

## Today in San Francisco (27 May 2020)

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After two and a half months of staying at home, I ventured to SF to make an important pick-up. I never got out of my car. I documented a few aspects of the trip which I thought I would share.





1. PAINT THE VOID - An artists group formed a collective to paint more than 40 boarded up store fronts. Many could be found along Hayes street, but they were spread out all over the city.





2. Balmy Alley had a Donald Trump virus wall and Lilac Alley a woman wearing a face mask.



3. Graff artists had been out with many new walls in Erie, the one being shown particularly intricate.

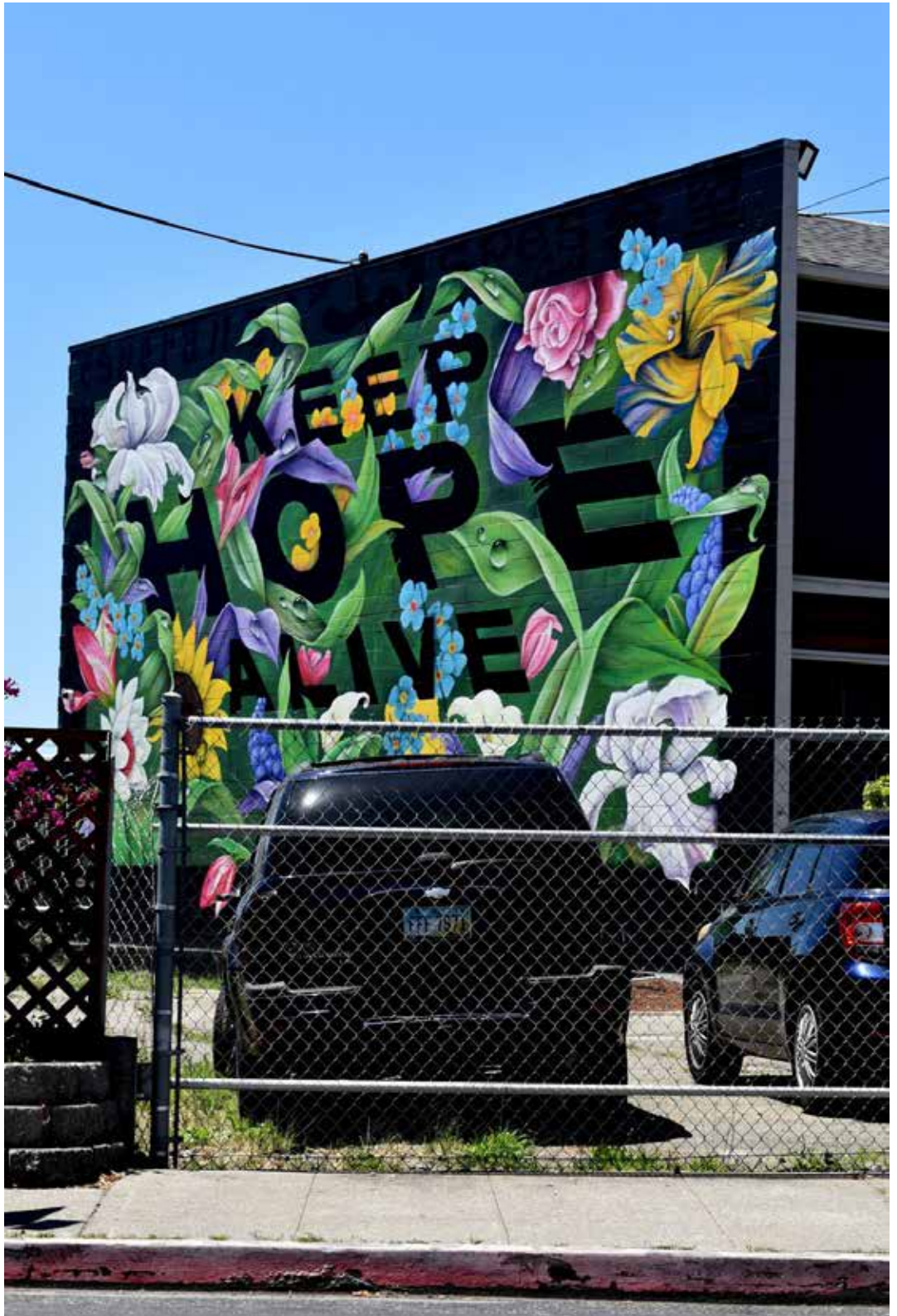


4. Although I have documented homeless encampments in SF over the years, the proliferation I saw today was overwhelming. Tents were to be seen everywhere through downtown.





5. The contrast of “those who live above it all” is quite clear in this newly built high-rise apartment building.



6. I exited highway 80 near Richmond to close with the final picture, a note of HOPE.