The Network for Elders (Network) is a neighborhood nonprofit agency providing an array of services to Bayview/Hunters Point senior citizens and their families. The Network’s mission is to be a creative organization that encourages ethnic and cultural diversity; builds strong collaborative bonds; and believes that all seniors are assets who, when cultivated, nurtured and invested in, benefit the community as a whole. The Network provides educational, social, volunteer, and individualized case management services for Bayview Hunters Point elders and their families.

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The Network developed, with input from seniors and families from Bayview/Hunters Point, educational campaign materials to reduce speeding and encourage safe traffic behaviors along the 3rd Street corridor. The Network also conducted workshops for seniors and presentations to community groups to educate them on pedestrian safety in Bayview/Hunters Point. As a result, the Network developed, distributed and finalized a prioritized list of community recommendations to improve pedestrian safety along the 3rd Street corridor, which was distributed to the appropriate city agencies and elected officials.

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