	0%	\$ .	· \$ -	\$ -	0%
Assessments	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	0%	\$	\$-	\$ -	0%
Grants/Other	162,745	216,950	(54,205)	-25%	299,000	57,650	241,350	419%
Special Events	-	-	-	0%			-	0%
Interest Savings/Other	-	-	-	0%	-		-	0%
Donation - In-Kind	-	-	-	0%			-	0%
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 162,745	\$ 216,950	\$ (54,205)	-25%	\$ 299,000	\$ 57,650	\$ 241,350	419%
TOTAL REVENUE + PRIOR YEAR CARRYOVER	\$ 162,745	\$ 216,950	\$ (54,205)	-25%	\$ 299,000	\$ 57,650	\$ 241,350	419%
EXPENSE								
Sidewalk Operations & Beautification	\$-	\$-	\$ -	0%	\$ .	· \$ -	\$-	0%
District Identity & Streetscape Improvement	-	-	-	0%	-		-	0%
Administration	-	-	-	0%			-	0%
Grants/Other	162,745	216,950	(54,205)	-25%	180,196	i –	180,196	100%
Donation - In-Kind	-	-	-	0%			-	0%
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 162,745	\$216,950	\$ (54,205)	-25%	\$ 180,196	\$-	\$ 180,196	100%
Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Carryover	\$-	\$-	\$-	0%	\$ 118,804	\$ 57,650	\$ 61,154	106%



### BOARD OF DIRECTORS, VENDORS, & ADVISORY COMMITTEES

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### FWCBD ADVISORY COMMITTEES

- Executive
- · Street Operations, Beautification, and Order (SOBO)
- Marketing
- Sustainability
- · Safety Outreach
- · Transportation Improvement

### OTHER

- Community Police Advisory Board
- · Fisherman's Wharf Merchant's Association
- CBD/BID Consortium
- SFNexTstop Central Subway Advocacy
- Fisherman's Wharf Waterfront Advisory Group
- Clean, Safe & Civil Sidewalk Coalition
- Clean and Safe 365



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### ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY

### LAND SIDE CBD PROPERTY ASSESSMENTS

For the land side, there are four property variables that are used in determining individual assessments. The factors are:

- 1. Linear frontage (sidewalk frontage)
- 2. Land area
- 3. Entire usable building square footage
- 4. Building use

There is a total of 2,151,139 square feet in gross lot size, 28,276 feet in linear frontage and 4,486,146 in building square footage. Three benefit zones have been created in the District for calculating assessments.

Benefit Zone 1 includes roughly all parcels north of Bay/North Point, between Polk and Powell to Jefferson. The formula for calculating the assessment is:

\$0.091612 per square foot of lot size

- + \$ 5.4296 per linear foot of lot frontage
- + \$ 0.072168 per square foot (Building Use "A or B") or
- \$ 0.033368 per square foot (Building Use "C-E") or
- \$.0.05 per square foot for residential "F")

Note: See chart below for building categories.

Example: A 5,000 square foot lot, with 50 feet of frontage and 4,000 square feet of usable retail or commercial building use:

5,000 x .091612 =	\$ 458.06 in lot size
50 x \$ 5.4296 =	\$ 271.48 in linear frontage, and
4,000 × \$ .072168 =	\$ 288.67 in bldg sq footage (A or B)
Total assessment: =	\$1,018.21 per year

Benefit Zone 2 includes parcels west of Polk and east of Powell. Benefit Zone 2 parcels are assessed at the same rate as above but without a building factor assessment.

The formula for calculating the assessment is:

\$0.091612 per square foot of lot size

- + \$ 5.4296 per linear foot of lot frontage
- = Total Assessment

Benefit Zone 3 includes the ILWU\* block bordered by Beach, Mason, Taylor and North Point. Parcels are assessed on the basis of linear frontage only. All residential parcels are assessed \$0.05 per square foot per year. The formula for calculating the assessment is:

\$ 5.4296 per linear foot of lot frontage (ILWU Block)

= Total Assessment

\* The ILWU is designated as Benefit Zone 3, because of its unique position in the district and was assessed upon its four sides of linear frontage only.

Building Uses In Land Side CBD For Zone 1

BUILDING CODE	CATEGORY
А	Retail space, hotels, motels, visitor related
В	Office and Commercial uses, free standing parking structures
С	Industrial/Manufacturing/Distribution
D	Institutional (City, County, public utility, parks, etc.)
E	Church, non-profit, tax-exempt, affordable housing, rent-controlled housing
F	Multi-unit housing, condos, apartments
G	Non-functional building structures

### PORT SIDE CBD PROPERTY ASSESSMENTS

The port side is comprised of retail/walk-in, hotel, food and beverage businesses, general motorized land-based tour operators and for-profit parking lots. These businesses are assessed on their annual gross sales as reported to the Port of San Francisco from the previous calendar year. This data is provided to the Port of San Francisco on a monthly basis and is public information. The assessment factor applied to that gross sales figure is .0014%.

Example: Gross Sales \$1,000,000 x .0014 = \$1,400 Assessment

Tour operators/tour boat vessels and related businesses (including large and small tour boats and sport fishing boats), are assessed based on the number of passengers per vessel operator or per horse drawn carriage company or per pedi cab company.

The assessments range from \$250 to \$2,000.



Fisherman's Wharf Association of San Francisco

**Financial Statements** 

June 30, 2020 (Reviewed)

### Barlow & Hughan LLP

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

JUNE 30, 2020

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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REVIEW REPORT

BOARD OF DIRECTORS FISHERMAN'S WHARF ASSOCIATION OF SAN FRANCISCO SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

We have reviewed the accompanying financial statements of the FISHERMAN'S WHARF ASSOCIATION OF SAN FRANCISCO (a California mutual benefit corporation), which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2020, the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements. A review includes primarily applying analytical procedures to management's financial data and making inquiries of management. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion regarding the financial statements as a whole. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

#### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement whether due to fraud or error.

#### Accountants' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to conduct the review engagement in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the AICPA. Those standards require us to perform procedures to obtain limited assurance as a basis for reporting whether we are aware of any material modifications that should be made to the financial statements for them to be in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We believe that the results of our procedures provide a reasonable basis for our conclusion.

# Accountants' Conclusion

Based on our review, we are not aware of any material modifications that should be made to the accompanying financial statements in order for them to be in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Baclow & Hughan LLP

October 15, 2020

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

JUNE 30, 2020

(See independent accountants' review report)

#### ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS	
Cash	\$463,425
Assessments receivable	116,689
Grants receivable	11,002
Prepaid expenses	7,352
	598,408
OFFICE FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT - Net of accumulated depreciation (Note 4)	394
INTANGIBLE ASSETS - Net of amortization	
(Note 4)	6,023
	<u>\$604,885</u>
LIABILITIES	
CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$72,613
Current portion of note payable (Note 6)	23,324
	95,937
NOTE PAYABLE (Note 6)	58,650
NOTE FRIADLE (NOCE 8)	154,587
	2017007
NET ASSETS	
WITHOUT DONOR RESTRICTIONS	222 226
WITHOUT DONOR RESTRICTIONS	339,296
WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS (Note 7)	111,002
	450,298
	\$604,885

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#### STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND NET ASSETS

#### YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

# (See independent accountants' review report)

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total
REVENUES AND SUPPORT			
Special benefit assessments	\$ 939,250		\$ 939,250
Public support	443,205	\$110,806	554,011
Program services	15,000		15,000
	1,397,455	110,806	1,508,261
OTHER INCOME (EXPENSE)			
Special events - Net of expenses of \$90,660	(73,833)		(73,833)
Interest	182		182
Net assets released from restriction -			
expiration of time restrictions	12,956	(12,956)	
	1,336,760	97,850	1,434,610
EXPENDITURES			
Program services			
Landside - District identity and			
streetscape improvements	670,414		670,414
Landside - Street operations			
and beautification	302,471		302,471
Portside - District identity			
and streetscape improvements	278,596		278,596
Lombard Street Visitor Services	162,745		162,745
Support Services			
General and administrative expenses	251,305		251,305
	1,665,531		1,665,531
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(328,771)	97,850	(230,921)
NET ASSETS - Beginning of year	668,263	12,956	681,219
NET ASSETS - End of year	<u>\$ 339,492</u>	<u>\$110,806</u>	<u>\$ 450,298</u>

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#### STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

#### YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

# (See independent accountants' review report)

	Program Services Landside		Landside Portside		Program Services Portside	Lombard Street Visitor Services	General and Administrative		Total
	District identity and streetscape <u>improvements</u>	Sidewalk operation and <u>beautification</u>	District identity and streetscape <u>improvements</u>		Landside	Portside			
Salaries	\$ 86,058	\$108,507	\$ 43,282	\$ 14,795	\$ 69,577	\$26,398	\$ 348,617		
Employee benefits	1,349		695		17,259	5,115	24,418		
Payroll taxes	6,910	8,112	3,560		6,380	1,906	26,868		
	94,317	116,619	47,537	14,795	93,216	33,419	399,903		
Ambassador programs Marketing and media	96,244	145,826	49,579	147,950			439,599		
production	124,412		64,091				188,503		
Camera program Security and parking	162,172		18,024				180,196		
operations	110,455		56,787				167,242		
Steam cleaning services	22,617	32,841	11,593				67,051		
Community engagement and									
preservation	40,148		20,675				60,823		
FWCBD renewal					24,606	11,755	36,361		
Occupancy					23,709	7,082	30,791		
Office expenses	321		147		15,619	4,823	20,910		
Professional fees					10,112	3,020	13,132		
Springboard camera counter	7,432		3,829				11,261		
Nightlife promotion	7,208		3,713				10,921		
Deprecation and									
amortization					5,812	1,736	7,548		
Insurance					5,044	1,507	6,551		
Employee relations & develo	pment				4,526	1,352	5,878		
Conrad Park revitalization		5,559					5,559		
PIERsafe/branding signs/PR	2,217	1,626	1,142				4,985		
Holiday lights on crab whee	2,871		1,479				4,350		
Travel and meetings					2,054	613	2,667		
Membership dues		·			1,001	299	1,300		
•••••n (d.) B	arlow & Hughan LLP	<u>\$302,471</u>	<u>\$350,666</u>	<u>\$162,745</u>	<u>\$185,699</u>	<u>\$65,606</u>	<u>\$1,665,531</u>		

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See notes to financial statements.

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

#### YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

(See independent accountants' review report)

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
Assessments received	\$ 862,171
Cash paid to suppliers and employees	(1,606,620)
Grants received	448,699
Cash received from programs and events	48,654
Interest received	182
Net cash used for operating activities	(246,914)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES	
Proceeds from borrowing under note payable	81,974
NET DECREASE IN CASH	(164,940)
CASH - Beginning of year	628,365
CASH - End of year	<u>\$ 463,425</u>
RECONCILIATION OF CHANGE IN NET ASSETS TO NET CASH USED FOR OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
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Change in net assets Items not requiring cash:	\$(230,921)
Depreciation and amortization	7,548
Decreases (increases) in assets:	7,540
Assessments receivable	(77,078)
Grant receivable	1,954
Prepaid expenses	3,408
Increases (decreases) in liabilities:	5,400
Accounts payable and accrued	
liabilities	48,175
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NET CASH USED FOR OPERATING ACTIVITIES	<u>\$(246,914</u> )

SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF NON-CASH ACTIVITIES

Value of in-kind contributions used for operations \$107,266

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

(See independent accountants' review report)

#### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### History and Operations

- The Fisherman's Wharf Association of San Francisco (the Association) was incorporated in California on February 23, 2006 as a non-profit public benefit corporation. Its purpose is to provide services to the Fisherman's Wharf Landside and Portside Community Benefit Districts (the Districts). The members of the Landside District include the owners of all parcels of land subject to property tax assessments within the geographic area of Fisherman's Wharf as established on July 26, 2005 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco. Members of the Portside District include the tenants who have leased property from the Port of San Francisco within the Portside District as established by the Board of Supervisors on December 3, 2006.
- Upon formation of each District, its members were subject to multi-year special assessments imposed by the City under the Property and Business Improvement District Law of 1994. Under contracts with the City, the Association receives these special assessments and, in exchange, provides certain services to the members of the Districts. These services include supplemental security services to maintain order, the cleaning and maintenance of sidewalks, the removal of graffiti, the coordination of services provided to the homeless, neighborhood beautification and tree-planting programs, and the organization and funding of special events. The contracts with the City also require that the Association raise a specified level of private donations. Management believes that during the year ended June 30, 2020, the Association has complied with this requirement.
- In addition to the special assessment funds, the Association relies on public support, grants, and service revenues to supplement the special assessments and provide services to the Districts and the neighboring areas. During the year the Association received a grant from the City to provide community services under the Lombard Street Visitor Services Program which serves an area adjacent to the Districts.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

(See independent accountants' review report)

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

#### History and Operations (Continued)

The annual special assessments imposed by the City on the Landside District was to expire on December 31, 2020 but were renewed by a majority vote of its members on July 24, 2020 for 15 more years. The Portside annual assessments expire on December 31, 2021 and are subject to renewal. The Association's contracts with the City will expire on December 31, 2021, but either would expire upon the disestablishment of the District to which it relates.

#### Basis of Presentation

- Financial statement presentation follows the recommendations of the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) in its Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) Topic 958 Not-For-Profit Entities dated August 2016. Under FASB ASC Topic 958, the Association reports information regarding its financial position and activities according to two classes of net assets: net assets without donor restrictions, and net assets with donor restrictions, based upon the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. If restrictions imposed by the donor are not satisfied by the end of the current year or if the funds have not been received by year end, then the income will be recognized to be with donor restrictions. Net assets without restrictions include funds separately designated by the Board of Directors.
- The Association adopted the FASB Codification 606 Revenues from Contracts with Customers (ASC 606) effective June 30, 2019. Revenue from the contracts with the City is recognized when the special assessments imposed by the City become due and enforceable for collection by the City Assessor for the period during which the Association provides services to the members of the districts.

#### Assessments Receivable

Assessments billed but not transmitted by the City at year end are recorded as receivables, net of an allowance for doubtful accounts based on the Association's historical experience. At June 30, 2020 Management determined that all of the receivables were collectible and therefore no allowance for doubtful accounts was necessary.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

(See independent accountants' review report)

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

#### Expense allocation by Function

The financial statements report certain natural categories of operating expenses that are attributable to more then one program or supporting function.

The expenses were allocated on the following basis:

Employment Costs		Time and	effort	
Program and other	expenses	Based on	square	footage

#### Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Income Tax Status

The Association qualifies as a tax-exempt organization and is therefore generally exempt from income taxes. Income taxes are payable, however, on revenue from sources unrelated to its tax exempt purpose. There were no such revenues during the year. There were no penalty or interest assessments by any government agency recorded in the financial statements during the year. In addition, the Association has not taken an unsubstantiated tax position that would require provision of a liability under Accounting Standards Codification Topic 740, "Income Taxes."

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

(See independent accountants' review report)

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

#### Donated Services

- A number of volunteers have donated significant amounts of their time to the Association. These donated services are not reflected in the financial statements since they do not meet generally accepted criteria for recognition as contributed services.
- A number of organizations have donated services and materials to the Association. The Association also received discounted rental and meeting space to carry on its activities. Management estimates the value of these donations during the year to be approximately \$107,000. This amount was recognized as public support revenue and corresponding expenses were also recognized by the Association.

#### Compensated Absences

- Accumulated paid time off is accrued when earned. As of June 30, 2020 the liability for employees for compensated absences was \$4,956.
- 2. CASH

Cash at June 30, 2020 consisted of the following:

Cash	in checkir	ig a	account		\$128,053
Cash	deposited	in	interest-bearing	account	335,372

\$463,425

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

(See independent accountants' review report)

#### 3. LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY OF FINANCIAL ASSETS

The cash and financial assets at June 30, 2020 that will be available for general use consist of the following:

Cash	\$463,425
Assessments receivable	116,689
Grants receivable	11,002
	\$591,116

The Organization has a goal to maintain financial assets on hand to meet its normal monthly operating expenses. The Organization has a policy to structure its financial assets to be available as its general expenditures, liabilities and other obligations come due.

#### 4. OFFICE FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT

- Office furniture and equipment are stated at cost. Depreciation is provided using the straight-line method over five years. Depreciation charged to general and administrative expenses for the year ended June 30, 2020 was \$1,350.
- Office furniture and equipment at June 30, 2020 consisted of the following:

Furniture and equipment	\$9	,929
Less accumulated depreciation	9	<u>,535</u>
	\$	394

#### 5. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

Intangible assets are stated at cost. Amortization is provided using the straight-line method over their estimated useful lives of between three and fifteen years. Amortization charged to general and administrative expenses for the year ended June 30, 2020 was \$6,198.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

(See independent accountants' review report)

5. INTANGIBLE ASSETS - (Continued)

At June 30, 2020 net intangible assets were comprised of the following:

Organization costs	\$ 83,551
Website development costs	35,000
Signage and logos	9,432
	127,983
Less accumulated amortization	121,960
	\$ 6,023

#### 6. NOTE PAYABLE

On May 3 ,2020, the Association obtained a Payroll Protection Loan under a note payable to the Small Business Administration of \$81,974. The note is eligible for forgiveness upon meeting certain requirements. The note is unsecured and bears interest at a rate of 1% per annum. The note is repayable in monthly payments of \$5,892 including interest commencing in March 2021. The remaining principal is due in May 2022.

Future minimum principal payments on the note are as follows:

Year ending June 30,

2021	\$ 23,324
2022	58,650
	<u>\$ 81,974</u>

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

(See independent accountants' review report)

#### 7. NET ASSETS WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS

Net assets with donor restrictions at June 30, 2020 were comprised of grants which had not been received by year end and grants which had been received but had one or more restrictions which were unsatisfied at year end. These amounts are summarized as follows:

Grants received but	which included	restrictions	
not satisfied at	year end		\$ 99,804
Grants not received			 11,002

\$110,806

#### 8. RISK AND UNCERTAINTIES

- Special benefit assessments received under a contract with the City and County of San Francisco represent approximately 65% of the Association's total revenues. Under the terms of the contracts, the City can suspend distributions and ultimately terminate the contracts if the Association fails to provide adequate services to the Districts. The contracts expire on December 31, 2021 but either could be terminated at an earlier date if the Fisherman's Wharf Community Landside or the Portside Benefit Districts were disestablished by a vote of more than 50% of the assessed members.
- In the early months of 2020 an outbreak of the novel strain of coronavirus (COVID-19) emerged globally. As a result there have been mandates from federal, state, and local authorities resulting in an overall decline in economic activity. Management is currently evaluating the impact on its activities and operations and has concluded that the effect of the general economic decline on the Company is unknown. While it is reasonably possible that the effect of the general decline could have a negative effect on the operations of the Association, the specific impact is not readily determinable. The financial statements do not include any adjustments that might result from the outcome of this uncertainty.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

(See independent accountants' review report)

- 9. CONCENTRATIONS OF CREDIT RISK
  - At June 30, 2020 the Association had uninsured cash deposits with a bank totaling approximately \$218,000.
- 10. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS
  - In preparing these financial statements, the Association has evaluated events and transactions for potential recognition or disclosure through the date the financial statements were available to be issued.
  - As described in Note 1,on July 14, 2020 the members of the Landside District voted to renew the district for 15 more years. On July 24, 2020 the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco passed a resolution to renew the Landside District.



# ΜΕΜΟ

To: Supervisor Aaron Peskin, District 3

- CC: San Francisco Board of Supervisors
- From: Chris Corgas; OEWD Senior Program Manager
- RE: Fisherman's Wharf Community Benefit District (Landside and Portside); FY 19-20 Annual Report

Date: May 24, 2021

This is a memo summarizing the performance of the Fisherman's Wharf Community Benefit District (FWCBD) for both "Landside" and "Portside" and an analysis of their financial statements (based on their audit) for the period between July 1, 2019 and June 30, 2020.

Each year the CBD is required to submit a mid-year report, an annual report, and a CPA Financial Review or Audit. Fisherman's Wharf CBD has complied with the submission of all these requirements. OEWD staff, with assistance from the Controller's Office, reviewed these financial documents to monitor and report on whether they have complied with the rules per the Property and Business Improvement District Law of 1994, California Streets and Highways Code Sections 36600 Et Seq.; San Francisco's Business and Tax Regulations Code Article 15; the Fisherman's Wharf Association management contract with the City; and their Management Plan as approved by the Board of Supervisors in 2005 for Landside and 2006 for Portside.

Also attached to this memo are the following documents:

- 1. Annual Report
  - a. FY 2019-2020
- 2. CPA Financial Review Report
  - a. FY 2019-2020
- 3. Draft resolution from the Office of Economic and Workforce Development



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# **Background**

The Fisherman's Wharf Community Benefit District includes two districts - the "Landside" property-based district includes 127 parcels and "Portside" business-based district includes 58 parcels. Landside:

- July 26, 2005: the Board of Supervisors approved the resolution that established the propertybased district called the Fisherman's Wharf Landside Community Benefit District for 15 years (Resolution # 540-05).
- January 10, 2006: the Board of Supervisors approved the contract for the administration and management of the Fisherman's Wharf Community Landside CBD (Resolution # 16-06).
- March 14, 2017: the Board of Supervisors approved the Annual Report for the Fisherman's Wharf Landside CBD (Resolution # 077-17).
- July 24, 2018: the Board of Supervisors approved the Annual Report for the Fisherman's Wharf Landside CBD (Resolution # 240-18)
- September 17, 2019: the Board of Supervisors approved the Annual Report for the Fisherman's Wharf Landside CBD (Resolution # 398-19)
- September 15, 2020: the Board of Supervisors approved the Annual Report for the Fisherman's Wharf Landside CBD (Resolution # 391-20)

# Portside:

- December 12, 2006: the Board of Supervisors approved the resolution that established the business-based district called the Fisherman's Wharf Portside Community Benefit District for 14 years (Resolution # 696-06).
- June 19, 2007: the Board of Supervisors approved the contract for the administration and management of the Fisherman's Wharf Portside CBD (Resolution # 312-07).
- March 14, 2017: the Board of Supervisors approved the Annual Report for the Fisherman's Wharf Portside CBD (Resolution # 077-17).
- July 24, 2018: the Board of Supervisors approved the Annual Report for the Fisherman's Wharf Portside CBD (Resolution #240-18)
- September 17, 2019: the Board of Supervisors approved the Annual Report for the Fisherman's Wharf Portside CBD (Resolution #398-19)
- September 15, 2020: the Board of Supervisors approved the Annual Report for the Fisherman's Wharf Portside CBD (Resolution # 391-20)

# **Basic Information about Fisherman's Wharf CBD**

Year Established	Landside 2005 Portside 2006
Assessment Collection Period	Landside: FY 2005-06 to FY 2019-20 (July 1, 2005 to June 30, 2020)
	Portside: FY 2006-07 to FY 2019-20 (July 1, 2006 to June 30, 2020)
Services Start and End Date	Landside: January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2020
	Portside: January 1, 2007 – December 31, 2020
Initial Estimated Annual Budget	Landside: \$622,615
	Portside: \$187,113
FY 19-20 Submission	Landside: \$751,901.36

Fiscal Year Executive Director Name of Nonprofit Owners' Association Portside: \$220,511 July 1 – June 30 Randall Scott Fisherman's Wharf Association of San Francisco

The current CBD website <u>http://www.fwcbd.com</u>, includes all the pertinent information about the organization and its programs, a calendar of events, its Management Plan, Mid-Year Report, Annual Report and meeting schedules. It should also be noted that the organization also manages the site <u>http://www.visitfishermanswharf.com</u> that is designed specifically for visitors to the district.

# **Summary of Service Area Goals**

# **District Identity and Street Improvements (DISI)**

District Identity and Street Improvements service includes marketing and public relations and street enhancements for the district. The Landside CBD Management Plan calls for 41% of the budget to be spent on DISI while the Portside CBD Management Plan calls for 70% of the budget to be spent in this service area.

# Street Operations, Beautification and Order (SOBO)

Street Operations, Beautification and Order service area includes street maintenance, beautification, and safety and emergency preparedness. FWCBD contracts with Block by Block to provide removal of litter from sidewalks seven days a week year round, annual sidewalk steam cleaning, ongoing power washing and removal of graffiti within 72 hours. Security in the district is provided by SFPD 10B officers several days a week from July to early October. Three full-time and one part-time ambassador provide assistance with directions and questions, communication with law enforcement and the Port of San Francisco, and outreach to homeless on the wharf. The Landside CBD Management Plan calls for 29% of the budget to be spent on SOBO while the Portside CBD Management Plan does not allocate funds for this service area.

# Administration and Corporate Operations

The Landside and Portside CBD Management Plan calls for 20% of the budget to be spent on administration and corporate operations. The FWCBD is staffed by a full-time Executive Director who serves as the point person and advocate for the Fisherman's Wharf CBD. FWCBD board has twenty-five (25) board members who represent the diverse property and business owners in the district. In addition, there are two non-voting community representatives on the board that include the National Park Service, the Fishing Industry, and the Port of San Francisco. The board meets the fourth Thursday of the month. Each committee requires at least one board member serve on the committee or as the chair. The five committees include:

- Marketing/District Identity & Streetscape Improvements The Marketing/District Identity & Streetscape Improvements committee works to promote visitation to Fisherman's Wharf and meets the second Tuesday of the month.
- Safety Outreach Committee The PIERsafe committee works to create a safety and emergency preparedness for businesses and residents in the Fisherman's Wharf community and meets the first Thursday of the month. Fisherman Wharf CBD regularly holds trainings, meetings and drills to ensure safety for merchants, workers and visitors on the wharf.
- Street Operations, Beautification and Order (SOBO) The SOBO committee works to ensure a clean and safe commercial district and meets the second Tuesday of the month.

• **Transportation Improvement** - The Transportation Improvement committee works to help mitigate traffic congestion and improve vehicle and pedestrian safety and meets every two months.

# Summary of Accomplishments, Challenges, and Delivery of Service Areas

# FY 2019-2020

# **District Identity and Street Improvements (DISI)**

- Worked with participating Wharf businesses on a full-page co-op ad in October edition of the Alaska Airlines in-flight magazine.
- Received \$120,000 Google Grant for Adwords which allows FWCBD to create ad campaigns and boost its search ranking on Google, its top referral search engine.
- Secured an in-kind sponsor, iHeartRadio, which awarded \$10K in free radio advertising to the FWCBD.
- Received in-kind media sponsorship from Paneau, a new company that puts screens in the back of ride share vehicles.
- Promoted MerryTime at the Wharf and the Bars & Attractions Treasure Hunt with this advertising tool.
- Received an in-kind donation from Firefly to promote the Bars & Attractions Treasure Hunt on their screens (placed on the roofs of ride shares).
- Created a "Welcome Back to the Wharf" social media campaign on Facebook from June 8 July 7, 2020, which increased page visits by 176% to 11,632.
- For the 6<sup>th</sup> year in a row, Fisherman's Wharf was honored with the Certificate of Excellence from Trip Advisor and was also inducted into the Trip Advisor Hall of Fame

# Street Operations, Beautification and Order (SOBO)

- Safety & Security Services:
  - Aggressive panhandling addressed 112
  - Drinking in Public 981
  - Illegal Dumping 985
  - From July to October the Fisherman's Wharf CBD hired private security guards and SFPD 10-B officers to assist the district with security and create a preventative presence.
  - Through the efforts of its Ambassadors and continued community participation, the FWCBD worked to get convictions and stay-away orders for the top three criminal offenders at Fisherman's Wharf. The Ambassadors also led an awareness campaign about the persons of interest in our district, publishing weekly documents on Townsquared.
- Visitor/Merchant Services:
  - Hospitality assistance 9,160
  - Directions given 4,730
  - Business contacts made 2,651
  - Street performer interactions 297
- Cleaning/Maintenance Services
  - Trash collected (lbs) 42,157 lbs
  - Graffiti/Stickers removed 4,206

- Pan and broom block faces covered 10,287
- Street furniture cleaned 986
- Tree grates cleaned 3,015
- Painting projects completed 534

# Administration and Corporate Operations

- Actively participated in both the Clean and Safe 365 working group led by the Hotel Council, and SF Travel's Clean and Safe Coalition which focuses on safety, cleanliness, and quality of life issues. Began work on FY 19-20 Fisherman's Wharf Landside and Portside CBD renewal process
- Advocated for extending the Central Subway to the Wharf by partnering with SF NexTstop

# FWCBD Annual Budget Analysis

# **OEWD's staff reviewed the following budget-related benchmarks for FWCBD:**

- **BENCHMARK 1:** Whether the variance between the budget amounts for each service category was within 10 percentage points from the budget identified in the Management Plan (Agreement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Wharf Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Agreement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Wharf Portside Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget)
- **BENCHMARK 2:** Whether five percent (5%) of Landside's actuals came from sources other than assessment revenue (CA Streets & Highways Code, Section 36650(B)(6); Agreement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Wharf Community Benefit District", Section 3.4 Annual Reports)
- **BENCHMARK 3:** Whether the variance between the budget amount and actual expenses within a fiscal year was within 10 percent (Agreement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Wharf Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Agreement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Wharf Portside Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Mareement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Wharf Portside Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Mareement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Whatf Portside Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Mareement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Whatf Portside Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Mareement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Whatf Portside Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Mareement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Whatf Portside Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Mareement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Whatf Portside Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Mareement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Whatf Portside Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Mareement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Whatf Portside Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Mareement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Whatf Portside Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Mareement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Whatf Portside Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Mareement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Whatf Portside Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Mareement for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Whatf Portside Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Mareement for the Administration for the Administration of the "Fisherman's Whatf Portside Community Benefit District", Section 3.9 Budget; Mareement for the Administration for the Administration for the Administration for the "Fisherman's Whatf Portside Comm
- **BENCHMARK 4:** Whether FWCBD is indicating the amount of funds to be carried forward into the next fiscal year and designating projects to be spent in current fiscal year (*CA Streets & Highways Code, Section 36650(B)(5)*)

# FY 2019-2020

**BENCHMARK 1:** Whether the variance between the budget amounts for each service category was within 10 percentage points from the budget identified in the Management Plan

**ANALYSIS:** *FWCBD met this requirement for Portside; FWCBD met this requirement for Landside*. See tables below.

#### Landside

Service	Mgmt. Plan	FY 19-20	FY 19-20 Asst	Variance	Variance
Category	Budget	Budget	Budget	% Points	% Points – Asst.
	(Percentage)	(Percentage)	(Percentage)		

District Identity and Streetscape Improveme nts	\$255,000.00 (40.96%)	\$518,096.38 (46.28%)	\$493,425.12 (46.12%)	+5.32%	+5.17%
Public Rights of Way and Sidewalk Operations	\$181,130.00 (29.09%)	\$326,497.50 (29.16%)	\$310,950.00 (29.07%)	+0.07%	-0.03%
Administrati ve and Corporate Operations	\$125,000.00 (20.08%)	\$199,041.30 (17.78%)	\$186,563.14 (17.72%)	-2.30%	-2.36%
Contingency and Reserve	\$61,485.00 (9.88%)	\$75,860.00 (6.78%)	\$75,860.00 (7.09%)	-3.10%	-2.78%
TOTAL	\$622,615.00	\$1,119,495.17	\$1,069,798.26		

# Portside

Service Category	Mgmt. Budget	FY 19-20 Budget	FY 19-20 Asst. Budget	Variance % Points	Variance % Points – Asst.
	(Percentage)	(Percentage)	(Percentage)		
District Identity and Streetscape Improveme nts	\$130,979.00 (70.00%)	\$239,216.12 (74.43%)	\$227,824.88 (74.18%)	+4.43%	+4.18%
Administrati ve and Corporate Operations	\$37,423.00 (20.00%)	\$60,140.17 (18.71%)	\$60,140.17 (18.65%)	-1.29%	-1.35%
Contingency and Reserve	\$18,711.00 (10.00%)	\$22,026.00 (6.85%)	\$22,026.00 (7.17%)	-3.15%	-2.83%
TOTAL	\$187,113.00	\$321,382.83	\$307,127.74		

**BENCHMARK 2:** Whether five percent (5%) of Landside's actuals came from sources other than assessment revenue

**ANALYSIS:** <u>FWCBD met this requirement</u>. Assessment revenue was \$758,600.00 or 58.64% of actuals and non-assessment revenue was \$535,100.00 or 28.32% of actuals. See table below.

Revenue Sources	FY 2019-2020 Actuals	% of Actuals
Assessments Revenue	\$758,600.00	
Total Assessment (Special Benefit)	\$758,600.00	58.64%
Revenue		
Grants	\$461,745.00	35.69%
Donations	\$73,215.00	5.66%
Interest Earned	\$140.00	0.01%
Total Non-Assessment (General Benefit) Revenue**	\$535,100.00	41.36%
Total	\$1,293,700.00	100.00%

**BENCHMARK 3:** Whether the variance between the budget amount and actual expenses within a fiscal year was within 10 percentage points

**ANALYSIS:** <u>FWCBD met this requirement for Landside; FWCBD met this requirement for Portside.</u> See table below.

Service	FY 19-20	FY 19-20 Asst.	FY 19-20	FY 19-20	Variance	Variance
Category	Budget	Budget	Actuals –	Actuals –	% Points	% Points
			Total	Asst.	- Total	– Asst.
	(Percentage)	(Percentage)	(Percentage)	(Percentage)		
District Identity and Streetscape Improvements	\$518,096.38 (46.28%)	\$493,425.12 (46.12%)	\$436,171.69 (34.32%)	\$379,896.00 (44.63%)	-11.86%	-1.49%
Public Rights of Way and Sidewalk Operations	\$326,497.50 (29.16%)	\$310,950.00 (29.07%)	\$302,471.00 (23.87%)	\$302,471.00 (35.54%)	-5.30%	+6.47%
Administrative and Corporate Operations	\$199,041.30 (17.78%)	\$186,563.14 (17.72%)	\$185,699.00 (14.65%)	\$168,759.00 (19.83%)	-3.12%	+2.11%
Special Projects			\$342,941.00 (27.06%)		+27.06%	
Contingency and Reserve	\$75,860.00 (6.78%)	\$75,860.00 (27.06%)	\$0.00		-7.09%	-6.78%
TOTAL	\$1,119,495.17	\$1,069,798.26	\$1,267,282.69	\$851,126.00		

Portside

Service Category	FY 19-20 Budget	FY 19-20 Asst Budget	FY 19-20 Actuals – Total	FY 19-20 Actuals – Asst.	Variance % Points - Total	Variance % Points – Asst.
	(Percentage)	(Percentage)	(Percentage)	(Percentage)		
District Identity and Streetscape Improvements	\$518,096.38 (46.28%)	\$493,425.12 (46.12%)	\$436,171.69 (34.32%)	\$379,896.00 (44.63%)	- 11.86%%	-1.49%
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TOTAL	\$1,119,495.17	\$1,069,798.26	\$1,267,282.69	\$851,126.00		

**BENCHMARK 4:** Whether FWCBD is indicating the amount of funds to be carried forward into the next fiscal year and designating projects to be spent in current fiscal year

**ANALYSIS:** <u>FWCBD met this requirement.</u> There is a period between when the City collects assessment payment and when the City disburses the funds to the CBD. As a result, a CBD typically has a fund balance at the end of the fiscal year that is equal to about 6 months of their annual budget. See table below.

# Landside

FY 2019-2020 Carryover Disbursement	\$405,432.57
Public Rights of Way and Sidewalk Operations	\$143,997.00
District Identity and Streetscape Improvements	\$61,189.00
Administration	\$56,092.00
Contingency and Reserve	\$142,154.57
Total Designated amount for Future Years	\$405,432.57

Portside

FY 2019-2020 Carryover Disbursement	\$185,219.53
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District Identity and Streetscape Improvements	\$96,080.53
Administration	\$19,827.20
	\$69,247.48
Contingency	
Total Designated amount for Future Years	\$185,155.21

# Findings and Recommendations

For the fiscal year in review, Fisherman's Wharf CBD met all benchmarks mentioned on page 5 of this memo. The CBD continues to perform strongly in respect to reported metrics. FWCBD, once again, hosted successful events and has partnered with the broader community to make the Wharf area a destination for locals.

The second half of FY 2019-2020 was particularly challenging for the Fisherman's Wharf CBD as well as property owners and businesses in the area. In February 2020 visitor traffic to the area began to decline due to the emergence of the Covid-19 global pandemic. On March 16, 2020 Mayor London N. Breed announced that that the Health Officer for the City County of San Francisco issued a Public Health Order requiring residents to remain at home, with the exception of essential needs. Additionally, all businesses other than Essential Businesses and Essential Government Functions, were required to cease all operations. All public and private gatherings of any number of people occurring outside a single family or living unit were also prohibited. This impacted a large number of events the CBD helps sponsor including the 4<sup>th</sup> of July and Fleet Week, which are both important economic contributors to businesses in the area.

This order was particularly confusing to the Community Benefit District/Business Improvement District community in San Francisco as, by definition, they provide supplemental service and no direction was provided on whether or not they were to cease operations. The Fisherman's Wharf CBD did not suspend operations and continued to perform essential services in the early days of the pandemic ensuring that the public rights of way in the area maintained were clean. OEWD worked with the Covid Command Center to ensure that these essential workers were not forgotten during the Covid response and was able to acquire personal protective equipment and hygiene supplies to keeps workers and the community safe. CBD/BIDs played an important role in facilitating communication between the City and their stakeholders throughout the pandemic.

Additionally, in May 2020, peaceful protests broke out through the world, including San Francisco, in response to the killing of George Floyd in Minneapolis. The vast majority of these demonstrations were nonviolent, but on May 30<sup>th</sup> bad actors embedded with the peaceful protestors began to riot and loot businesses throughout the City and County of San Francisco. Fisherman's Wharf experienced this too as these individuals made their way from Union Square. In the aftermath of these incidents the Fisherman's Wharf CBD helped clean up streets, contacted property owners, and worked with officials to help secure the district.

This iteration of the FWCBD - Landside sunset on June 30, 2020 and needed to be renewed before the end of 2020. FY 19-20 saw the CBD and its renewal steering committee focus on completing their renewal process before the district expired. The Landside CBD successfully completed renew on July 14, 2020. The Portside renewal was put on hold due to the emergence of the Covid-19 pandemic. Instead of completing the process in the summer, like originally anticipated, the process was suspended until the stakeholders could have a better understanding of the impact of the pandemic on businesses in the district. The Portside CBD renewal process was completed in FY 2020-21 and will be discussed in that annual report.

Fisherman's Wharf CBD has been on the forefront of partnering with the City and County of San Francisco as we work to emerge from the Covid-19 pandemic. The CBD was instrumental in connecting with neighborhood stakeholders, managing PPE deliveries, and its executive director, Randall Scott, sat on the Economic Recovery Task Force. The CBD is currently proactively thinking how to emerge from the pandemic to welcome visitors back to the area to support the Wharf's unique businesses.

# Conclusion

Fisherman's Wharf CBD has performed well in implementing the service plan of both the Landside and Portside areas. Due to the pandemic, the Fisherman's Wharf CBD was unable to successfully market and produce events such as 4<sup>th</sup> of July, Fleet Week, and Wharf Fest as it has done in the past. Fisherman's Wharf CBD has an active board of directors and committee members; and OEWD believes the Fisherman's Wharf CBD will continue to successfully carry out its mission and service plans. Fisherman's Wharf CBD is well underway with their renewal process and are expected to complete the process on schedule.

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# MEMORANDUM

- TO: Kate Sofis, Director, Office of Economic and Workforce Development Ben Rosenfield, City Controller
- FROM: John Carroll, Assistant Clerk, Government Audit and Oversight Committee, Board of Supervisors
- DATE: June 2, 2021

SUBJECT: LEGISLATION INTRODUCED

The Board of Supervisors' Government Audit and Oversight Committee has received the following proposed legislation, introduced by Supervisor Peskin on May 25, 2021:

# File No. 210615

Resolution receiving and approving the annual report for the Fisherman's Wharf Community Benefit District and Fisherman's Wharf Portside Community Benefit District for Fiscal Year (FY) 2019-2020, submitted as required by the Property and Business Improvement District Law of 1994 (California Streets and Highways Code, Sections 36600 et seq.), Section 36650, and the Districts' management agreements with the City, Section 3.4.

If you have any comments or reports to be included with the file, please forward them to me at the Board of Supervisors, City Hall, Room 244, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102.

c: Offices of Chair Preston and Supervisor Peskin Todd Rydstrom, Office of the Controller J'Wel Vaughan, Office of Economic and Workforce Development Anne Taupier, Office of Economic and Workforce Development Lisa Pagan, Office of Economic and Workforce Development Chris Corgas, Office of Economic and Workforce Development

# **Introduction Form**

By a Member of the Board of Supervisors or Mayor

Time stamp or meeting date

I hereby submit the following item for introduction (select only one):

✓ 1. For reference to Committee. (An Ordinance, Resolution, Motion or Charter Amendment).	
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Planning Commission     Building Inspection Commission	
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