# 15-50-15

Commemorating

The 15th Anniversary of the Loma Prieta Earthquake The 50th Anniversary of the Fireboat Phoenix and

The 15th Anniversary of the Neighborhood Emergency Response Teams

OCTOBER 17, 2004

#### We shall never forget...

To the many individuals, organizations, agencies and businesses who provided relief to victims of the Loma Prieta Earthquake of October 17, 1989: Your compassionate aid and assistance has never been forgotten and our gratitude has not faded with the passing of 15 years. No list such as the one below is ever complete, and this is particularly so because of the chaos which followed the earthquake and fire. Unnamed persons, such as the young man who risked his own life to remove cans of gasoline he knew were stored in his neighbor's garage and almost certainly prevented a probable explosion, performed many extraordinary acts of selflessness the night of October 17, and in the days that followed, not only in the Marina District of San Francisco, but through all the localities of Northern California affected by this disaster.

## The following businesses and organizations gave invaluable service and assistance:

Animal Care & Control - Alhambra Water Co. - Anheuser-Busch - American Red Cross - Bank of America — Bechtel — California Conservation Corps - California National Guard - Cellular One - Chestnut Street Walgreen's Employees - Commonwealth Land Title Insurance Co. - Golden Gate Scavenger Co. - Letterman Hospital Staff - Marina Middle School — Alyse Danis, Principal — Motorola - Pac Bell - PG&E - Pacific Union Residential Brokerage - Presidio FD - Soldiers of the Sixth Army, Presidio - SF Bar Assn.- SFDPH Paramedics — SFDPW — SFFD — SFPD - SF Muni Railway — SPCA - Sunset Scavengers

#### Extraordinary neighbors and citizens who made a difference:

Kim Barent - Robin Barnett (SAFE) - Kim Barrett - Chuck Bass - Sgt. Battaglia (SFPD) - Roger Battaglia - Roger Beta - Lt. Denise Biehn (Letterman) - Cynthia Brattesani - Dr. Steve Brattesani - Brig. General Leslie M. Burger and Mrs. Burger (Presidio) - Peter Burns & Frank Chiu (DBI) - Scott Chiamparino - Officer D. Clennel (SFPD) - Earl Curtis - Paramedic Joey Delligatti - Alyssa & Audrey Di Filippo - Dick Evans (DPW) - Jeff Figone - Brian Friedman - Mr. Ganz (SF Hilton) - Diane Goodman - Faline Grace - Sgt. Gustafson (SFPD) - Julie Han (Hana Ichi Flowers) - Lt. Gen. Harrison (Presidio) - Marguerite Heber - Carol Holt - Terry Hoyt (Chestnut St. Walgreen's) - Craig Hudson - Mark Hurtado (Ratto Hardward) - Paul Johnston - Mark Kasky - Bob Kirby - Frank Kracher (Ch. 7) - T. Reed Lagedrost - Scott Marks - Maggie McCall - Mark Mellisen - Martin Moore - Rob Morse - Frank Moss (DPW) - Bob Passmore (Planning Comm.) - Bill Payne - Steve Stevenson - Angelo Spagnoli - Lisa Stark (Ch. 7) - Scott Stevens - SF Firefighters & family members - Kevin Shelley - FF Jerry Tanaka (SFFD) - John Ulrich (PG&E) - Stuart Yee - Betty White - Dr. Roxanne (last name unknown)

### These individuals and businesses provided supplies for and/or cooked meals for Marina District residents for many days following the earthquake:

Wayne Arnsbarger - Sam Bobu — Stacy Bobu - John Brattesani (Caesar's) - Claudia Campbell - Lauren Carlisle - Sam Ching - Gloria Corino - D'Angelo's - Gina Della Sedie - Gary Ferrari (Pierce Street Annex) - Mary-Karen Fippinger - Gloria Fontanello - Derek Harte (ARC) - Johnny Rocket - Grace Kang (Grace Pearls) - Original Joe's — La Pasteria - La Pergola — Lucca Delicatessen - Bill McDonald — Bob Mulhem - Bob Bill Ngai - Jeff Orth (Big 5 Sporting Goods) - Pete Pallari (O Sole Mio) - Perry's - Nancy Powers - Fred Robbins - Sid Rossi (Java Bay) — Marina Safeway - Village Pizzeria - Wine Shop, Chestnut Street - Jean & Linda (last names unknown)

If you are aware of an individual or a business that should be added to this list, please contact us at <a href="mailto:info@sfphoenix.com">info@sfphoenix.com</a> to tell us who they are and what they did. Thank you.

#### TODAYS PROGRAM

Tours of the Fireboat *Phoenix* 2—4 PM 4:30 Opening Remarks Master of Ceremonies—Captain Brendan Ward

> Lily Coit Sony Holland

> > Speakers

Senator Dianne Feinstein Mayor Gavin Newsorn

Proclamation – Presented to Chief Joanne Hayes-White for Phoenix

> Supervisor Michela Alioto-Pier Certificates of Honor Chief Joanne Hayes-White Asst. Chief Frank Blackburn, SFFD (ret.) Lieutenant Frank Lucier, SFFD (ret.) Lieutenant Erica Arteseros, SFFD Gail Goldyne & Marc Goldyne

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Unveiling of Tower Monument

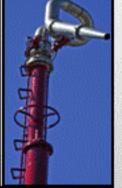
5:04 pm – Fireboat *Guardian* water display / Moment of silence



#### Captain Brendan Ward Final Words

The crew of the Fireboat *Phoenix*, the SFFD Reserves, and members of the San Francisco Fire Department Bureau of Equipment, will demonstrate pumping from the Bay, to the Portable Hydrant System, and then to the 1950 Mack Hose Tender #6.

The Thunder Chief and Mack Hose Tender seen on display here today, are currently part of the SFFD Historic Apparatus Collection, both units were pressed in to service in the response to Marina District Fires during the Loma Prieta Earthquake Response.



SFFD Fire boat Phoenix, new remotely controlled monitor



SFFD Fire boat

Phoenix, manually operated

monitor and nozzle—to be used as

Marina Monument

On October 17, 1989, San Francisco experienced an earthquake with a magnitude of 7.1 on the Richter scale. The aftermath of such an event and its effect on San Francisco's residents led to specific action. The San Francisco Fire Department, prompted by the residents in the city, formed the Neighborhood Emergency Response Team Training Program, which currently provides training in disaster and emergency response. Since 1990 the NERT program has trained more than 11,000 San Francisco residents to be self-sufficient in a major disas-

ter. Through this program, individuals will also learn hands-on disaster skills that will help them as members of an emergency response team.

The NERT Training Program is a 20 hour comprehensive program consisting of six (6) class sessions lasting approximately 3 hours each. The training instructors are professional firefighters. There is no cost for our neighborhood training classes. There is a fee for private training.



## 15-50-15 Event Thanks

#### Benefactors

S.F. Fire Credit Union S.F. Firefighters Local 798 Victorian Alliance

All-American Printing Services, Petaluma - Printing of posters

Donna Bwald-Huggins, Campaign Chair, "Restore the Palace of Fine Arts"

Sony Holland, jazz vocalist; Art Khu, pianist – <u>www.sonyholland.com</u>

Richard Stuart, sound engineer

Mike Schweizer, IMF Telecommunica

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TV hook-up sound

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and banner

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Books Inc.

NERT

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The Exploratorium

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