



May 2007

Dear Friends:

On Wednesday, September 26, 2007, hundreds of San Francisco neighborhood park lovers will gather in the warmth of a heated canopy and under a full moon in Alamo Square Park to celebrate and support the work of Neighborhood Parks Council (NPC) at our ***Only in San Francisco*** gala.

As with events in years past, we will raise much of our funds through an incredible auction of fabulous excursions and experiences. **We would be honored if you would consider a contribution to our auction.** As a donor, you will receive recognition in our invitation, program and event publicity.

More than 400 guests are expected to attend the outdoor event. The diversity of attendees- from volunteer park stewards and community organizers to corporate sponsors, local officials, and Mayor Newsom- attests to the collaboration that NPC facilitates throughout the city. The 10th Anniversary Gala will feature artistic performances, silent and live auctions, and food and wine from a variety of local Bay Area supporters. And, in staying with our ***Only in San Francisco*** theme, are looking to our friends and neighbors who make this city so special – to support us with a gift to our auction.

NPC is a coalition of community-based park groups actively involved in improving neighborhood parks throughout San Francisco. Founded in 1996 in response to the declining state of our neighborhood parks, NPC has grown to include 120+ park groups and 4,000 park volunteers, establishing itself as San Francisco's premier park advocacy group. Additionally, through our ParkScan program we are developing park monitors throughout San Francisco. **All proceeds from the Gala event will go directly to support the core programs of Neighborhood Parks Council.**

For all sponsors, we assure that your business gets the recognition it deserves for your participation. This includes signage at the event; listing in the invitation, program and on our website (70k hits per month) and listed in our newsletter (read by more than 7,000 area residents).

Please review the enclosed benefits form and send your reply as soon as possible. Contact Jennifer Bing at the email and numbers below if you have further questions. I look forward to your possible participation and partnership with NPC. Thanks for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

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ONLY IN SAN FRANCISCO
benefiting Neighborhood Parks Council

Wednesday, September 26, 2007
6:00 to 9:00 pm

Alamo Square Park (Pierce at Hayes Streets)

SILENT AUCTION DONATION CONFIRMATION FORM

Yes, we are happy to join in support of San Francisco's neighborhood parks with an auction contribution to **Only In San Francisco** benefiting the Neighborhood Parks Council.

Name/Company (as you would like to be listed)

Contact

Address

City

State

Zip

Phone

Fax

Email

Donated Item(s): _____ Value: \$ _____ Expiration Date: _____

*Auction items valued at a minimum of \$100.
If you are contributing an item of lesser value, we are happy to package your contribution.*

Item description as you would like it to appear at auction and in publication
(use reverse if needed):

Please submit photos for web listings to: NPC@cbsanfrancisco.com with "NPC" and the name of the donor in the subject line

Do you need us to pick up? Yes No.

If no, you may deliver or mail by September 15th
Please fax this form to CapirasoBing Consulting at 415.821.9655 - or mail to
"Only in San Francisco/NPC Gala
c/o 60 Berkeley Way, San Francisco, CA 94131

Thank you for your generous support.

If you have any questions, please call or email us at [415.821.9693](tel:415.821.9693)/NPC@cbsanfrancisco.com

Please include your promotional materials, brochures, and business cards.