

TL Community Stakeholder Group Meeting #1

Thursday, Sept 15th

5:30 - 7:00pm

Zoom link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/9406160705>

Slide deck (copy): <https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1NkrWFyWpun239QcoA6-kpH5-cOPpyvk/edit#slide=id.p1>

1) Welcome - Group Agreements

1. Respect across the board - Keep language simple and civil
2. Inclusivity - Holding a safe AND honest space for everyone to share and not withholding truths. Stories stay, lessons leave - Personal stories and self disclosures are not shared outside the meeting
3. One Mic - one voice at a time, no interruptions (write out your thoughts/questions so you don't forget)
4. Listen to Understand - Process first, repeat, and lastly, respond
5. Follow Through - Do as you say and respect deadlines and communicate if not able to
6. Assume Good Intent - Throw glitter not share
7. Solution Contribution - Provide solutions when challenging a recommendation. When you disagree, look for common ground or ideas you can work with and provide solutions
8. Active Group Participation - Be present, speak your truth and be engaged throughout the process
9. Patience and Flexibility - Plan with flexibility

2) Introductory Presentation & Discussion

Today marks a milestone in the work that is done in the TL. We're building a strong level of communication between those in the neighborhood and City leaders to better the Tenderloin Neighborhood. The Community Stakeholder Group will work together to coordinate efforts to create a better community where the community/residents are empowered.

Discussion Question : *What do you value in the Tenderloin? What do you like about the Tenderloin?*

4) Community Stakeholder Group Process Presentation & Discussion

The Community Stakeholder Group (CSG) is will collaborate with the SF Planning Department to address a number of immediate short-term and medium-term solutions in the Neighborhood. Residents and community organizations over the past several years have collaborated with the City to make the Tenderloin Community Action Plan. This Plan is unique because many residents organized to create solutions that would improve

housing, parks, arts and culture, jobs, and improve the streets of the Tenderloin. It didn't just come out of the Planning Department. It came from you and your neighbors. This plan is almost done being drafted. This group will play a huge part in bringing this community plan to life.

- **The Community Stakeholder Group Process:**

- There will be a number of Working Groups (like subcommittees) that will work on specific topics
- Working groups will analyze and discuss actions in the Plan, specific projects that will be implemented in the short term, and any other number of solutions, then bring it to the larger CSG group. Working Groups can invite city agency representative to come to meetings and share about any given topic, challenge, or solution.
- Working groups will make recommendations to all SF agencies including but not limited to MUNI, Public Works, etc.

- **City agencies involved:**

- Department of Homelessness & Supportive Housing (HSH)
- SF Metropolitan Transportation Agency (SFMTA)
- San Francisco Human Rights Commission (HRC)
- Mayor's Office of Housing & Community Development (MOHCD)
- Department of Public Works (DPW)
- San Francisco Arts Commission
- Recreation & Parks Division
- And a few more!

- **Important to Know:**

- The Community Stakeholder Group will meet once a month, likely for the next three years
- Residents who are not here on behalf of organizations will receive a stipend.
 - There are only a certain number of stipends
 - Stipends will be gift cards to grocery stores until cash gift cards are possible
 - \$25- \$30 gift card per meeting
- The Planning Department will send emails and Outreach & Equity Team will send texts to remind us of meetings

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5) Closing/Next Steps

Make sure to keep an eye out for an email. The San Francisco Planning Department will continue to email you all with meeting notes and other pertaining documents. We will do our best to have these documents printed to be available in-person. We will also be emailing and reaching out to you all with information regarding the next meeting.

Thank you for fighting for a better Tenderloin!

