

San Francisco
Department of Public Health

PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE (PHEPR) UPDATES

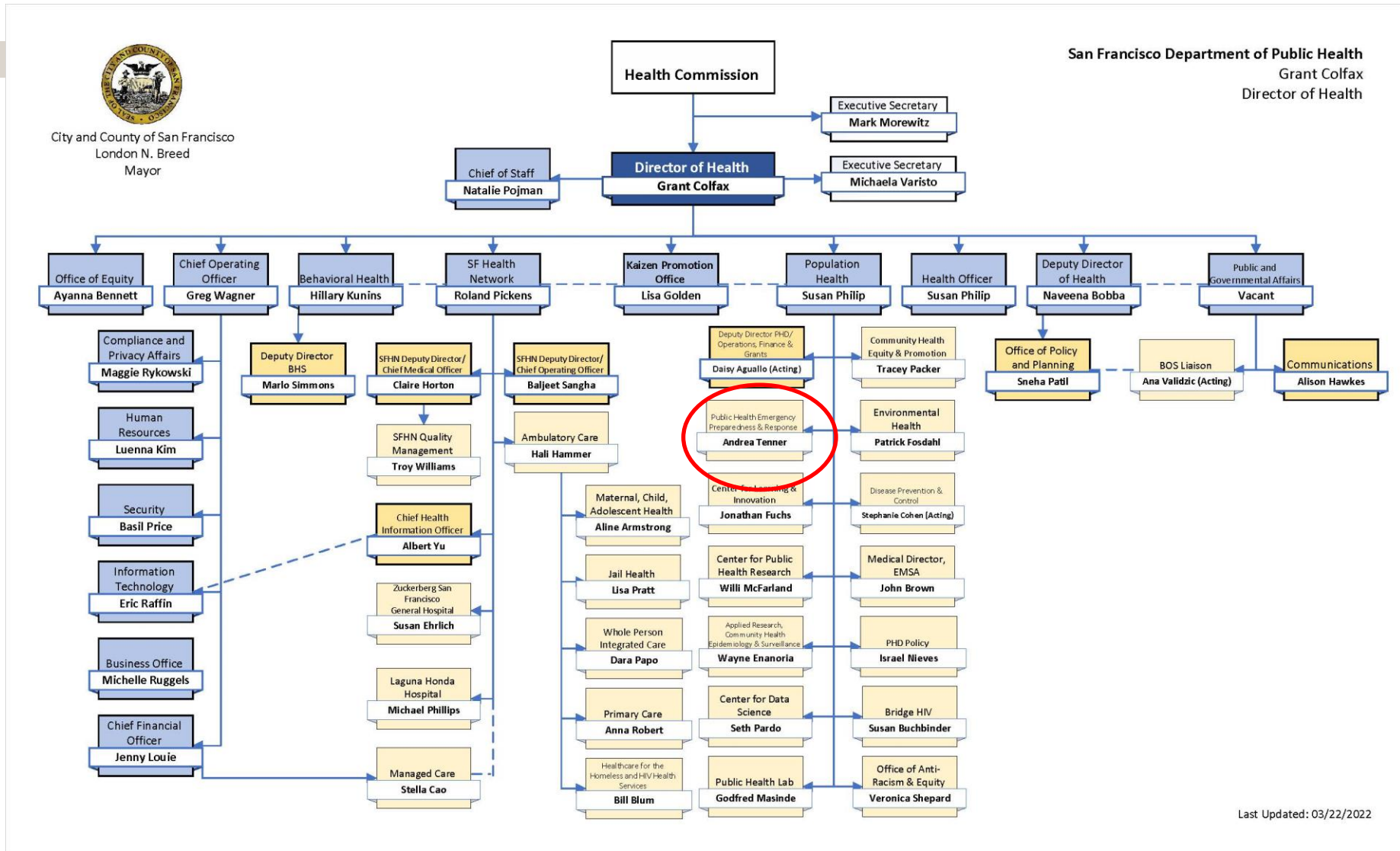
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Our Mission

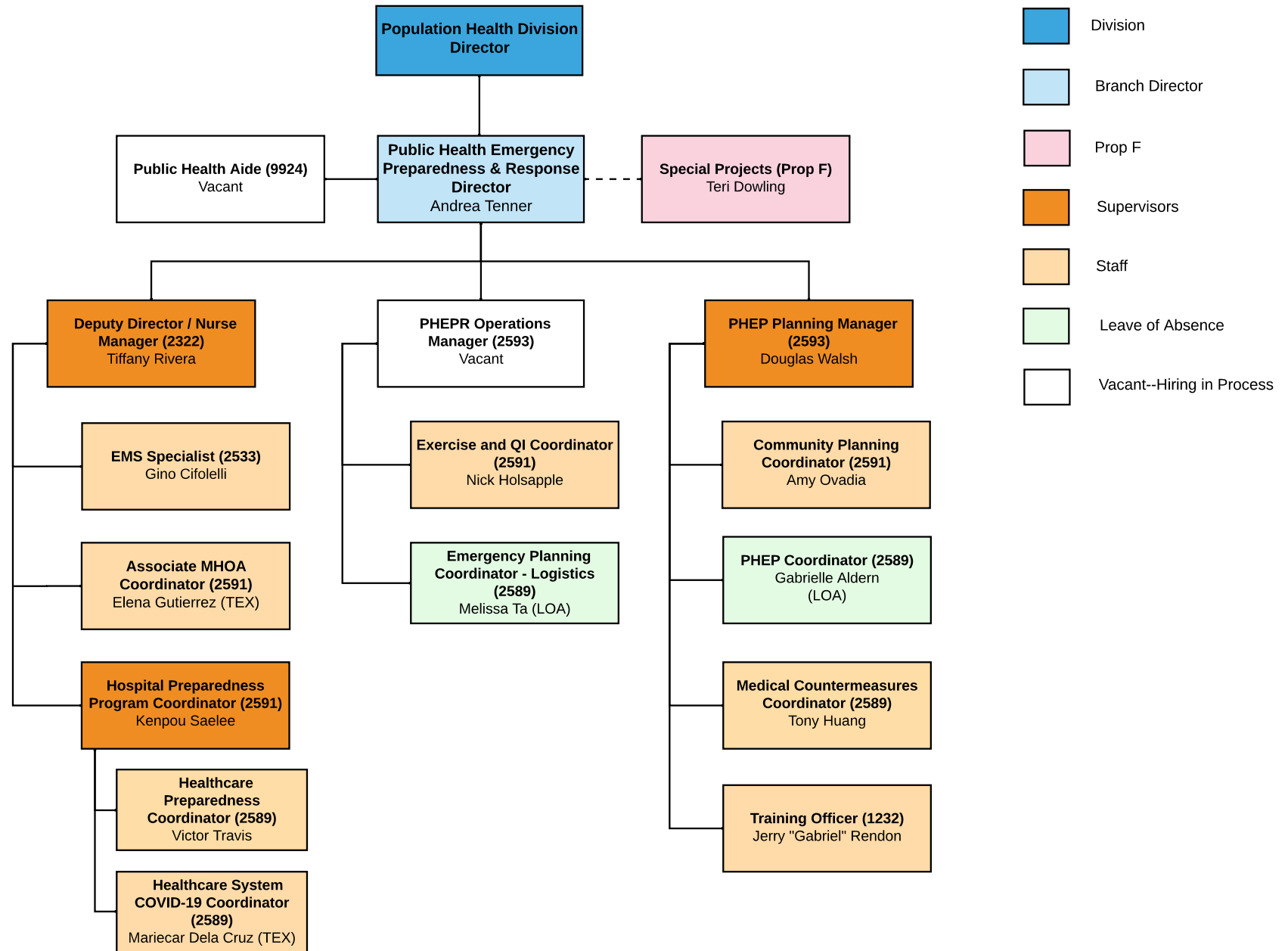
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- Through City-wide partnerships, coordinate evidence-based disaster mitigation processes to protect health and cultivate resiliency with an equity and community-based approach

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PHEPR



Essential functions

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Partners:

- DPH Divisions and Branches
- Health Systems
- EMS
- Community Partners
- Other CCSF Departments

Major Response Accomplishments

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- 3 declared emergencies
 - COVID-19
 - Tenderloin
 - MPox
- Several concurrent short emergencies and large events
 - Heat emergency
 - ATT internet outage in hospitals
 - Flood emergency
 - Bay to Breakers
 - Pride Parade



Other Accomplishments

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- After-action reports
- Selected to present on COVID response at NACCHO Preparedness Summit
- Invited to present at National Academies workshop “What Happened to the Plans?”



Looking to the future

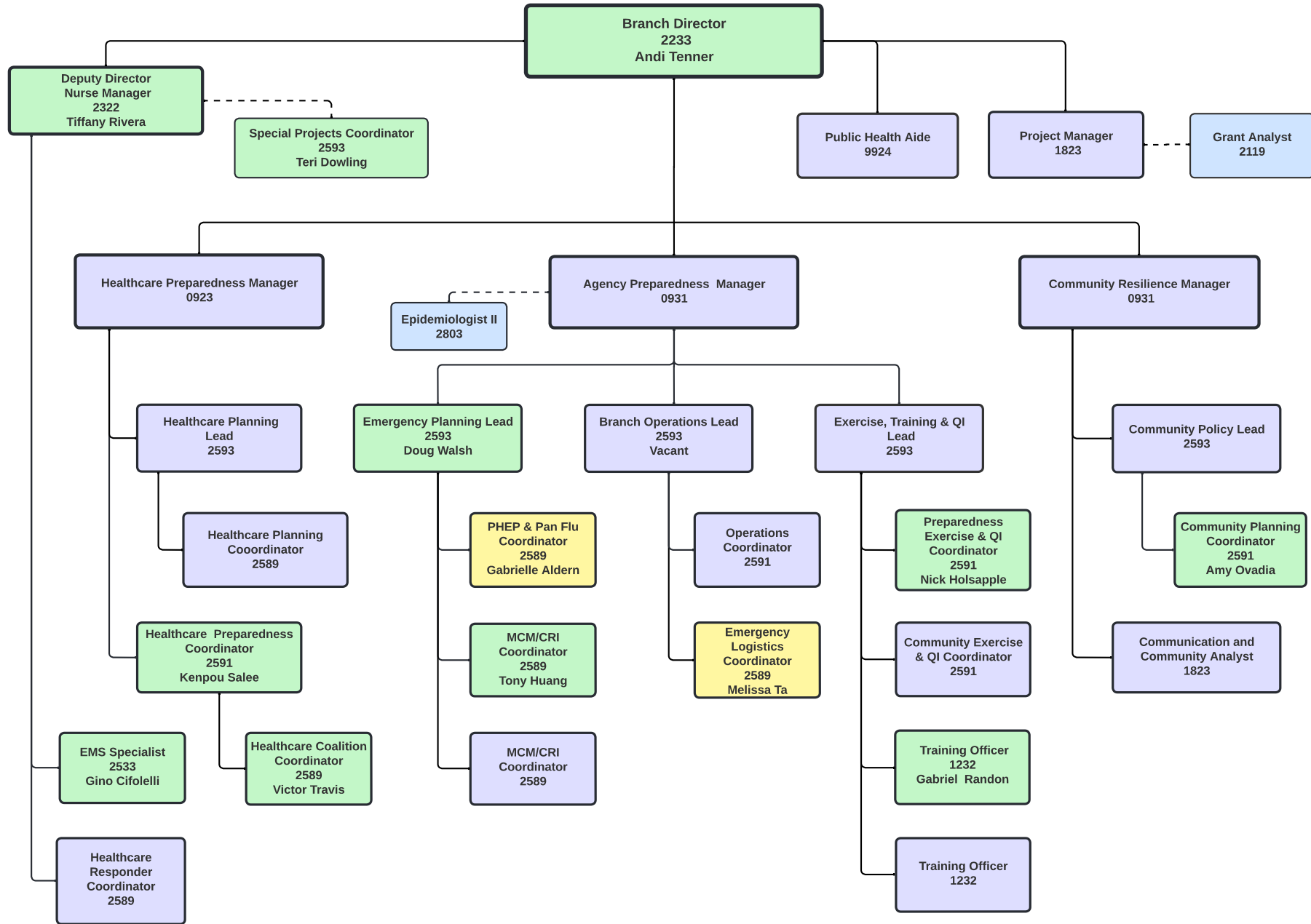
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- Increasing staff from current 14 approved positions to 28!

PHEPR Organizational Chart (Future)

Managing: _____

Vacant
Filled
On Leave
Shared PHD



Looking to the future

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- Increasing staff from current 14 approved positions to 28!
 - ▣ Provide the ability to increase community resilience efforts
 - ▣ Improve our ability to revise plans and support responses
 - ▣ Improve our ability to monitor and plan for new health threats
 - ▣ Improved coordination with health systems
 - ▣ Improved ability to support response efforts and continue preparedness efforts
- Improved response tools
 - ▣ Pre-approved contracts for needed services
- Better coordination with state and national response organizations

Thank you!

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