

Maryann Dresner

I have been on the CHN Board for more than seven years, serving as Board chairman during the last year. CHN has an impressive list of achievements during the past years, including the reform and professionalization of board practices, providing input into the Market Street traffic plan, and leading several and often quite extended battles with local real estate developers over plans that did not conform to the Planning Code. I am opposed to efforts by developers to build units which result in neighbors' loss of light, views, and airflow.

More visibly, over the past few years, CHN has poured money and effort into our handful of community parks that now look better than they have in the past. The park at Merritt/Market/Danvers has been renewed, and the park at the Ord Corbett triangle has been refreshed. Al's Park on Corbett, just below Clayton now has a new entity involved in its care, and I believe it looks even better. I respectfully seek your support and vote.

Joseph Accordino

My family and I have lived in Corona Heights for almost 4 years and I am running for my third stint on the CHN Board. I believe that I am a strong team player and I enjoy participating in various CHN initiatives, including assisting with the newsletter. I believe that I am an asset when it comes to door-to-door canvassing. I try to form a strong connection with neighbors in order to help CHN reach its goals. If re-elected, I pledge to work with the CHN Board to continue to move our neighborhood forward.

Jessica Dal Santo

Jessica volunteered to join the Board after last year's Election and the Board welcomed her under the provision of the Bylaws that allows the Board to add up to 2 Board members mid-term.

She has served ably since that time and all Board members are delighted she has agreed to stand for regular election.

Leslie Koelsch

Leslie has been an active member of CHN since 2004 and the neighborhood's previous organization since moving to Corbett Avenue in 1977. Leslie is currently CHN's treasurer. Projects that Leslie has been involved with over the years are the publication of the Context Statement/ History Project (2012-2017), undergrounding of the telephone poles (1977-2008), membership drive to increase membership and treasury funds (2014-to present), Bylaws Committee, coordinator of the garden committee, and co-editor of the monthly neighborhood news. Leslie's interests, in part, include maintaining street parks and neighborhood preservation. Leslie is a retired public school administrator.

Rebecca Orloff McCann

Hello neighbors. My name is Becca McCann and my family and I moved to Corona Heights in 2020. I'm passionate about bringing people together and fostering community belonging through events like the Annual Ord (and friends) Block Party. This year, I'm looking for additional ways to enhance our community. As a CHN Board Member, I'll make an impact by addressing issues of common concern. Thank you for considering me for the Board.

Mark Ryser

I have resided in the neighborhood, on Ord Street, since 1995. During much of this time, I have been involved in planning, historic preservation and other issues, as well as served on the Boards of several non-profit organizations which focus on these concerns. Carefully considered advocacy and intelligent, open-minded, political engagement makes a critical difference in what happens in our City. CHN has a record of accomplishment which has brought credibility to the neighborhood and to you. And the organization continues to hold itself to a high standard of ethical, effective and professional conduct. Over time, in San Francisco, volunteer citizens of all types have had remarkable impacts and won significant benefits which, without their perseverance, would not have come into being. Those after us will enjoy or suffer the results of what we do or do not accomplish now. CHN is a vehicle by which, together, we can make positive impacts on the quality of life both now and for those who will come after us.

It would be my pleasure to continue to work with the exceptionally dedicated and capable CHN Board members and with you, the well-reasoned, magnanimous and engaged neighbors who make up its membership.

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