CHILDREN, FAMILIES, AND SENIORS

Community Building: Encourage residents to connect through community-centered events that foster collaboration.

- Support existing neighborhood-building events and organize additional events for community members to gather and connect.
- Identify opportunities for seniors and youth to become more involved in the community and engage with each other in partnership with schools, community based organizations and businesses.
- Improve communication to engage diverse communities and disseminate information on community-building events and activities.

Resource Sharing: Improve residents’ access to existing resources within the community, and create new resource opportunities to fill gaps in service.

- Increase District 4 Early Care and Education provider participation in Preschool for All program.
- Improve food access for students, families and seniors.
- Facilitate more public and private partnerships between schools and businesses to enhance students’ learning experiences and job opportunities.
- Create one-stop shops in the Sunset District to assist residents with social, educational, and health services.

Infrastructure: Create, maintain and enhance areas in the Sunset District that promote community-building activities.

- Improve and continue to prioritize maintenance of facilities in and around neighborhood parks, playgrounds and public gathering areas.
- Improve and expand senior facilities in the Sunset District.
- Encourage and facilitate the use of existing, unused spaces for community use and gathering areas for all ages.
- Attract businesses and venues that are family friendly.

Education: Work with San Francisco Unified School District to ensure quality education for all students.

- In partnership with the San Francisco Unified School District, streamline school enrollment applications to assist applicants with the process.
- Advocate for equality among all schools throughout San Francisco through adequate distribution of resources and support for schools and teachers.

Programs: Provide programmatic opportunities and support for residents of all ages to learn, develop and thrive.

- Work with the Department on Children, Youth and Families to identify afterschool and summer programs that are free/affordable.
- Advocate for more affordable early care and education options.
- Provide opportunities for seniors to learn and engage with each other over a variety of topics and physical activities.
- Ensure full participation of District 4 residents in health care enrollment.