South Beach / Rincon / Mission Bay Neighborhood Association Redistricting Meeting January 9, 2012

The San Francisco Redistricting Task Force will be holding their meeting with District 6 on:

Saturday, January 21, 10:00 AM District 6, Bayanihan Community Center 1010 Mission Street, San Francisco, CA

(Jane Kim will hold her Community Office Hours from 11:30 to ? at Cafe Mirille at 87 McAllister this same day immediately after the meeting.)

Comments from the Jan 9th meeting are captured below.

- There are 27,000 more people in District 6 than in any other District.
- Redistricting must be completed by April 15, 2012.
- Treasure Island is currently still planned to be in D6. Population is 400 to 500. Would it make more sense to move it to D3?
- Keep SOMA together! Similar issues (nightclubs, Southern District SFPD, etc.) make sense to keep it together in one District.
- The Metropolitan is more aligned with Transbay Terminal area. Keep it a part of SOMA.
- The immediate neighborhood around Transbay and the terminal itself are co-dependent on each other for success.
- What changes would impact those who might be moved to another District?
 - o Police? No. SFPD Stations do not cover the same territory as Districts.
 - Open Space? No.
 - o Traffic? Public Planning? Could be. Eg, 2nd Street Bike Plan
 - It would not make sense for people across the street from each other to have two different supervisors.
- Mission Bay -
 - o good / bad for hospital and campus to be split?
 - There is no residential south of 16th Street.
 - Mission Bay North relates more to South Beach while Mission Bay South relates more to Potrero Hill.

- Southern Station will be physically relocating to Mission Bay. It is frustrating to think about dealing with both Southern Station and the Bayview Station as far as SFPD.
- There are over 3000 new housing units coming to Mission Bay over the next ten years.
- We need to consider Redevelopment Projects as well as other things going on.
 - o 2nd Street Bike Plan
 - o 6th Street SFPD Substation
- South Beach / Rincon / Mission Bay felt unrepresented in the past as we grew. We are good resources for those in Mission Bay who might be feeling the same way as they expand.
- SOMA and the Tenderloin are different. Why are they in the same District? Chinatown and North Beach are different, but they are in the same District.
- The "corner triangle" north of Market currently proposed for D6 doesn't seem to fit. At the same time, cutting out that "corner triangle" south of Market where Transbay is doesn't seem to make sense.
- Matthias advises we concentrate on what we would like to keep together.
- What will happen to all of the work done by the Western SOMA Task Force and the Eastern Neighborhoods Task Force?