



SAN FRANCISCO WOMEN AGAINST RAPE

14th ANNUAL WALK AGAINST RAPE

SATURDAY, APRIL 6th, 2019

Dear Community Member,

Sexual violence touches all of our lives. At San Francisco Women Against Rape, we do something about it. For over 45 years, San Francisco Women Against Rape (SFWAR), San Francisco's only community-based Rape Crisis Center, has been providing healing support to survivors of sexual violence and their loved ones. Our mission is to provide resources, support, advocacy and education to strengthen the work of all individuals and communities in San Francisco that are struggling relentlessly to end sexual violence.

SFWAR offers the following programs and services: 24-Hour Crisis Line, Counseling and Support Groups, Case Management, Prevention Education, Medical and Legal Advocacy, and Community Organizing. All services are free, confidential, and available in a multitude of languages.

Thank you for joining us in our work to heal and end sexual violence within our communities by becoming a sponsor of our 14th Annual Walk Against Rape! As part of Sexual Assault Awareness Month, **Walk Against Rape** is a 2.2 mile march held on Saturday, April 6th, 2019. Hundreds of people will gather and march through the streets of San Francisco in a powerful demonstration of resilience, strength, and demand for an end to sexual violence.

Walk Against Rape is an opportunity for the communities of San Francisco to come together and raise awareness around sexual assault. *Statistics show that 1 in 4 women and 1 in 11 men will be raped in their lifetimes, and it is estimated that less than 20% of rapes are reported to the police.* The goal of **Walk Against Rape** is to empower survivors, their friends, families and supporters, to break that silence by walking together on the streets against rape, and declare that San Francisco will not tolerate sexual violence.

At SFWAR, we believe that no single individual, organization, foundation, or business alone can stop the epidemic of sexual assault, but by responding as a whole community, we each bring our piece of the solution. **Your fiscal support of our services is a way to sustain our work toward ending sexual violence and making an impact in your community and we thank you deeply.**

Please fill out the enclosed form and email to dd@SFWAR.org. If you have any questions, please call 415-846-3071 or email dd@SFWAR.org.

Thank you, again, for your support of SFWAR!

In Community,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bhavana".

Bhavana Manchanda
Director of Development

Thank you for your support!

San Francisco Women Against Rape is a nonprofit organization under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue code; therefore, your sponsorship is tax deductible as allowable by law. SFWAR Tax-ID: 94-2756753

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