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Aquarium of the Bay

San Francisco, CA



\$5.5 Million in Refinancing Helps Strengthen Aquarium Operations Long-Term

[San Francisco's Aquarium of the Bay](#) is a public aquarium located on Pier 39 in the historic Fisherman's Wharf District. Home to over 24,000 diverse aquatic animals, the aquarium has awed millions of visitors for over 40 years.

Clearinghouse CDFI provided a \$5.5 million loan for the Aquarium of the Bay to refinance existing debt and fund operations. This includes payroll, animal care, and needed supplies.

Clearinghouse CDFI previously provided [\\$1 million in financing](#) through its COVID-19 Emergency Loan Fund for the aquarium to meet its working capital needs.

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