

FAMILY BUDGET COALITION

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**SF Parents, Youth & Providers Rally Against Millions in
Budget Cuts Threatened by City:
Hundreds to Demand a Fair Budget for SF Families**

WHAT The Family Budget Coalition holds the *Stand with Families Rally* to call on the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors to support a fair city budget for struggling families. The coalition will also launch their Budget Agenda for FY 2008-09 that prioritizes the needs of San Francisco's low-income families.

WHEN Wednesday, March 26th / 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (program starts at 11:15 a.m.)

WHERE Steps of San Francisco City Hall (Polk Street Entrance)

WHO The Family Budget Coalition made up of hundreds of SF Families, youth & providers

WHY The Family Budget Coalition is calling attention to the lack of a safety net for struggling families in San Francisco. Already San Francisco's low-income families are struggling to meet basic needs such as childcare, housing, & health services. And for FY 08-09 there is at least \$3 million in city services for kids at risk of being cut.

**AUDIO/
VISUAL:** A visual representation of a San Francisco family falling through the city's safety net
Hundreds of San Francisco's parents, youth, & children on the steps of City Hall
Colorful rally posters, banners, & stickers with coalition's message
San Francisco parents, youth, providers, & city leaders speaking on the Family Budget Coalition's Agenda

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