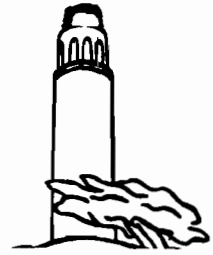




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OUR FOURTEENTH BIRTHDAY

APRIL NINTH 1968 --

A SHORT BUSINESS MEETING &
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George Raad *	315 Chestnut St.	392-0693
Sally Eccles * *	290 Lombard St.	397-1969

* George Raad (becomes a director for as long as the succeeding President shall remain in office-one or two years)

* * Sally Eccles (nominated as director to succeed Jerry Cauthen who had another year to serve as director)

Directors Remaining on the Board for one additional year.

Thomas Cara	451 Lombard St.	392-9167
Dolores Waaland	1399 Kearny St.	362-4564
Kenneth Evers	255 Chestnut St.	421-2671

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ATTENTION TELEGRAPH HILL DWELLERS -NEW HEIGHT DISTRICT THREATENS

Downtown interests are endeavoring to establish a height limit of 160' on the Southerly line of Broadway between Grant Avenue and Sansome Sts. The height limit proposed by the City Planning Department in the Downtown Zoning Study is 65', but property owners in this area (Jackson Square Area) are trying to have the height limit established at this much greater height.

On March 8th a large group of Hill Dwellers attended a hearing by the Supervisors Planning and Development Committee on this matter. Our many able speakers presented an excellent case against the establishment of this excessive height limit.

At the conclusion of the meeting the committee voted to take the matter under advisement. Interested parties were invited to submit written material expressing their desires. The end of March is the deadline. The committee will make its' recommendations to the full Board of Supervisors for their vote on the matter immediately following the March 31st date.

The members of the Supervisors Committee are Ronald Pelosi-Chairman James Maillard, and (Mrs.) Dorothy von Beroldingen.

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TO ALL RESIDENTS OF TELEGRAPH HILL

Our application to create a 40' height limit at the base of the hill where an 84' height limit now exists, is scheduled to be heard by the City Planning Commission on April 4th at 3:00 P. M. in Room 282, City Hall. There is a possibility that this hearing may be postponed to a later date, if so you will be informed.

This is a matter of vital importance- Your presence at this hearing will aid us greatly. Let's have a big attendance.

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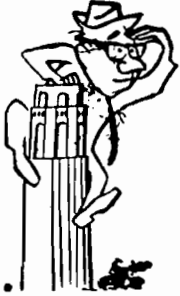
THE COMING YEAR - - - - - A Busy One

Fiscal year 1968-1969 promises to be the busiest one the Telegraph Hill Dwellers have ever experienced.

To name a few of our problems not mentioned elsewhere in this bulletin.

1- The International Market Center proposed by the North Water Front Associates, if built as planned, would tend to level off Telegraph Hill by creating an 84' plateau at the base of the hill.

(see next page)



2- An overall plan for the entire North Water Front is now under study by the City Planning Department. The area under study includes the entire Water Front from Fort Mason to China Basin. The problems involved are many. To name a few - -some of the piers which no longer seem to be necessary for shipping needs are to be abandoned, and recreation areas are to be created in their stead, new traffic patterns must be established, better means of transportation must be found, parking problems must be solved.etc.

An active committee of Telegraph Hill Dwellers, as members of the Citizens Advisory Committee, have attended all meetings, and have actively participated in all discussions.

3- The Board of Supervisors have authorized a study on the feasibility of restoring ferry boats to the bay. These proposed ferries would run between San Francisco and Marin County and San Francisco and East Bay points.

All of these vital issues and many more are to be settled, or partially settled, during the next year. We need the cooperation of all our members.

New Officers and Directors will be taking over in April. The newly elected President will be naming his new committees.

We need your support- If any of you feel you can help in any way, communicate with the President or any of the Officers or Directors.

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