

# WE ARE SOMA WEST CBD

**A Community Forum With City Leaders and Stakeholders** 

**DATE: 8/26/20** 

DURATION: 11:00 - 11:45 AM PT / 45 MINUTES: 30 MINUTES PANEL DISCUSSION / 15 MINUTES Q&A

## YOU ARE INVITED!

Join SOMA West CBD for a lively and informative online Community Forum as we discuss how we are helping the local community with the maintenance, security and marketing of the district, and as we lay out our vision for the future of the district.

### **DISCUSSION TOPICS WILL INCLUDE:**

The cultural identity of SOMA West: with emphasis on the long-standing contributions from San Francisco's LGBT and Filipino Cultural Districts, both of which call this neighborhood home.

The unique challenges facing the SOMA West district: we'll discuss steps we are taking to keep the neighborhood clean and safe.

The future: we will set out our path forward to address the challenges of the future so we, as a relatively young CBD, can grow to meet those challenges.

#### **CO- MODERATOR**

Adam Thongsavat, Program Director at Airbnb

### **PANELISTS**

Joaquin Torres, Director of Office of Economic and Workforce Development

Harold Hoogasian, President SOMBA (South of Market Business Association)

Desi Danganan, SOMA Pilipinas Cultural District

Bob Goldfarb, President of the Leather and LGBTQ Cultural District



Registrants will receive Zoom log-in information 48 hours prior to the event.

