



TENDERLOIN COMMUNITY ACTION PLAN (TCAP)

TENDERLOIN INVESTMENT BLUEPRINT [DRAFT]

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Public Safety and
Neighborhood Services
Committee of the San
Francisco Board of
Supervisors

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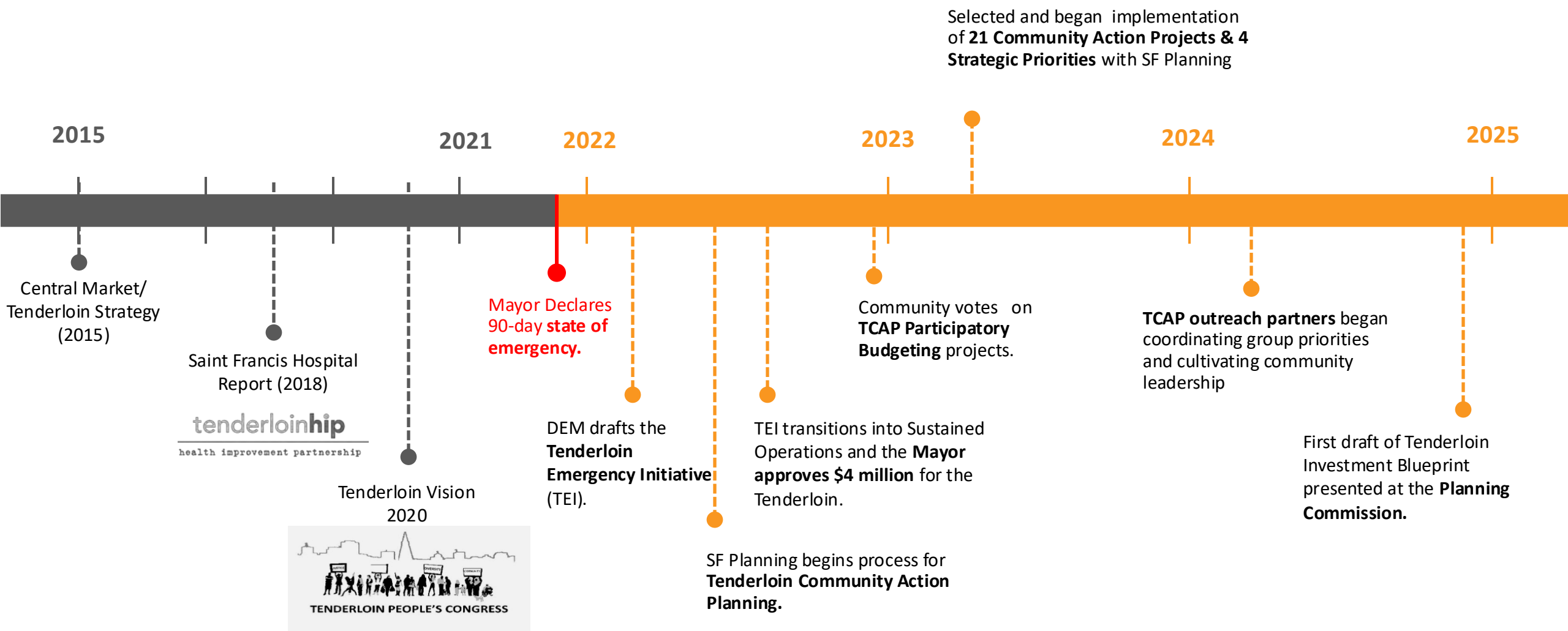
PRIORITIES AND STRATEGIES

3 BOARD COMMITTEE ACTION



① TENDERLOIN COMMUNITY ACTION PLAN

TENDERLOIN INITIATIVES (2015 – 2024)



TENDERLOIN COMMUNITY ACTION PLAN (2022 – PRESENT)



TCAP is a collaborative of community partners and city agencies responding to meet neighborhood needs.



VISION

- Tenderloin transitioning out of a state of crisis
- Equitable access to improved quality of life for Tenderloin residents
- Tenderloin as a diverse and vibrant neighborhood for all



MISSION

- Empower Tenderloin's voice to action: Facilitate community-driven initiatives
- Transform Tenderloin community action into reality: cultivate new capacities



COMMITMENTS

- Centering equity
- Promoting community self Determination
- Fostering collaborative partnerships

TCAP'S APPROACH

1. ELEVATE & EMPOWER

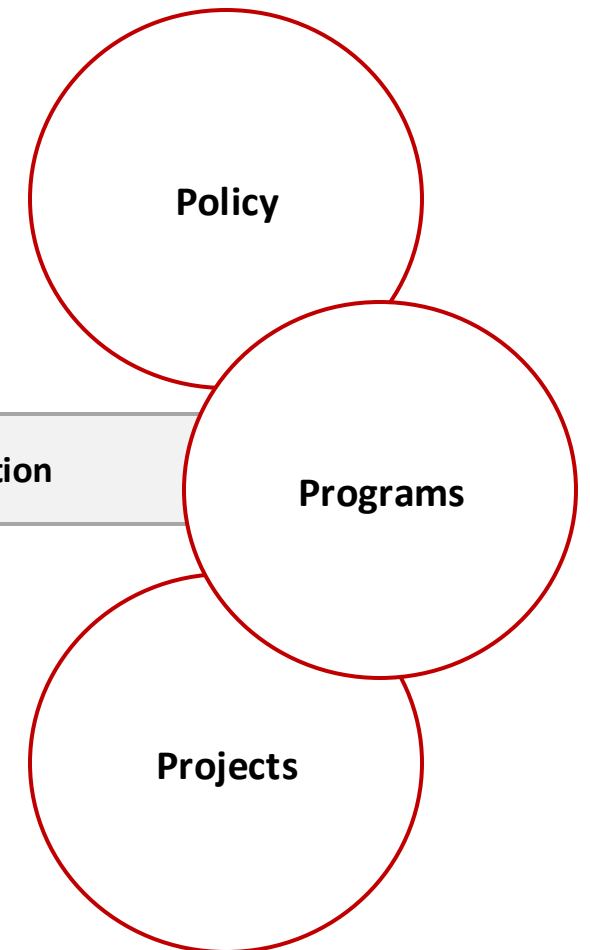


2. INVEST & CONNECT

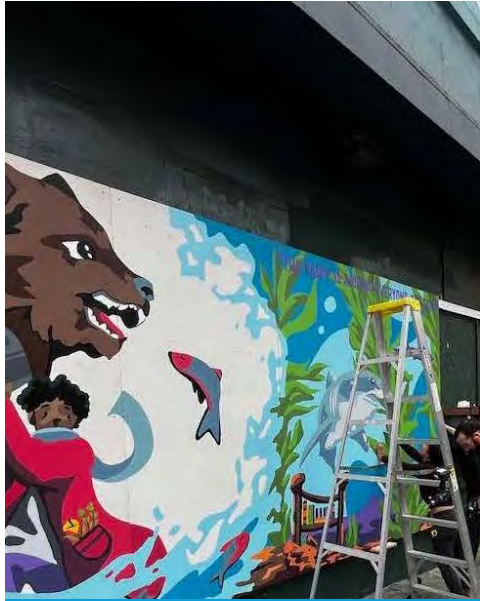


3. SUPPORT & SUSTAIN

Tenderloin Investment Blueprint



TCAP INVESTMENT IMPACTS



+2,250 SQ FT
OF NEW MURALS



2 NEW PUBLIC SPACES



12 COMMUNITY-WIDE
FESTIVALS/EVENTS



5,000+ ATTENDEES FOR
COMMUNITY EVENTS



1ST ARAB YOUTH CENTER IN SAN
FRANCISCO



1ST TEEN DROP-IN CENTER



3 TENDERLOIN SPECIFIC SMALL BUSINESS
PROGRAMS DESIGNED



\$275,000 ADDITIONAL
FUNDING LEVERAGED FOR BIZ



235,000 FRESH MEALS SERVED
TO SRO RESIDENTS



321 IMMIGRANT FAMILIES SERVED

② TENDERLOIN INVESTMENT BLUEPRINT

WHAT IS THE TL INVESTMENT BLUEPRINT?

- **Tenderloin Investment Blueprint** will include community-driven **priorities for investment** and policy shifts in the Tenderloin for the next 2-5 years.
- It will serve as a **neighborhood advocacy platform** to leverage local, state, and philanthropic investments.



INVESTMENT BLUEPRINT TIMELINE

2024						2025											
Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun						
<div>Planning and preparation</div> <div><ul style="list-style-type: none">• TCAP Outreach Partners*:<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Design outreach process• Prepare first draft of Tenderloin Blueprint based on outreach and engagement<div>* <i>TNDC, CCDC, Saint Anthony's, Glide, TLCBD</i></div></div>						<div>Public Vetting</div> <div><ul style="list-style-type: none">• Planning Commission Informational hearing• Outreach to existing organized groups (Identified in the Field Scan)• Two-three Focus Groups as needed• Community Open House</div>						<div>Community Empowered TL Investment Blueprint</div> <div><ul style="list-style-type: none">• Planning Commission/Board Endorsement• Presentation to philanthropic funders</div>					



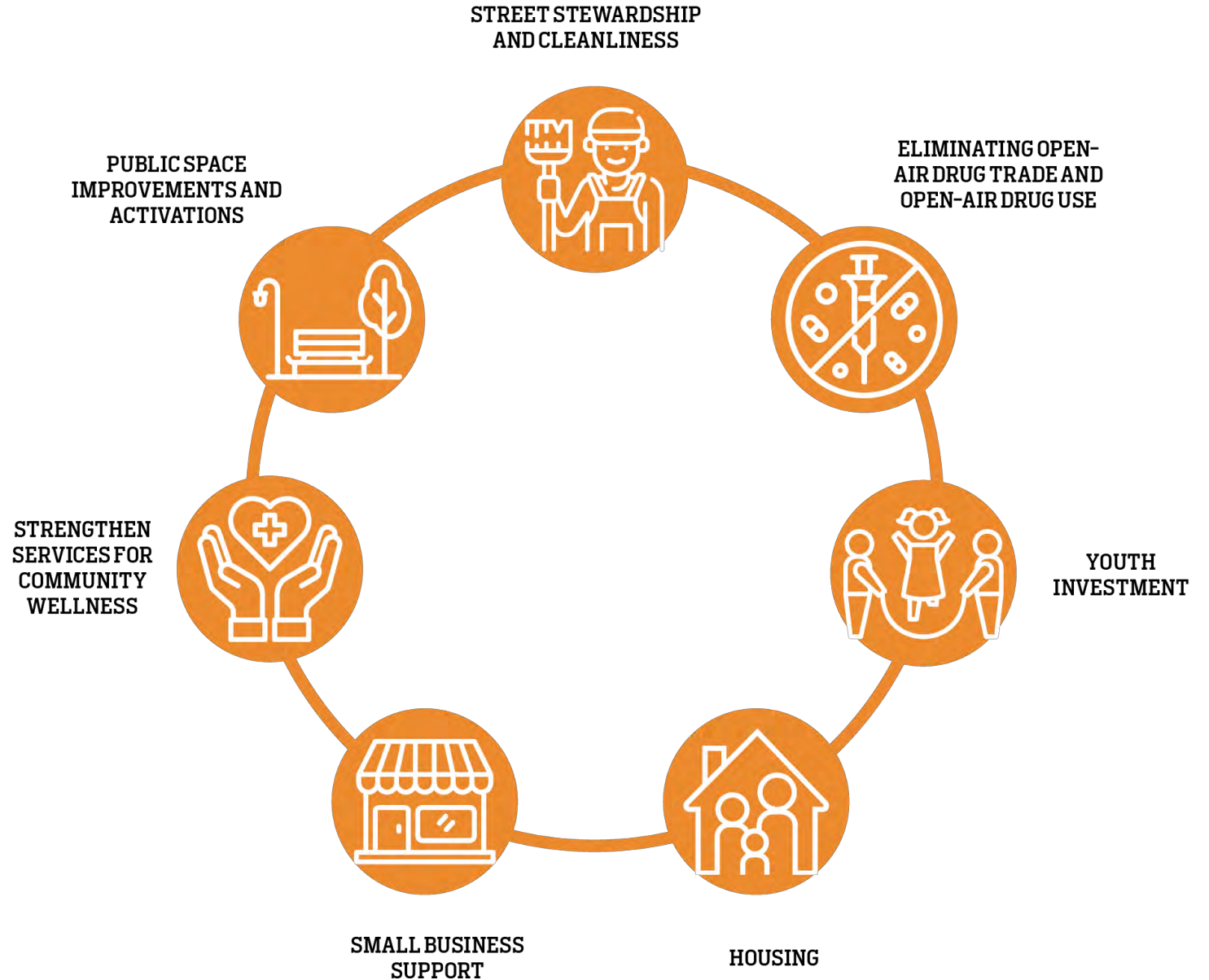
COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND PUBLIC VETTING

- First draft built on decades of community voices.
- Over the past 3 months, TCAP Outreach Partners engaged **17 regularly convening** Tenderloin groups, gathering feedback on key priorities.
- Hosted **a multilingual Community-Wide Open House** (Feb 2025) and held **4 targeted focus groups** (Vietnamese, Black and Thai residents; Small Business Owners)



STRATEGIES IN THE REPORT

- The **7 priorities** and their associated strategies are interdependent; each influence the others.
- This interconnectedness indicates that any change or impact in one area affects the entire framework, underscoring the importance of a comprehensive, collaborative approach.



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- That the Board **urges all City departments and partner agencies to align their policies, investments, and implementation strategies** with the Blueprint's priorities.
- That the Board encourages our City Departments, philanthropic, and private sector partners to **use the TCAP Investment Blueprint as a guiding framework** to coordinate future investments in the Tenderloin.
- That the City commits to **engaging Tenderloin residents and stakeholders in all phases** of the Blueprint's implementation, evaluation, and refinement to ensure accountability and continued community leadership.
- That the City commits to **approving another \$4 million for participatory budgeting in the Tenderloin** for the next 3 years.

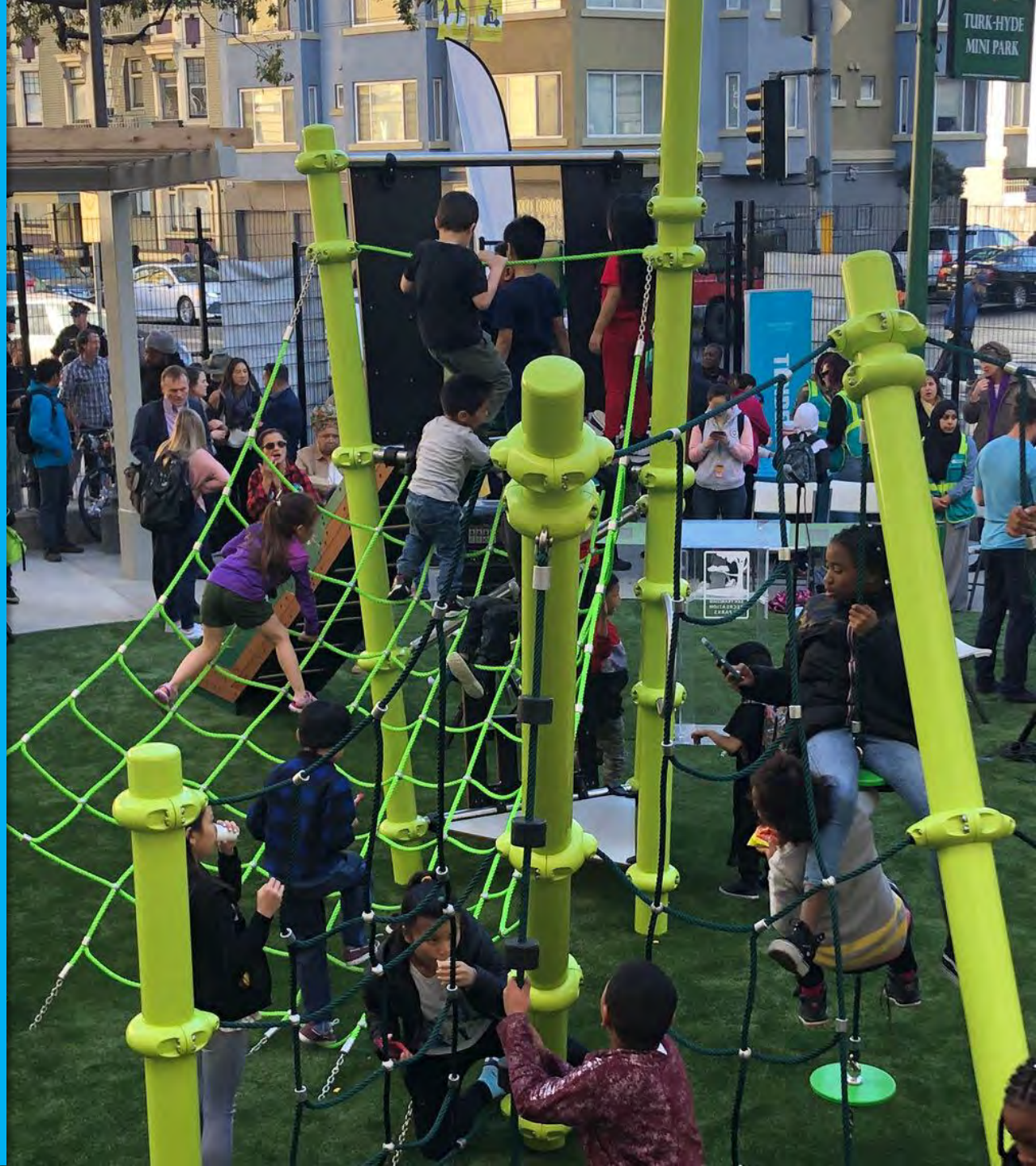
1. STREET STEWARDSHIP AND CLEANLINESS

- S1.** Create 24/7 Safe Routes (Leavenworth, Turk, and Eddy) with Improved Coordinated Neighborhood Stewardship
- S2.** Sustain Resources and Enhance Effectiveness for Neighborhood Stewardship and Cleaning
- S3.** Provide Resource Updates for Transparency and Community Empowerment



2. ELIMINATE OPEN-AIR DRUG TRADE AND OPEN-AIR DRUG USE

- E1.** Sustain Drug Market Agency Coordination
Center Enforcement Operations
- E2.** Strengthen Unified Street Outreach Focused on
Removing Open-Air Drug Use
- E3.** Prevent the Relocation of Open-Air Drug
Activity
- E4.** Create a Children's Safe Zone



3. PUBLIC SPACE IMPROVEMENT AND ACTIVATION

- P1.** Promote Recurring Art and Cultural Programs
- P2.** Prioritize Placemaking Initiatives at Alleys, Streets, Neighborhood Entrances and Commercial Corridors
- P3.** Increase Overall Green Footprint of the Tenderloin
- P4.** Adapt Underutilized or Vacant Sites as Additional Open Spaces through Public-Private Partnerships



4. YOUTH INVESTMENTS

- Y1.** Increase Low-Barrier Low-Structure Programming for Teens and Transitional Age Youth (TAY)
- Y2.** Strengthen Youth Workforce Training and Job Placement Programs
- Y3.** Provide Culturally Responsive Programs for Immigrant Youth
- Y4.** Expand Opportunities Tailored for Youth Involved in the Justice System in the Tenderloin
- Y5.** Enhance Coordination Amongst Youth Services Providers



5. STRENGTHENING SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY WELLNESS

W1. Strengthen Coordinated and Culturally Responsive Care and Services for Immigrant Communities

W2. Integrate expanded Substance Use treatment and Behavioral Health Resources

W3. Strengthen Low-barrier Substance Use Treatment Programs Available on the Streets



6. SMALL BUSINESSES SUPPORT

- B1.** Stabilizing Existing Businesses
- B2.** Improve Storefront Condition
- B3.** Support Entrepreneurs in Filling Vacancies
- B4.** Enhance Neighborhood Commercial and Cultural Corridor



7. HOUSING

H1. Improve Conditions of Existing Deeply Affordable Housing

H2. Protect Vulnerable Residents at Most Risk of Homelessness

H3. Expand Access to Supportive Resources for Residents of Affordable Housing

H4. Improve Access to Affordable Housing for Families and Transitional Aged Youth



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