# About Our Paper

he Society of Professional Journalists (Nor-Cal) recently awarded the *Westside Observer*, a 32 year-old and trusted neighborhood newspaper, with its James Madison Freedom of Information Award. The Observer is a monthly newspaper serving the westside of San Francisco with 20,000 copies every month, 12,000 delivered door-to-door, ten months of the year (no issue in August or January) to the areas listed on the right.

The remaining issues are distributed through the 15 designated racks on the west side and at key drop-off points such as merchants, banks, markets and public libraries.

## **AD RATES**

SIZE	DIMENSIONS (sq in)	1x	3x	бх
Full Page	10 x 16 (160 sq in)	1500	1350.	1200.
³/ <sub>4</sub> Page	10 x12 (120 sq in)	1200.	1080.	960.
¹/₂ Page	10 x 8 (80 sq in)	800.	720.	640.
¹/₄ Horizontal	10 x 4 (40 sq in)	400.	360.	320.
Merchant	5 x 6 (30 sq in)	300.	270.	240.
<sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub> Page	5 x 4 (20 sq in)	225.	200.	180.
4 Inch Square	4 x 4 (16 sq in)	200.	180.	160.
Jumbo Card	5 x 2.5 (12 sq in)	175.	157.	140.

## **ADVERTISEMENT SIZES**

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MERCHANT 5 x 6 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub> PAGE 5 x 4 SQUARE 4 x 4 JUMBO BUSINESS CARD 5 x 2.5 Color Charges: \$100 for 4 color Discounts: available for 4 & 10 editions.

# **Neighborhoods Served**

**Diamond Heights** Forest Hill Forest Hill Extension **Forest Knolls** Golden Gate Heights Ingleside Lakeshore Lakeside Village Merced Manor Midtown Terrace Miraloma Park Mt. Davidson Park Merced Parkside St. Francis Wood Sloat Boulevard Stonestown Sunnyside Twin Peaks West Portal Westwood Highlands

## **PUBLICATION DATE**

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#### LAYOUT/DEADLINES

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