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Ellyn Parker

Office of Economic and Workforce Development, Senior Community Development Specialist

Ellyn Parker works in the Office of Economic Workforce and Development (OEWD) as part of the Invest in Neighborhood Team with a focus on Divisadero Street, Central Market, and the Tenderloin neighborhoods. She is a longtime advocate for the arts and music communities as a former gallery owner, art teacher, musician and artist herself.

Lyslynn Lacoste

B*Magic, Program Director

Lyslynn Lacoste is a New York Bar licensed attorney from Boston, Massachusetts and the Program Director of BMAGIC. Lyslynn's work includes hosting three annual community events: BVHP Youth Summit, Literacy is Freedom Book Fair, and Back to School Celebration, Backpack Giveaway serving over 4,000 children, youth and families.

Kristine Mays

Bayview Hunters Point Shipyard, Artist-in-Residence

Kristine Mays is a native San Franciscan that received her bachelor degree in Arts Administration from DePaul University and has been creating and exhibiting her artwork for since 1993. In 2009, Kristine was a featured artist in San Francisco Arts Commission's Bayview Art in Storefronts pilot program. For two years, she served on the Board of Directors for ArtSpan, and has participated in several of their committees.