



SAN FRANCISCO LGBTQ CULTURAL HERITAGE STRATEGY WORKING GROUP
MEETING #4 MINUTES

Meeting Date: Wednesday, April 19th, 2017
Meeting Time: 6:00PM – 8:00PM
Venue: City Hall, Room 278

1. **Welcome and housekeeping** (Frances McMillen, Planning Department)
2. **Updates from committee chairs**
 - Community service and education
 - Arts and culture
 - Business and economic development
 - Committees organized
3. **Board of Supervisors progress report**
 - Strategy/Progress Report
 - Discussion of strategies
 - Passed out template for B.O.S report
 - Identifying keep partners, next steps
 - List of next steps for each strategy
 - Example of previous cultural heritage strategies
 - Presented SoMa Pilipinas Strategy (Shelley Caltagirone, Planning Department)
 - Goals are listed, help frame the thinking of what's developed for the strategy
 - People can send in additional feedback
 - Next Steps:
 - May 2017: Present progress report at B.O.S.
 - May – October 2017: More robust community outreach, engage with government agencies
 - Narrowing down priorities, strategies, developing a vision statement
 - January – March 2018: Implementation Plan
 - March 2018: Implementation
4. **LGBTQ Cultural Heritage Strategy Survey Draft**
 - Draft survey – did we miss anything?
 - Organized by topic (i.e. committees, overarching goals, demographic info)
 - What would help you to better craft the strategy?
 - Question about outsourcing strategy (tap into online communities, networks or taskforce members, supervisors offices, etc.)
 - All of city's neighborhoods or broken down by districts – capture information from everyone, center of LGBT culture changes, and is changing now
5. **Workshops and events**
 - Lower Polk Neighbors / Middle Polk Neighborhood Association (March 14th, 2017)
 - Cultural heritage workshop
 - Harvey Milk LGBT Democratic Club Monthly Social (March 29th, 2017)
 - Attendees completed toolkit exercises
 - GLBT Historical Society (April 18th, 2017)
 - Emphasis on storytelling, not just markers
 - Talked about youth as target audience

- Intersectionality, struggles within our community, seeking social justice among ourselves
- Have more community forums in other parts of San Francisco, such as Mission, Bayview, etc.
- Focused on seniors

6. **Presentations**

- LGBTQ Public History Resources (Gerald Koskovich)
 - Presentation on public history resources, GLBT Historical Society's archives, exhibitions to bring history to broader public

7. **Wrap-up and announcements**