



METRO TALKS PRESENTS - INDIGENOUS PEOPLE AND LAND IN THE BAY AREA A FILM SCREENING AND DISCUSSION

DATE Thursday, March 7, 2019

RECEPTION 5:30 - 6 pm, Reception

**FILM SCREENING
PANEL DISCUSSION
Q&A** 6 - 7:30 pm, Yerba Buena Conference Room

LOCATION Bay Area Metro Center, 375 Beale Street

QUESTIONS? metrotalks@bayareametro.gov

Beyond Recognition a film by Michelle Grace Steinberg of Underexposed Films, examines the efforts of indigenous Ohlone people, and in particular one woman, to reclaim their traditional and sacred lands within the urbanized Bay area, inviting questions about the impacts of both past and present land use and development policies on native people. **The film follows Corrina Gould, Spokesperson for the Confederated Villages of Lisjan/Ohlone and Huichuin territory (Oakland) resident, on her quest to establish the first urban Indigenous women-led land trust in the country.**

After the film screening, a panel discussion will be moderated by Alexander Tavizon, Bay Area Outreach Coordinator for the California Indian Environmental Alliance (CIEA). Panelists will include Corrina Gould of Sogorea Te' Land Trust, Valentin Lopez of the Amah Mutsun Tribal Band and Land Trust, and Yana Garcia, Assistant Secretary for Environmental Justice and Tribal Affairs at the California Environmental Protection Agency.

This panel and film screening will be an opportunity to learn and engage with Tribal voices and representatives. **Themes discussed in the panel will include land conservation, cultural stewardship, preservation of sacred sites and visions for our communities.**

For More Information and RSVP - BayAreaMetroCenter.com