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LURIE CALLS FOR ACCOUNTABILITY FOLLOWING ALLEGATIONS THAT TOXIC CITY POLITICS SHIELDED ACCUSED PREDATOR FROM CONSEQUENCES

SAN FRANCISCO– Following a bombshell <u>article</u> published yesterday by the San Francisco Standard detailing allegations from four different women accusing Jon Jacobo, a prominent San Francisco political insider, of a range of offenses such as domestic violence, strangulation, sexual assault, and rape on multiple occasions, Daniel Lurie released the following statement:

"To ensure survivors come forward and stop repeat offenders from harming others, it's essential that victims have every confidence that they will be believed and supported," **said Daniel Lurie, former CEO of Tipping Point Community.** "That any of these women feared there would not be consequences due to San Francisco's toxic politics is deeply concerning. People must be held accountable, and so too must any system that harbors and enables sexual violence. I commend these women for their bravery and willingness to step forward. We cannot allow politics to ever become more precious than the protection of our community."

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Daniel Lurie was born and raised in San Francisco. He founded Tipping Point Community in 2005. Under his direction as CEO, Tipping Point has raised over half a billion dollars to help house, employ, educate and support hundreds of thousands of Bay Area families. Last year alone, Tipping Point provided over six thousand people with services that either helped them transition out of homelessness or prevented them from experiencing it.

Last year, he co-founded the Civic Joy Fund, an organization that aims to increase civic engagement and assist in the economic recovery of San Francisco. Daniel also led efforts to construct an 100% affordable housing development with union labor on Bryant Street that came in on-time and under budget.

Former Mayor Ed Lee selected Daniel in 2013 to lead the San Francisco Bay Area Super Bowl 50 Host Committee, an effort that brought over \$240 million in economic impact to the region. Following the devastating fires in the North Bay in 2017, Daniel and Tipping Point partnered with 90 Bay Area business and community leaders to organize Band Together – a benefit concert that raised \$17 million for those hardest hit by the deadly fires. In total, Tipping Point's Emergency Fire Relief Fund raised over \$34 million.

Lurie is a lifelong Democrat. He lives in San Francisco with his wife Becca and two school-aged children.