

## **Bayview Hunters Point Environmental Justice Response Task Force**

Part of the IVAN (Identifying Violations Affecting Neighborhoods) Network:

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## **AGENDA**

**6:00 PM**            **Welcome:**

**Anthony:** "Please welcome and sign in as we are waiting for more people to join."

**6:20 PM**        **Community Announcements and COVID Resources Exchange**

**Dalila via phone:** "Alright cool, so we can go right into community announcements. This could be for anybody or anything that has to do with BVHP or San Francisco or any of COVID related things. Sabrina go ahead,"

**Sabrina Hall via phone:** "I just wanted to make an announcement so YCD gives out hot meals. They are located at 1715 Yosemite Street San Francisco, CA 94124.

They give out hot meals from Tuesday-Friday from 12-1pm and I also wanted to make an announcement that the website is called givetosf.org and they are helping with families between \$3,000 to 10,000 dollars as well with help with the COVID crisis. Communities for a Better Environment in Oakland and I know it is not in San Francisco there are also helping with financial need. If anyone would like the link, the Goodwill is hiring for the hotels to help with the unhoused people they are starting at \$24 dollars an hour for the day shift. As well with the Youth Homeless Alliance in San Francisco they are hiring immediately. So, if anyone wants those links, I can put those in the chat box. Oh, and one more thing the Bay Air Quality District also has those grants still for electric vehicles for any car that is over 15 years old, they have grants up to \$9,500 dollars. Yeah, that's it."

**Dalila via phone:** "Alright anyone else with any other community announcements? "

**From Jose via chat:** "Please post those links, I'd like post links to the CARB EJ Blog. Please share. Thank You."

**From Sabrina via chat:** <http://www.cbecal.org/covid-19-cbe-community-fund-fondo-comunitario-de-cbe/> -East Oakland Program.

<https://www.baaqmd.gov/funding-and-incentives/residents/clean-cars-for-all/eligibility> -

Give2sfhousing.org – YCD 1715 Yosemite Street SF, CA 94124. HOT MEALS, Tues-Fri 12-1pm.

<https://theapplicantmanager.com/jobs?pos=gb460> – hotel jobs working with the homeless "

**From Ray SFE via chat:** Sf is starting mobile testing soon – not sure if this is a part of that effort,"

**From Blair via chat:** "

<https://www.facebook.com/RashidaForCongress/videos/291639711844676/>Impact of COVID19 on Black Communities" event with Ayanna Pressley, Dr. Cornel West, Marc Lamont Hill, Phillip Agnew, and Detroit leaders, you can watch the

entire event below.

UzpfSTEzNDU5NzAyMzIzNTI0MDozMzgzMTU4MTE0MDQ1NzY1/ “

**From Sabrina Hall via chat:** “Bayview Bounty Bags are FREE bags of healthy groceries from the San Francisco Produce Market – enough to feed a small household for almost a week. Starting next week (around May 27-28) we will reach 100 underserved Bayview households at least until the end of June. We are still working on setting up convenient pickup spots in the neighborhood, and if anyone needs delivery for their Bounty Bags, we can do that too.

(Of course, we will follow current COVID guidelines and provide masks, gloves, and sanitation for our crew assembling the packages.)

Do you know of a family or families in need of free, healthy food for the next 5 weeks?

We are taking signups NOW for up to 100 households in Bayview, Visitacion Valley, and Potrero Hill.

To sign up, click here or below link...

Or copy and paste to your web browser!

<https://forms.gle/CqEAr8CKXrSU2ggx5>

OR, send contact info:

Name

Address

Email

Phone number that can accept texts to:

tony@bvhpadvocates.org

We will contact to confirm signups and arrange for pickup,”

**From Trish Johnson via chat:** “I was just saying thanks to Sabrina and Jose for that.”

**Dalila via phone:** “Okay, anybody else have any community announcements?”

Alright with that. I can actually pass the virtual mic to Anthony to who can kick us off with the COVID Resources Exchange.”

**Anthony via phone:** “Yeah we are grateful and pleased to be with you all on this format, this is our second month in a row and as Dalila acknowledged that at the beginning. We are really grateful to have this type of engagement, it shows who we can depend on this during this crisis, and when we get pass this. I know this is moment by moment type of situation, but we wanted to carve up some time in our schedule to discuss about the different resources available during this COVID crisis. I know Sabrina brought up some resources earlier, but we just want to get a little bit more specific. We want to offer more resources and all-around links and resources to certain neighbors. Testing is becoming more available and now schools are linking up to offer free resources. There is testing in the neighborhoods, I want to open up the floor for people to share any sort of resources:

**Sabrina via phone:** Yeah, I got some information from a Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee member if anyone was looking for a job? And as I sit in the African American Parents Advisor Board, so they wanted me to share the information about give to SF for helping families or people in need of extra funds, they give anything from \$3,000 to \$10,000. Since I used to live in Oakland, Committees for Better Environment, reached out to me that they also provide help during this time. There are many other organizations providing funds, the help is out there, communities are coming together and that’s basically it.

**Anthony via phone:** Thank you, and looking at the notes, there were some discussion about potential distribution of personal protective equipment aka PPE as well as other distributions going around the area. Are there any other updates? And I know Sabrina you had share some resources already, but I want to open it up for any other folks who would like to comment or make any other announcements before I share my screen?

**Sabrina via phone:** “Yeah my bad, I actually do have one more announcement but I have been on a call for the past couple weeks and tonight as well which overlaps but during that call, they talk about how they started testing in BVHP and I know Leotis can speak on that and today was the first day they start testing for BVHP residents for COVID.”

**Leotis via phone:** “They started COVID testing today at the Bayview Child Health Center from 9am- 5pm and they will continue to test throughout the week. Actually, I already took my test.

**Sabrina via phone:** Leotis but its only for BVHP residents, correct?

**Leotis via phone:** No, it is open to everyone.

**Anthony via phone:** Thank you Leotis, we hear you loud and clear, now we want to open it up to anyone else on the phone?

**Morgan from EPA:** I just wanted to let you guys know that I also reached out SF HPPA about the concerns that were talked about the last meeting. They recommended that the best way to get in touch with them for communities to hear their voice is to us the phone number that is related to COVID and its their operation center and there is an option for concern residents to ask questions. COVID 19 Departmental Operation Center: option for concern residents for questions: 415-554-2830 -> 1 and it will be an option 5 for concerned citizens with questions relating COVID 19.

**Dalila via phone:** thank you for that! Does anyone have any other COVID related before Anthony continues? No? alright?

**From Andre in the chat:** “Text COVID19SF to 888777; you will get recurring updates about the city's response to COVID19.”

“This is a map I made of partial resources in response to COVID-19: <https://chart-studio.plotly.com/~HP-Nunes/378/#/>”

**From Blair in chat:** Informational resource: Movement for Black Lives panel discussion on climate and covid:  
<https://www.facebook.com/mvmt4bl/videos/719286535474485/>

**Anthony Shares His Screen: SF.GOV**

**Dalila via phone:** SF.gov has a lot of great resources for COVID 19 for anyone in need. Different services, Anthony do you want to talk about it more?

**Anthony via phone:** “If you have time to look up SF.gov and anyone can do it of their phones, and they share different resources and how to maintain healthy. Now I want to move over on what is happening in the neighborhood. There are certain sites that are using census track for different resources. UCSF is doing a study this Thurs-Saturday. The next point I want to bring up is food security of exposure. Like Sabrina brought up the bounty bags of free healthy groceries. Enough to fed underserve families. Its fresh products, delivery can happen or even a pickup program. Things have changed and those who don’t have resources, I am your person to go too.

**From Dalila Adofo in the chat:** “Thank you everyone for linking different resources!!

Anthony's what is happening in the neighborhood: 1. UCSF study happening in the neighborhood Thursday through Sunday. Bayview Community Advocates supporting that 2. Bayview Brownie bags 3. grocery bags are being launched for 100+ underserved families. Pick up program. 100 brownie bags given per week. Talk to Anthony for eligible families.”

**From Anthony Khalil in the chat:** Please email [anthony.khalil@sonic.net](mailto:anthony.khalil@sonic.net) and [tony@bvhpadvocates.org](mailto:tony@bvhpadvocates.org) for more information on the Bayview Coop Bounty Bag Launch

**Dalila via phone:** thank you everyone for listing your resources available: Segway to the two IVAN complaints:

**6:50 PM** IVAN Complaints

**Dalila via phone:**

“First complaint- Flooding near 3<sup>rd</sup> and Jerrold Ave and this was filed May 1, 2020. I had reach out to Edgar at SF PUC as well trying to figure out a contact for the water board. And if anyone has suggestions about who we can go to about water issues, please let me know or put it in the chat. The complaint states that there was flooding into the streets of 3<sup>rd</sup> street about 2 ft. deep and causing congestion on the main street.

The second complaint was exactly sent to IVAN but was emailed to Anthony and me along with other folks about Yosemite Slough particular on Ingalls Street there is illegal dumping happening there. Pictures follow with the email and this is an issue happening that we must continue to address. To go back to the first

complaint, I do want to take a couple of seconds to discuss about who should be reached out for water issues just in case I missed anyone I should know about. Open to the floor. “

**Sabrina via phone:** “I am sorry Dalila, I just want to clarify, you said it was a flooding on 3<sup>rd</sup> and Jerrold?”

**Dalila via phone:** “yeah”

**Sabrina via phone:** “Sorry but does it have more description on it? Because it sometimes has to do with the rain and too much flooding since the streets aren’t really paved that well.”

**Dalila via phone:** “true that could be an option however, there isn’t much description besides what I read.”

**Sabrina via chat:** I really don’t have any thoughts, especially in BVHP and if you are born from there you should know that the streets will flood.

**Karen Pierce via phone:** “Dalila I don’t know a lot about this situation, but you know that the PUC expansion has a lot of that area dug up and it would be important if we could find out if it was the rain or part of construction activity because if it was part of the construction activity, we must ask PUC to explain why the streets became flooded? What are they going to do to prevent this? Thirdly, what type of water is out there? Is its clean water? Or any water that anybody can be exposed too?”

**Dalila via phone:** thanks Karen and I will follow up with these questions.

**Janice via phone:** Wouldn’t we have that information from the previous complaint from the flooding?

**Rebecca said on chat:** Regarding Karen’s comment- so this is both SFPUC and DPH? (Standing water as a public health risk).

**Dalila via phone:** from what I see right now, there was complaint but that was different, it was sewage on 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**Karen via phone:** when was that?

**Dalila via phone:** 2015, it says here

**Karen:** Well the reason why I ask is because there has always been construction going on 3<sup>rd</sup>, so I am trying to figure out if it has to do with the expansion of the construction?

**Dalila:** well I'll definitely follow up if it has to do with the construction related. Either way this shouldn't be happening anyways. On the topic of alerts: the new website for IVAN; didn't roll off with alerts. A. are you getting alerts? Did you get the flood alert? If not, can you please put your email on the chat to resign up people on IVAN report. You can also go on the website and sign up there. Also I want to check with my agency folks, if you are receiving these alerts? Because we want to make sure that the communication is there on both ends.

**Blair via chat:** I'm not getting IVAN alerts--- [blair@drlapin.org](mailto:blair@drlapin.org)

**Sabrina via chat:** [sabrinakhall81@gmail.com](mailto:sabrinakhall81@gmail.com).

**Rmanion SFE via chat:** [Raymond.manion@sfgov.org](mailto:Raymond.manion@sfgov.org) (SFE)

**Trish via chat:** [trish.johnson@arb.ca.gov](mailto:trish.johnson@arb.ca.gov)

**Jose via chat:** [jsaldana@arb.ca.gov](mailto:jsaldana@arb.ca.gov)

**Eric Bissinger via chat:** [eric,bissinger@arb.ca.gov](mailto:eric,bissinger@arb.ca.gov)

**Anthony via phone:** "I think it absolutely vital that we have all the multiple stakeholders involvement and as well who is not here to come about our problem solving discussion to follow this, we really want to make sure that this information is going to the proper federal agencies the more the better. We can also take this time to call out or ask simple questions to agencies such as this IVAN listings about dumping site like Yosemite Slough, where it's a huge problem that deals with air, water, toxic waste, and other cumulative impacts which we already have been dealing with and aren't being addressed. We need to hold these



stakeholders accountable such as the water board that might be involved. In this particular case in the Yosemite Slough, that is the first site that the EPA designated some sort of meditation such as the shipyard which has somewhat a connection to the EPA that is in regard to connection with the Navy and the department of defensive that is a whole another process. However, with the Yosemite Slough, you have a lot of agencies who wouldn't be typically getting this type of notifications or updates, but these problems and violations would not be addressed without their participation. With the website up and running, we want to make sure everyone is getting these alerts rather if you are a resident or a government agency. There were a few glitches with it but now that we are back and running, we want to rebuild those connections and make sure everyone is being notified and accountable. Especially, I'm calling out all the government agencies who would be grateful for your participation in this, I want to ask, who are you interacting with to address these situations? We want to make sure that we are all interacting.

#### **7:10 PM                      Problem Solving Session Follow Up**

**Dalila via phone:** Definitely keep that in mind, we want to make sure that IVAN is back and running like how Anthony said we want to rebuild this network and have IVAN back and working as it was intended too. Moving on, we can actually talk about the problem-solving section follow up.

So, I know last time we talked about different discussion about illegal dumping and we identified certain problem areas within BVHP, some of those were zolpidem pollute and some other things we discussed what type of waste. I know we had the conversation about the type of waste such as having small trash and big trash on corners of BVHP. Sometimes I know that the tiny trash like fast food containers that can fly everywhere, and it can be hazardous. And I know one other thing we talked about is how to address this issue? We name Recology, sfp public works and the neighborhood. There were definitely community comments that the community needs to come together and do better on illegal dumping as well, different waste streams, external to the neighborhoods. Speaking of water issues, the second IVAN complaint that was mentioned earlier was a big issue that it reached to Shammon Walton's office. He has not followed up in regard to this situation, but we will follow up after this. But this are the things we need to keep in mind, who should be getting these alerts? Should Shammon Walton be receiving these alerts? Or any other agencies folks? this are

some things we need to address. Anthony would you like to add anything about this.

**Anthony via phone:** “Yes, I actually want to go back to our notes, and for folks who are on the phone and we are looking at a document from our notes from last time and we want to discuss the longest EJ movements happening here in BVHP. Any sort of dumping is illegal. How are we going to stop this? I know we started off with some primary stakeholders like we have Ray from SF Dept Environment speaking shortly about his agency. Yet again many of these stakeholders we need to follow up to see what type of engagement they are doing to prevent this. With this I want to open up the floor for Ray from the San Francisco Department Environment, who is working with community folks to address this type of situations.

**Blair via phone:** “has Recology stopped excess waste charges during this covid crisis? Where is Walton in all this (waste conversation)? Have we reached out to him? Would he have leverage with city agencies on our behalf?”

**Sabrina via chat:** @Blair per my bill I just received NO they have NOT stopped charging for excess trash. in fact today it was garbage day. I assume I complained so much about the excess trash charge that the garbage man left some of my trash!!!! 😡

**Anthony via phone:** “I am pretty sure Ray can speak on that shortly. Walton and his office will pretty sure will understand and be really happy that the IVAN network report went to his office. That is the start of some engagement. It is up to us and perhaps this body to engage with Shammon Walton to discuss about the issues happening in the neighborhood. Now I will open up the floor for anyone who would like to add on to this discussion?”

**Karen via phone:** Hi Anthony, this is Karen again and sorry for not being here last meeting. This has been my issue that we need to develop some sort of program. One of my major concerns is that the Public Works process are really good about picking up trash but there are four corners around my neighborhood that there is trash daily, please help us stop this. We already provide free garbage services to everyone. Well I am happy to see that the trucks are there but sometimes they cut corners and the city knows has trash there. Each day there is some sort of trash there on the corner and bus stops like the corner of Oakdale and Phelps. I

want to be able to set up a meeting where we can sit and talk with Public Works to address these issues.

**Anthony via phone:** Thank you Mrs. Karen for all that great information, now I just want to see if any other folks have comments on this?

**Blair via chat:** Can we get Walton to push Recology. Not only stop charging but retroactively refund those who paid or adjust bills for the future.

**Rmanion SFE via chat:** Recology is reportedly not applying fees or adding extra fees during the SIP order

**Gwen Jackson via chat:** can we ask for camera, violates?

**Blair via chat:** I mean where is Shammon Walton, he is our supervisor and he should be conveying on how to handle this concern... that is his job and why we elected him. He should be able to sit with us and have a solution.

**Gwen via chat:** since we pay our garbage bill, give them a warning? Start filming? Because I live near there... we have garbage still there

**Hp-nunes via chat:** Is there cause to think that most of the dumping is caused by a handful of recurring offenders?

**Sabrina via phone:** see my problem today is that I am still getting an excessive charge on my bill, if we are getting free services. But I am going to reach out Shammon office and reach out to his aide, (Aide is his name) and he helped with my bills when I moved and I know they have some sort of program for that but I think he is busy with other sort of things that it may be difficult for a reply back but definitely reaching out to Aide. Try the aide if you guys need it, its there.

**@rmanion SFE via chat:** I can send you a copy of my current bill it shows the excess trash charge [sabrinakhall81@gmail.com](mailto:sabrinakhall81@gmail.com)

**Blair via chat:** Personally, I don't want more government surveillance in my neighborhood.

**Sabrina via chat:** @rmanion yes when tax season came, I bought a lot of stuff. so I happily paid the excess trash charge because I had a lot of trash

**Anthony via phone:** I heard a lot of great of comments however we must unite and make sure that we are doing our parts but as well these agencies are doing theirs. This is a long-term thing; this is kind of normal to us which it shouldn't be like that. Perhaps this is a good shift for Ray can discuss.

**Dalila via phone:** before we start I do want to open it up to the people on the phone if anyone wants to add to this or make a comment?

**Leotis via phone:** Hello, yes, I do. The bottom line is that this is a problem and we need to prepare ourselves in the future. For example, once this COVID thing is over, what are we going to do to prepare for the next thing? Because this thing came from out of the bloom and we should be able to prepare ourselves with anything that is coming our way. We need to share this information as an environmentalist to share this resource for our people. Anyone and everybody can help any sort of way by passing out water, food or even PPE. There has been people since day one and we should have been there as well. Lives matter period... point blank We need to come together as a community help out as we can by either donating or helping.

**Ray via chat:** Please do what you need - the community knows the issues and how to address them. This unfortunately is a chronic problem and needs many people and departments to address. Illegal dumping is also a regional and state-wide issue

**Anthony via phone:** Readdressing Ray comment, and I agree with you on that Ray. This is an issue that is statewide and regional which is also happening in East Oakland, Richmond and other parts of the Bay Area. And Leotis I can hear the lessons, and I know that there are certain neighborhoods that are impacted more than others. This can be readdressed to create a state world issue that affects our health and the lives of others. But with this whole COVID situation, Leotis did bring up some good points that we should use this time to prepare and cause change within our neighborhoods and I want you to continue to think about solutions as Ray presents. Some great points from the chat were shared like,

**Sabrina via chat:** why we can't get some sort of grant or money to have a sort of neighborhood watch, which would create jobs, people could go around and clean

up the streets. the community would do it. something like that and maybe like the Union Square BID and the TL WORKERS?

**Anthony via phone:** what is other options? What can we do? Funding would be great but how would we enforce that?

**Helena said via chat:** it makes sense that you need to know who's doing the dumping and why in order to stop them— either through providing better access service directly to them or if it's a corporate bad player to publicize what they're doing and make them do better and yes to what SH said about the needed funding...

**Janice via phone:** Anthony this is Janice and you mentioned Oakland, and this is an also a problem. Obviously, it's not a big problem but it is getting addressed with the cameras and maybe even creating the cameras, or community watch group or something similar with the outreach group folks who were out there counting trucks, diesel emissions, idling, and tracking all that information then later sit and talk about these issues. I know we have to worry about safety talking but the cameras could work or the community watch. Another thing that Oakland has done for the past 6 months, they created a drop off area for resident to drop off their trash for free from certain times.

**Anthony via phone:** thank you for sharing Mrs. Janice and its nice hearing your voice. I do want to say that you did bring up some good points that we need to address for another meeting.

**Blair said via chat:** Has the community organized clean-up days where we get out with gloves and masks and garbage bags and clean up?

**Ray said via chat:** Oakland City did a study of dumped piles and determined that a high % was dumped by local residents - I can share report with Anthony

**Blair via phone:** I wonder, if folks see neighbors cleaning up, maybe they'll be less likely to throw stuff into the street and sidewalks. And then if local dumping stops, we can focus on the industrial and outside dumping.

**Ray from chat:** Bulky Item Pick up is still available in San Francisco - up to 10 Items - schedule with Recology

**Sabrina via chat:** Some people don't have vehicles to even make it to the dump. even if it's FREE. and the dump in OAKLAND is far. I used to live there

**Ray via chat:** Contact Recology and schedule: [customerservice@recologysf.com](mailto:customerservice@recologysf.com)  
Single Family 2 pick-ups/yr. Multifamily: 1 pick up per unit/ yr. Some people in Oakland rent haul trucks to dump trash on free dumps days

**Sabrina via chat:** right I am not going to walk down the street with a bed frame and have no bus going to let me on with a bed frame. (just an example). great move by them, but epic fail for most of the people that are really sitting stuff out

**Gwen via chat:** Recology also have large garbage bins

**Anthony via phone:** I know some of you suggested a community clean up, but we need to make sure that we are held accountable as well with these agencies.

**Karen via phone:** hi this is Karen again, maybe forming a subcommittee and sitting down with agencies and talk about these issues. We can sit down with anyone like Recology and any other department to address these issues and what they can do about it. I know speaking for my department but my department the Public Health has no direct responsibility for dumping however the city has to pay for any garbage bill that was not paid for. And that is where we come in and help pay those bills, but we need more agencies to be held accountable so that the responsibility doesn't fall on us. And we do have the power to create this and make some sort of movement.

**Sabrina via phone:** Wait Mrs. Karen I do have a question; I am a section 8 resident and there was a time where I did not pay my garbage bill does that mean there is some sort of grant for this or what?

**Karen via phone:** no, we as the Public Health send a notice to your landlord then your landlord gets that notification that they can apply for a waive fee but either way you still have to pay it which this money could be used for other resources instead.

**Sabrina via phone:** So, you are saying that, it first gets sent to my landlord, then they pay it and then we pay it and then the city gets it back?

**Karen via phone:** yes, that is how it works. If the landlord doesn't pay it back, it is a lean on the property, and they take it out on property taxes. This is not a benefit but something to keep the trash off the streets, but this is a big issue we need to address.

**Dalila via phone:** Thank you Karen and I do actually want to run with the subcommittee and I do want to respect Ray's time, so I am going to ask if you can mute so we can give our full attention to Ray but please if you are interested in being part of this subcommittee please write your name in the chat box.

**Blair via chat:** We should get Walton with us first and then meet with the agencies.

**Sabrina via chat:** I'm interested in the sub committee

**Ray via chat:** interested in subcommittee

**Blair via chat:** I would be part of a sub-committee to work on the trash problem - engaging with city agencies

**Leotis via phone:** The thing is, I like the idea of this subcommittee but why do we need to create more groups to actually resolve these issues? The point is this, Karen brought up that we need to come up with a plan and that's what we should do. Create a plan and then go to Shammon and then have a subcommittee. First thing is first, we need to come up with a plan.

**Janice via phone:** I think that is the plan Leotis.

**Anthony via phone:** To follow up with the question of Leotis, of how many more committees do we need for these issues to get addressed? Well that depends on all of us. Based on this body of group who most of us going for almost for 6 months with meeting and talking about this issue which we all can relate to one another that this is an ongoing concern we must address. Then we can come up with our plan to move forward with this.

**Dalila via phone:** Thank you all who are interested and being sharing resources on the chat, I see you and I will email you all tomorrow to set up a time to talk and PLAN! Right now, I do want to pass the virtual mic to Ray who will be sharing his agency information.

**Karen Pierce via chat:** I am interested in being part of the group that focuses on the long-term solutions to dumping.

**Gwen via chat:** I'm interested with sub committee

**Ray presents his slide:**

### **Illegal Dumping in Bayview Hunters Point -May 20, 2020**

A lot of things we talked about is going to be touched upon this presentation

Such as **the goals of illegal dumping** include:

Community Engagement and collaboration → Enforcement → Removal → Prevention.

Enforcement needs to implement and with that we can see that we have a lot of community engagement and that is the start of being able to reach this goal.

The main reason is to why I am here is to share the department of the Environment's EJ Work.

### **We work with Recology: Zero Waste & Multifamily Affordable Buildings**

- Education: Tenants and Property Managers
- Presentations
- Service level corrections/ adjustments
- Bill corrections
- Site assessments

**Partner with: D10's EJ Community**

**Partner with Public Works: D10 Code Enforcement Taskforce**

"One of the biggest successes that Anthony addressed earlier was Yosemite Slough Upland Area Van Dyke Ave there were a lot of unhoused people there and



people kept dumping there. We had 488 tons of garbage removed by SF Public Works. Although this is a continuous fight, there has been more and more trash placed there to this day. We need to address this on a regular basis to get resolved.”

**Concerns: Dumping Hot Spots:**

- Identify specific area and make 311 report!
- Get Service Request #
- Make IVAN report and include 22 SR#
- Track SR # and progress of clean up!
- Follow up, follow up, follow up!
- Make 2<sup>nd</sup> report if necessary!

**Illegal Dumping Map (2016) for 311 Reports:**

- Southeast Waterfront Waste Dumping
- Red Squares: Open 311 reported cases
- Blue Squares: Closed 311 reported cases
- Dark Blue Squares: Dumping observed by AECOM & Nature in the City.

“Sorry for not having a 2019 map. But we need data in order to make these changes.”

**Concerns: Bulky Items Dumped & Collections:**

**Recology Provides:**

- Single family, 2 pickups/yr.
- Multifamily Buildings: 1 pick up/yr. + 1 pick up for each unit/year
- 50 unit building gets 51 pick up/year
- Call 415-330-1300 or [www.recology.com/recology:sanfrancisco](http://www.recology.com/recology:sanfrancisco)

**Respect the Bayview:**

“This is all its about respect. Respect on another but also the space we live in. Respect the Bayview all around.”

**Thank you.**

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**Dalila via phone:** Thank you Ray. I really appreciate you and how you were able to bring this presentation fairly quickly and share all this great information! Is there any questions or comments from folks?

**Blair via phone:** I know you talked about Enforcement in your presentation. Yes I would like to see some sort of enforcement for outside polluters who are dumping their trash in our neighborhoods but if it is neighbors, then I don't want them to get fine or a ticket but what can we actually do about it so that way everyone is hold accountable?

**Anthony via phone:** All I kept thinking during this presentation is all the trash that is being dumped and that is 1 million pounds dumped in one neighborhood where we continue to see this issue reoccurring. I heard something about data, but we need to continue this kind of data to show our agencies how these issues are hurting our community. This is a long-term problem that need to be addressed. I want to thank everyone for sharing your resources. This crisis of illegal dumping that we can find long term solutions with this group and I look forward in taking this energy and addressing these topics.

**Dalila via phone:** Thank you Anthony and everyone but we can't forget that we are here for action and talking can only take us so far.

**Anthony via phone:** We need to make sure that we are taking a political engagement to make a difference and stay in touch with agencies.

**7:55 PM**                      **Next Meeting Dates, Times, and Location**

**Dalila via phone:** so grateful for each one of you to be able to join this meeting and be able to take action during this pandemic. The next meeting is June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020 from 2-4pm on zoom until further notice. I will reach out to those who were interested in creating a subcommittee to make action plans so stay tuned!

**8:00 PM**                      **Meeting Adjourned**