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**KQED Caps LGBT Pride Month with a FREE Screening of Award-Winning
Documentary *The Castro* at the Historic Castro Theatre**

San Francisco, June 2, 2010 -- KQED celebrates LGBT Pride Month with a special free screening of their award-winning documentary *The Castro*. Join KQED President and CEO John L. Boland as KQED honors four unsung heroes from our community, followed by a free screening of *The Castro*, the 90-minute documentary that tells the dramatic story of how a quiet corner of San Francisco became the cornerstone of a movement and an international symbol of gay liberation.

What: *The Castro at the Castro Theatre*

Date: Tuesday, June 29, 2010

Time: 6:30pm–8:30pm

Cost: Free

Tickets: kqed.org/castroscreening or <http://castrodocumentary.eventbrite.com/>

KQED is proud to celebrate the richness and diversity of the greater San Francisco Bay Area by commemorating Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Pride Month. In June, KQED Public Television, KQED Public Radio, and KQED's digital television channels broadcast a special lineup of programs focused on LGBT themes and issues. For a listing of programs, visit kqed.org/pride.

About KQED

KQED (kqed.org). KQED Public Television, one of the nation's most-watched public television stations, is the producer of local and national series such as *QUEST*; *Check, Please! Bay Area*; *Jacques Pépin: More Fast Food My Way*; and *Jean-Michel Cousteau: Ocean Adventures*. KQED's digital television channels include 9HD, Life, World, Kids and V-me, and are available 24/7 on Comcast. KQED Public Radio (88.5 FM in San Francisco and 89.3 FM in Sacramento), home of *Forum* with Michael Krasny and *The California Report*, is one of the most-listened-to public radio stations in the nation with an award-winning news and public affairs program service. KQED Education Network brings the impact of KQED to thousands of teachers, students, parents and the general public through workshops, community screenings and multimedia resources. KQED Interactive offers video and audio podcasts and live radio stream at kqed.org, featuring unique content on one of the most-visited station sites in public broadcasting.

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