

HAP Celebrates Tanya Neiman and Friends Who Have Made It Strong

An official ribbon-cutting ceremony for the new office of the Justice & Diversity Center's (JDC) Homeless Advocacy Project (HAP) took place on June 23, 2015.

The building at 125 Hyde Street was christened the Tanya Neiman Building in memory of HAP's founder and long-time executive director of the Volunteer Legal Services Program, which in 2013 became JDC.

Neiman inspired generations of attorneys to make personal commitments of time and resources to provide legal services to tens of thousands of people.

Retiring Morrison & Foerster partner and former BASF President Melvin Goldman was also honored by his partners and firm with the naming of the main HAP conference room: The Mel Goldman Room.

The intake area within HAP, named the Zitrin Family Intake Center, is a vital part of the organization's work and was supported through a donation by Richard Zitrin on behalf of the Arthur and Charlotte Zitrin Foundation.



Top left, HAP Director Teresa Friend, left, with past BASF President Mel Goldman

Top center, Brett Mangels, Tanya Neiman's long-time partner, in front of a collage of Tanya Neiman photos, displayed in the newly dedicated Zitrin Family Intake Center

Top right, from left, Richard Zitrin, BASF/JDC Board Secretary Malcolm Heinicke, and BASF/JDC Executive Director Yolanda Jackson

Left, from left, Paul Flum, Stuart Plunkett, and JDC board member Vid Prabhakaran



From left, JDC board member Vid Prabhakaran, BASF/JDC Secretary Malcolm Heinicke, Brett Mangels, Richard Zitrin, BASF/JDC Executive Director Yolanda Jackson, past BASF President Mel Goldman, and HAP Director Teresa Friend

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