BRANCH LIBRARY
IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

Join us as we discuss the new North Beach Branch Library

Tuesday, February 24, 2009
6:30 p.m.
North Beach Clubhouse
661 Lombard Street

As part of the bond measure overwhelmingly passed by the voters in November 2000 & the passage of Proposition D, the San Francisco Public Library plans to build a brand new North Beach Branch Library.

The new branch library will be located at the corner of Lombard and Columbus (triangle parcel). The library will be approximately 8,500 square feet on two levels and contain separate adult, children, and teen areas. Highlights include a program room with after hours access for community use, an expanded collection of books and materials, more public computers, fully accessible spaces and an environmentally sensitive green building.

At our last meeting in December 2008, we discussed the need to maximize views, create safe, inviting, and functional spaces, ensure that the building ties in with the Columbus streetscape and expanded park, and build an exciting library that reflects the vitality of our community.

We also discussed the process for public art for the new branch. At this meeting, we will elect three members of the community to serve on the artist selection committee. For a Community Panelist application, check sfartscommission.org/pubartcollection or pick one up at the branch library.

View the design gallery, comment on the most recent plans, and learn about selecting public art for our branch.

For more information, call the Library's Chief of Branches at 415-557-4353
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