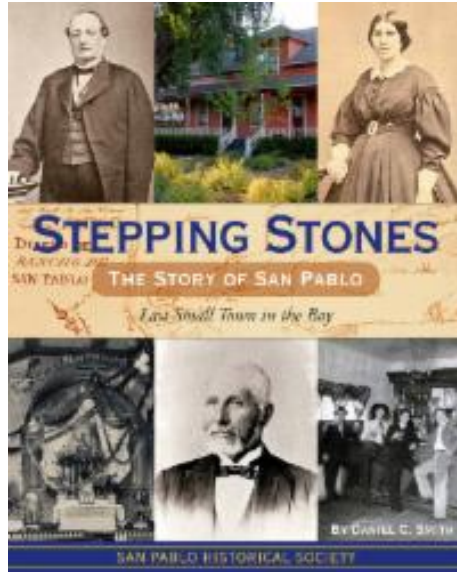


You are invited

The Contra Costa County Historical Society
Author in the Archives Series

presents
Dan Smith

The Story of San Pablo, Last Small Town in the Bay



Saturday, May 11, 2019
3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

at the historic Campbell Theater, 636 Ward Street, downtown Martinez

Veteran Bay Area journalist and former Benicia Councilman **Dan Smith** presents an illustrated talk of his book *Stepping Stones*. Dan traces San Pablo's evolution from a Huchiun Indian village to Mexican rancho to a town that resisted the push to incorporate as a city until 1949, all the way to its being named an All-American City in 1975 and 2014 by the National Urban League.

Tales of millionaires and murderers, pioneers and philanthropists, all come together in this fascinating historical account of San Pablo. Dan will also feature rare, vintage photographs from the collection of the San Pablo Historical Society. A book signing follows immediately.



Campbell Theater 636 Ward Street, Martinez

The 'Campbell' is a Community Theater providing live entertainment at very affordable pricing for the benefit of theater lovers everywhere. Featuring new works by local writers, actors, and dancers, as well as internationally known performers, the Campbell is staffed by volunteers and operated by Onstage Repertory Theatre Co., a 501(c)3 non profit corp.

Admission and parking are free. RSVP is requested.

To RSVP, please call (925) 229-1042 or send an email to mkting@cocohistory.org

Tours of the County History Center will be made available before the talk.

The History Center, located at 724 Escobar Street, will be open from 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

A \$10.00 donation is suggested at the door. All proceeds benefit the preservation work of the County archives.

