

**Harvey Milk Democratic Club  
PAC Meeting  
April 10, 2018  
Galleria De La Raza  
2857 24th Street  
San Francisco CA 94132**

**Agenda Item #1:** Public Bank SF, by Kurtis Wu.

A public bank is a financial institution owned by a public entity, aka a “municipal bank”. It only needs to earn enough to cover costs, and the rest can be reinvested. It should answer to local government with more local control and more transparency. A public bank should free up more capital to invest in affordable housing, infrastructure, homelessness, etc. Current banks charge high interest rates and also invest in things like the Dakota Pipeline, prisons, etc.

There is a day of action on April 25th at 4pm, in front of Bank of America at 1525 Market and then a march to City Hall.

**1st Motion:** Brad Chapin motions for the PAC to recommend to the general membership to become a co-host of this event.

**Vote passes.**

**Agenda Item #2:** SF Progressive Alliance, Edward Wright.

The SF Progressive Alliance is an SF based group modeled after grassroots organization that fought against Chevron-backed candidates for Richmond’s City Council. It uses a hybrid model, combining a membership model and a cohort board. It may adopt steering committees that would be held accountable to smaller membership groups. It is asking the Milk Club to join.

**2nd Motion:** Motion to accept invitation and to make a recommendation to the general membership.

**Vote passes unanimously.**

**Agenda Item #3:** New Business

**3rd Motion:** Brad Chapin makes a motion to recommend to the general membership a vote to rescind the endorsement of Eleni Kounalakis for lieutenant governor and to have a new vote that considers endorsing candidates who are not Democrats but are aligned with the clubs values and politics.

**Vote passes 6 in favor and 1 opposed.**

Edward Wright tells us that Cleve Jones and Juanita More will be taking a leadership role in the Castro Street Fair. There will be a community brainstorming session April 21<sup>st</sup> from 3-5pm at the Eureka Valley Rec. Center prior to a mobilization. There are efforts to put a greater focus on culture and community as opposed to just the businesses.