

San Francisco, Bay Area Social Justice Organizations

Thank you to Showing Up for Racial Justice (SurjBayArea.org) and community members for compiling much of this list of community organizations. While GWDC is not endorsing these organizations- we share them as a resource for you to further research and evaluate whether you would like to get involved. Many organizations welcome volunteers, donations, and ideas.

Bay Area Black-Led Groups

Peoples Programs is cadre organization that meets the material needs of the unhoused and low income communities of Oakland. They provide everything from case management to hot meals and free groceries.

Anti Police-Terror Project (APTP) is a group of concerned and committed institutions, organizations and individuals committed to end state-sanctioned murder of Black, Brown & Poor People.

Facebook.com/APTPaction

Black Alliance for Just Immigration (BAJI) educates and engages African American and Black immigrant communities to organize and advocate for racial, social and economic justice. **Baji.org**

National Bailout is a collective of abolitionist organizers, lawyers and activists building a community-based movement to support folks and end systems of pretrial detention and ultimately mass incarceration. **NationalBailout.org**

Black Lives Matter is rooted in the experiences of Black people in this country who actively resist dehumanization. #BlackLivesMatter is a call to action and a response to the virulent anti-Black racism that permeates society.

National: <https://blacklivesmatter.com/> Local chapter:

Facebook.com/BlackLivesMatterBayArea

BlackOut Collective is a Black direct action collective that provides on the ground support, training, and the opportunity to co-create and execute strategies to confront injustices. **BlackOutCollective.org**

Black Youth Project 100 (BYP 100) is an organization of Black 18-35 year olds, dedicated to creating justice and freedom for all Black people. BYP100 envisions a world where all Black people have economic, social, political and educational freedom. **byp100.org**

Community Ready Corps (CRC) is an organization that works for self determination in disenfranchised communities in Oakland, CA. **crc4sd.org**

Food Justice is an Oakland based organization supporting community development, self-reliance, health and cooperative sustainability through a farmers market in which fresh food is produced by Black and other socially disadvantaged farmers. <https://farminghope.org/>

Safe Return Project is led by formerly incarcerated people and works to empower and increase the visibility of people who have been impacted by the criminal justice system. They are working to build a political, social, and economic base of power to address the root causes of poverty and the impacts of the criminal justice system on Black people and communities of color. **safereturnprj.org/**

People of Color-Led Groups and Anti-Racism Allies

Catalyst Project helps to build powerful multiracial movements that can win collective liberation; anti-racism for collective liberation. **CollectiveLiberation.org**

Showing Up for Racial Justice (SURJ) is a national network of groups and individuals organizing white people for racial justice. Through community organizing, mobilizing, and education, SURJ moves white people to act for justice with passion and accountability as part of a multi-racial majority.

Surjbayarea.org

Sogorea Te' Land Trust is an urban Indigenous women-led community organization that facilitates the return of Chochenyo and Karkin Ohlone lands in the San Francisco Bay Area to Indigenous stewardship.

Sogoreate-landtrust.com

The White Noise Collective is a collective of people working at the intersection of whiteness and gender oppression to disrupt racism and white supremacy. **ConspireForChange.org**

Police Violence, Militarization & the Prison Industrial Complex

California Coalition for Women Prisoners (CCWP) is a grassroots social justice organization, with members inside and outside prison, that challenges the institutional violence imposed on women, transgender people, and communities of color by the prison industrial complex (PIC).

WomenPrisoners.org

Californians United for a Responsible Budget (CURB) is a statewide coalition of 70 grassroots organizations working to reduce the number of people in prisons and jails, the number of prisons and jails in the state, and shift state and local spending from corrections and policing to human services.

CurbPrisonSpending.org

Coalition for Police Accountability is a coalition of local community groups and unions that worked to place on the November 2016 ballot a measure drafted by Oakland residents to establish a Police Commission that oversees, monitors and holds accountable its Police Department.

CoalitionForPoliceAccountability.com

Contra Costa County Racial Justice Coalition is a coalition of organizations and individuals committed to eliminating racial inequalities in Contra Costa County and a primary gathering place for leaders in the movement for criminal justice reform in the County. **facebook.com/CCCRJC/**

Critical Resistance seeks to build an international movement to end the prison industrial complex by challenging the belief that caging and controlling people makes us safe. **CriticalResistance.org**

Ella Baker Center works to end mass incarceration and criminalization, demanding reinvestment in our communities instead of more imprisonment. **EllaBakerCenter.org**

Legal Services for Prisoners with Children/All of Us or None is a grassroots public policy, legal advocacy, and public education organization which encourages incarcerated and formerly incarcerated people to fully participate in all aspects of society. **PrisonersWithChildren.org**

Justice Advocates & Resources is based in East Contra Costa County. Their mission is to keep youth and at-risk communities out of the hands of the police, prisons, and criminal justice system, and to provide guidance and assistance to those who have been mistreated or abused at the hands of law enforcement. facebook.com/groups/979428159144806

The Transgender, Gender Variant & Intersex Justice Project (TGIJP) is a group of transgender, gender variant and intersex people—inside and outside of prisons, jails and detention centers—creating a united family in the struggle for survival and freedom. tgijp.org

National Prison Reform Organizations

Equal Justice Initiative is committed to ending mass incarceration and excessive punishment in the United States, to challenging racial and economic injustice, and to protecting basic human rights for the most vulnerable people in American society. Eji.org

The Marshall Project is a nonpartisan, nonprofit news organization that creates and sustains a sense of national urgency about the U.S. criminal justice system. We have an impact on the system through journalism, rendering it more fair, effective, transparent and humane. Themarshallproject.org

Convict Leasing and Labor Project leads a national conversation on the history and impact of forced labor, including chattel slavery, convict leasing, and the modern crisis of mass incarceration. cllptx.org/

Coalitions & groups working on behalf of specific victims of Bay Area police murders and

Justice for Alan Blueford, justice4alanblueford.org

Justice for Errol Chang, facebook.com/justiceforerrolchang

Justice for Yvette Henderson, facebook.com/groups/776968682359104

Justice for Richard Linyard, facebook.com/groups/443581512496508

Justice for Richard Perkins, facebook.com/groups/1025594937504312

Justice for Luis Góngora Pat, justice4luis.org

Justice for Mario Woods, facebook.com/justice4mariowoodscoalition

Justice for Kayla Moore, justiceforkaylamore.wordpress.com

Justice for Anthony Nunez, justiceforanthonymunez.org

Justice for Miles Hall, facebook.com/justiceformileshall

Justice for Angelo Quinto, facebook.com/groups/justiceforangeloquinto/

Displacement & Gentrification Issues

Community Liberations Program Is a grassroots organization built

Causa Justa/Just Cause is a multi-racial, grassroots organization building community leadership to achieve justice for low-income San Francisco and Oakland residents. cjjc.org

Committee to Protect Oakland Renters is a broad coalition of tenant advocates, labor leaders, faith and public safety organizations working on a city ballot initiative to strengthen tenant protections.

ProtectOaklandRenters.org

East Bay Housing Organizations is a coalition for affordable housing and development focused on policy and community. **ebho.org**

Last 3 Percent Coalition is highlighting the fact that San Francisco's population of African Americans has decreased faster than that of any U.S. city, from 13.4 percent of the city's population in the 1970s to 3% today. **facebook.com/Last3Percent**

Oakland Tenants Union is a community-based volunteer organization of housing activists dedicated to protecting tenant rights and interests. **OaklandTenantsUnion.org**

Multi-Issue Organizations and Coalitions

Bay Resistance is a powerful network defending our beloved communities, our movements, and our earth from the Trump regime and the far right. **BayResistance.org**

Human Trafficking - Modern Day Slavery

There are 100,000 - 300,000 children enslaved for sex in the US. Los Angeles, San Francisco and San Diego are 3 of the FBI's 13 highest child sex trafficking areas in the nation.

Bay Area Anti-Trafficking Coalition (BAATC) exists to build a united response to the injustice of human trafficking. **www.baatc.org**

Love Never Fails is dedicated to the *restoration, education and protection* of those involved or at risk of becoming involved in domestic sex trafficking. **Loveneverfailsus.com**

MISSEY is a survivor-centered, trauma-informed organization confronting the commercial sexual exploitation of children in Oakland, Alameda County, and throughout California. **Missey.org**

West Coast Children's Clinic provides psychological services to vulnerable children, youth, and their families regardless of their ability to pay and expanding the reach of psychological services through practice and research. **WestCoastcc.org**

For more information on Trafficking:

http://www.heatwatch.org/human_trafficking/

<https://polarisproject.org/myths-facts-and-statistics/>

<https://humantraffickinghotline.org/sites/default/files/CA-2018-State-Report.pdf>