

The Excelsior

EXPLORE!

On April 15, 1869, the Excelsior Homestead was filed at City Hall. Up to the 1906 earthquake it was a farming neighborhood, populated by Swiss, Irish, Italian Ligurian immigrants, and considered a village.

Emanuel Lewis, one of the original housing developers in the neighborhood, and his daughter Jeannette named many of the area's avenues after countries, and its streets after countries' capital cities.

The Alemany Emergency Hospital and Health Center was designed by then-city architect Charles Sawyer and is now a historical landmark. Inside are two frescoes by Bernard Zakheim, a notable artist who studied with Diego Rivera.

Kidnapped heiress Patty Hearst was arrested on the 600 block of Morse Street in 1975.

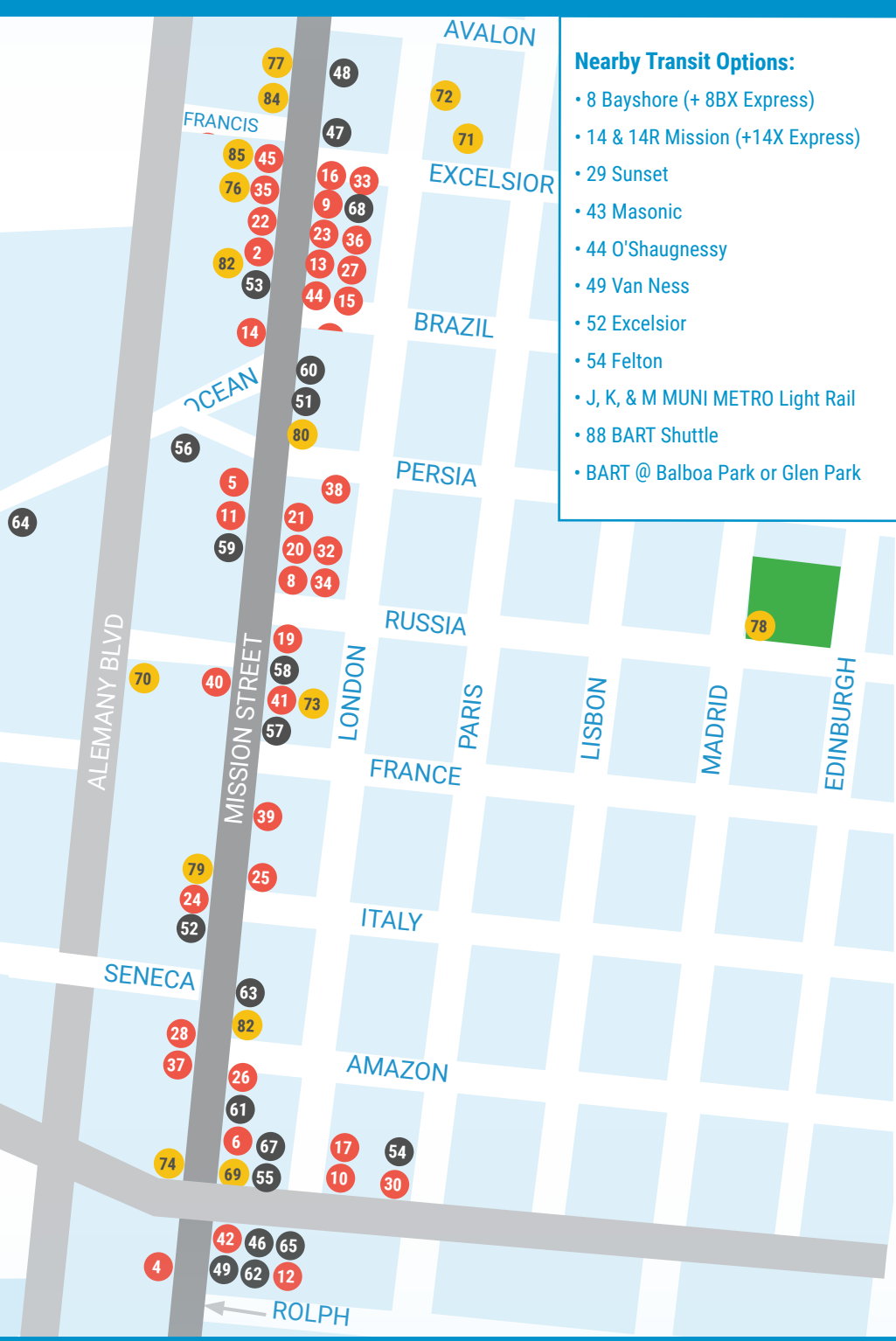
Harvey Milk and George Moscone's political assassin, former San Francisco supervisor Dan White, lived in and represented the district.

The Grateful Dead singer/guitarist Jerry Garcia was born and raised in the Excelsior District. In 2016 two commemorative plaques were installed on Mission Street at Amazon and at Harrington to honor his musical and family history.

EAT & DRINK			STOP & SHOP			ICHECK IT OUT!		
	EATERY			FITNESS & RECREATION			HISTORY/ARCHITECTURE	
	CAFE			CLOTHING & ACCESSORIES			ART/DESIGN/CRAFT	
	GROCER/BODEGA			HEALTH/BEAUTY			NATURAL/OPEN SPACE	
	PRODUCER			HOME & GARDEN			COMMUNITY RESOURCE	
	BARS, BREWS & BARRELS			PROFESSIONAL SERVICES				
1	Aloha BBQ 4935 Mission St (415) 333-3619		46	Acme Surplus Store 5159 Mission St (415) 586-4343		69	[X]Space 5137 Mission St (415) 574-8137	
2	Ann's Donut & Coffee Shop 4488A Mission St (415) 334-1761		47	American Financial SRV 4493 Mission St (415) 584-9009		70	Bernard Zakheim Murals 35-45 Onondaga Ave	
3	Baby's Eatery 4609 Mission St (415) 585-0990		48	Bay's Nail & Beauty Supply 4465 Mission St (415) 586-8181		71	Bicis del Pueblo 125 Excelsior Ave (415) 431-4210	
4	Boos Voni 5174 Mission St (415) 585-5880		49	Botanica Lucky Candles 5151 Mission St (415) 431-1960		72	Boys & Girls Clubs of SF 163 London St (415) 334-2582	
5	Bottom's Up Bar & Lounge 4704 Mission St (415) 337-1678		50	Brother's Haircut 1184 Geneva Ave (415) 333-8422		73	Clinic by the Bay 4877 Mission St (415) 405-0222	
6	Bravo Pizza 5145 Mission St (415) 585-8500		51	Campos Jewelers 4685 Mission St (415) 452-6953		74	Ever Upward Sculpture Geneva Ave & Mission St	
7	Broken Record 1166 Geneva Ave (415) 963-1713		52	Carl's Trading Company 5024 Mission St (415) 333-8967		75	Excelsior Action Group 933 Geneva Ave, Suite B (415) 769-5115	
8	Calabria Bros 4763 Mission St (415) 239-2555		53	Central Drug Store 4494 Mission St (415) 585-0111		76	Excelsior Community Center 4468 Mission St (415) 206-2140	
9	Casa Lucas #3 Produce & Meat Market 4555 Mission St (415) 334-9747		54	Cobbler's Shoe Repair 985 Geneva Ave (415) 585-2867		77	Excelsior Library 4400 Mission St (415) 355-2868	
10	Claddagh Coffee 951 Geneva Ave (415) 469-7221		55	Daniel's Pharmacy 943 Geneva Ave (415) 584-2210		78	Excelsior Playground 579 Madrid St (415) 239-4014	
11	Cumaica Coffee 951 Geneva Ave (415) 337-1500		56	Dragon House 4696 Mission St (415) 349-4467		79	Excelsior Works! 5000 Mission St (415) 857-9656	
12	The Dark Horse Inn 942 Geneva Ave (415) 469-5508		57	El Corazon Gallery 4889 Mission St (415) 584-1005		80	Filipino Community Center 4681 Mission St (415) 333-6267	
13	Double Shot Coffee 4587 Mission St (415) 508-9064		58	Excelsior Yoga Studio 4831 Mission St (415) 251-2873		81	Instituto Familiar de la Raza Inc. 5128 Mission St (415) 769-4500	
14	El Chico Produce Market 4600 Mission St (415) 587-6025		59	Executive Barber Shop 4734 Mission St (415) 586-6540		82	Jerry Garcia Commemorative Plaques 4550 Mission St & 5099 Mission St	
15	El Gran Taco Loco 4591 Mission St (415) 695-0621		60	Genesis Jewelry 4607 Mission St (415) 786-9943		83	Kenny Alley Stairs Btw. 4941 & 4945 Mission St	
16	Excelsior Liquors 4501 Mission St (415) 586-4853		61	J & J Hardware 929 Geneva Ave (415) 239-8998		84	Mission Neighborhood Health Center 4434 Mission St (415) 406-1353 x3515	
17	Geneva Bakery 959 Geneva Ave (415) 609-8187		62	Lirio de los Valles 910 Geneva Ave (415) 424-5878		85	Mission Science Workshop - Excelsior Site 4458 Mission St (415) 594-9165	
18	Golden State Grill 4448 Mission St (415) 769-5735		63	Luna's Barber 5089 Mission St (415) 724-8744		86	SF Muslim Community Center/Gift Shop 4760 Mission St (415) 594-9165	
19	Hawaiian Drive Inn 4827 Mission St (415) 586-9382		64	Moving Arts Studio 915 Cayuga Ave C (415) 408-5500		NS	Avalon Stairs Athens St & Avalon Ave	
20	Henry's Hunan Restraunt 4753 Mission St (415) 585-8838		65	Navarro's Martial Arts Academy 960 Geneva Ave (415) 550-1694		NS	Balboa Park Ocean & San Jose Ave	
21	Hong Kong Bakery 4711 Mission St (415) 337-6611		66	SF Sign 4760 Mission St (415) 678-8078		NS	Coleman Advocates 459 Vienna St (415) 239-0161	
22	Hwaro 4516 Mission St (415) 859-7111		67	Tony's Watch Repair & Service 921 Geneva Ave (415) 334-2947		NS	Communitas United for Health + Justice facebook.com/CUHJDII	
23	Jupiter Market 4567 Mission St (415) 841-9252		68	X-Press Prints 4537 Mission St (415) 272-0018		NS	Crocker Amazon Playground 799 Moscow St (415) 337-4708	
24	Little Joe's Pizza 5006 Mission St (415) 333-3684		MORE EAT & DRINK DESTINATIONS			NS	Excelsior Collaborative www.excelsiorcollaborative.org	
25	Mama Coco's Restaurant 4995 Mission St (415) 466-6612		35	Quickly 4482 Mission St (415) 584-7196		NS	Geneva Community Garden Geneva and Delano Ave (415) 831-2700	
26	McGarden Coffee & Bakery 5131 Mission St (415) 333-2833		36	Restaurante Familiar 4499 Mission St (415) 334-6100		NS	John McLaren Park 118 John F Shelley Dr (415) 831-5500	
27	Mexico Tipico 4581 Mission St (415) 337-7562		37	Rincon Latino 5080 Mission St (415) 586-8787		NS	Hummingbird Farm Crocker Amazon Park (Next to Soccer Parking Lot)	
28	Mike's Liquors 5084 Mission St (415) 587-5000		38	The Salad Place 400 London St (415) 330-4030		44	Yang Tze Market #2 4599 Mission St (415) 333-0206	
29	Mr. T Cafe 4689 Mission St (415) 769-5681		39	San Francisco Market 4929 Mission St (415) 334-0428		45	Zabb Thai Cuisine 4440 Mission St (415) 586-2455	
30	Nameless Tea & Coffee 981 Geneva Ave (415) 926-0166		40	Tao Sushi 4808 Mission St (415) 585-5055		NS	Cordova Market 301 Rolph St (415) 587-6995	
31	Naples Pizzarella 1192 Geneva Ave (415) 988-7354		41	Taqueria El Farolito 4817 Mission St (415) 337-5500				
32	Pacita's Salvadorean Bakery 10 Persia Ave (415) 452-8442		42	Taqueria La Iguana Azul 928 Geneva Ave (415) 584-2318				
33	Panaderia Andrea 4511 Mission St (415) 374-4100		43	TS Cafe 4754 Mission St (415) 825-5231				
34	Pupuseria Metapan 4769 Mission St (415) 587-8599							

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 - 49 Van Ness
 - 52 Excelsior
 - 54 Felton
 - J, K, & M MUNI METRO Light Rail
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 - BART @ Balboa Park or Glen Park

The Excelsior District, nestled between Balboa Park and McLaren Park, boasts a small-town feel while being home to San Francisco's most culturally and economically diverse community. Visitors quite literally walk the world along Mission Street, passing Persia, Russia, Madrid and Italy streets among others while exploring eclectic eateries and community centers.

The Excelsior is the perfect destination for a progressive dinner with friends to enjoy everything from Japanese, Thai, Chinese, Filipino, along with Mexican and Central American dishes. An abundance of family-friendly arts and cultural offerings also make it a great place to spend the afternoon with children, extended family, and friends in tow.

Visit Eagsf.org & ExcelsiorCollaborative.org for more info!

*Sites marked as NS are not shown on map, but are a short walk away!