



TREASURE ISLAND DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
COMMUNITY ADVISORY

New Eastbound Interstate 80 - Bay Bridge Off-Ramp to Yerba Buena Island to Open on Sunday, May 7, 2023

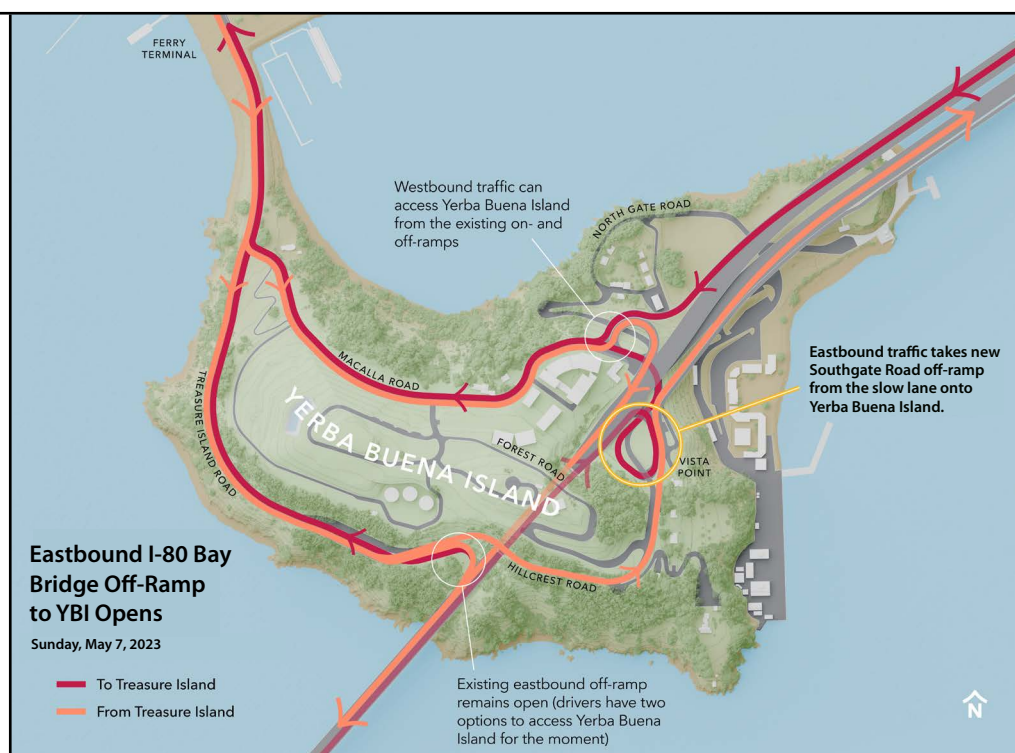
The San Francisco County Transportation Authority, in collaboration with Caltrans, the Bay Area Toll Authority, and the Treasure Island Development Authority, has completed the Yerba Buena Island/I-80 Southgate Road and Interchange Project. The project, which links eastbound I-80 to Yerba Buena Island, will be open to traffic on Sunday, May 7.

Please also be advised that:

- The new off-ramp is located along the right side of the eastbound lanes of the Bay Bridge (lower deck) immediately after the Yerba Buena Island Tunnel.
- The new off-ramp has a curve - similar to the existing Treasure Island off-ramp before the Yerba Buena Island Tunnel.
- Motorists are advised to adhere to the 50 MPH posted speed limit on the Bay Bridge and the 15 MPH speed limit on the off-ramp.
- The bike lane will now be open 7 days a week, from sunrise to sunset.
- The existing off-ramp to Treasure Island will remain open for several more weeks at which time it will be closed for approximately three years and all traffic will be required to use the new right-side off-ramp to YBI in order to travel to TI.
- Motorists traveling north on Hillcrest Road will now have the option to access Macalla Road as part of the new Southgate Road Realignment Project.
- The new ramp will be used to access both Treasure Island and Yerba Buena Island. It will replace the existing left-side ramp to Treasure Island.

Please also note that:

The opening of the new eastbound off-ramp to Yerba Buena Island is the next in a series of traffic changes coming to Yerba Buena and Treasure Islands as the Transportation Authority, TIDA and Caltrans, retrofit roads and on-/off-ramps that connect the islands to the Bay Bridge.



Please refer to the map for additional information

Please drive safely and share the road at all times

Questions?
 Please contact TIDA at 415-274-0660
 or TIDA@sfgov.org



SAN FRANCISCO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

525 GOLDEN GATE AVE., SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94102 • TEL. (415) 554-1516



NOTICE OF PLANNED ELECTRICAL SERVICE INTERRUPTION

The San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (SFPUC) High Voltage Crew needs to make necessary repairs to ensure reliable service to all customers. In order to perform this work safely, the crew needs to temporarily interrupt your electric service. The crew will do its best to minimize the length of the service interruption.

Date: **Monday, May 22nd, 2023**

Time: **9:00 AM to 5:00 PM**

AFFECTED SERVICE AREAS:

Building 1, 1 Avenue of the Palms

If you are a Landlord with tenant(s) in the areas listed above and the SFPUC bill is in your name, **it is your responsibility** to notify the tenant(s) of the planned service interruption.

Unsafe weather conditions or any unforeseen emergency will require the High Voltage Crew to cancel the work at the last minute and the crew will be unable to notify you of this cancellation. However, you will receive notification of the rescheduled date and time.

SAFETY WARNING: Do not use generators under any circumstances without the knowledge of TIDA and the SFPUC. If you use a generator during the service interruption you must isolate your generator from the SFPUC system. Failure to do so will not only damage your generator but can cause serious injury to electric crew personnel. The SFPUC apologizes for this inconvenience and thanks you for your patience.

- **Computers and other electronic equipment** are particularly sensitive to power interruption. We highly recommend unplugging this equipment before the shutdown period.
- **Security systems, clocks, irrigation timers,** and similar equipment will likely require resetting after the shutdown is completed.
- For information about how to **safeguard perishable foods** in your refrigerator or freezer, visit the website www.foodsafety.gov/blog/power_outages.html



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Date: **Sunday, May 7th, 2023**

Time: **8:00 AM to 6:00 PM**

AFFECTED SERVICE AREAS:

All of Treasure Island Job Corps Center ** TI JCC Gym is excluded from outage**

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Petsa: _____

Oras: _____

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Kung ikaw ay isang Nagpapaupa na may (mga) umuupa sa mga lugar na nakalista sa itaas at sinisingil ka ng SFPUC sa iyong pangalan, **responsibilidad mo** na bigyan ng paunawa ang (mga) umuupa ng tungkol sa nakaplanong paghinto ng serbisyo. Responsibilidad din ng Nagpapaupa na muling pailawin ang mga pilot light ng mga umuupa kasunod ng paghinto ng serbisyo ng likas na gas.

Ang di-ligtas na mga kondisyon ng panahon o anumang di-inaasahang emerhensiya ay magtutulak sa mga Tauhan ng Likas na Gas na kanselahin ang trabaho sa huling minuto at hindi magagawa ng mga tauhan na bigyan ka ng paunawa ng pagkanselang ito. Gayunman, tatanggap ka ng paunawa ng binagong petsa at oras.

Humihingi ng paumanhin ang SFPUC para sa abalang ito at nagpapasalamat sa iyong pang-unawa.

NOTICE OF NATURAL GAS SERVICE INTERRUPTION

Date: _____

Time: _____

Affected Areas of Treasure Island Facilities include:

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AVISO DE INTERRUPCIÓN DEL SERVICIO DE GAS NATURAL

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Si usted es un propietario con inquilino(s) en las áreas listadas anteriormente, y la factura de la SFPUC está a su nombre, **es su responsabilidad** notificar a cada inquilino de la interrupción programada de servicio. También es la responsabilidad del propietario re-encender los pilotos de cada aparato doméstico después de una interrupción de servicio de gas natural.

Condiciones climáticas o cualquier otra emergencia imprevista requerirá que el equipo de obreros de gas natural cancele las obras a último momento y el equipo no será capaz de avisarle de dicha cancelación. Sin embargo, usted recibirá una notificación sobre la fecha y horario de la reprogramación de las obras.

La SFPUC le pide disculpas por estas molestias y le agradece de antemano por su paciencia.

天然氣暫停服務通知

日期: _____

時間: _____

金銀島設施受影響地區包括:

三藩市水利局 (SFPUC) 將在你的地區安裝新設備及 / 或執行維修工作。這可幫助三藩市水利局為所有顧客提供可靠的服務。為安全執行此項工作，工作人員需要暫時停止你的天然氣服務。工作人員會儘力將暫停此服務的時間減至最少。

如你是房東，有住客住在上述的地區而三藩市水利局的帳單是以你的名字發出，你有責任通知住客計劃暫停此服務之事宜。房東亦有責任在天然氣服務中斷之後，重新為住客點燃常明火。

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Treasure Island COMMUNITY MEETING



Please join One Treasure Island as we provide this opportunity for information sharing and communication amongst the Treasure Island community about community engagement activities/events and the island development.

Wed April 19 @ 6:00-7:30pm

Meetings will occur every other month on ZOOM.



No registration needed.
Just scan this QR code to
join the meeting.



<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81056789872>

Reunión de la Comunidad de Treasure Island



Por favor únete a One Treasure Island mientras ofrecemos la oportunidad de compartir información y comunicarnos entre la comunidad de Treasure Island acerca de actividades y eventos que relacionan a la comunidad y el desarrollo de la isla.

miércoles 19 de Abril entre 6:00 pm y 7:30 pm

Las reuniones son mensuales vía zoom



No es necesario registrarse. Sólo escanee el código QR para unirse a la reunión



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VENTURES

The Good Tidings Foundation is a non-profit, 501-c-3 children's charity that supports the growth of marginalized youth by creating environments for athletics, the arts, education and wonder.

Good Tidings will award one-time cash grants to young black individuals ages 24 years and younger who reside in California as start-up capital for their non-profit or business venture. Investments will have a maximum grant amount of \$10,000.

Recipients will also have access to GT's incubator of industry leaders.

Priority will be given to black youth impacted by any of our projects or programs.

At Good Tidings, we stand united in our belief that Black Lives Matter.

Total Amount Awarded: **\$10,000**

Number of Awards: **1**

Application Due: **June 12, 2023, 12:00 PM PST**

Requirements:

- 1. Identify as Black/African-American/
African Descent**
- 2. Ages 7-24**
- 3. Must currently reside in California**
- 4. Letter of Recommendation**
- 5. Application found on
www.goodtidings.org/gt-ventures/**

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@goodtidingsfoundation

Treasure Island Visioning Project

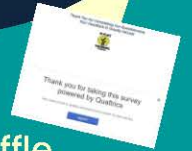
Complete a 3-min survey!



PARTICIPATE
TODAY
for a chance to
WIN a \$50 gift
card!



Take the in-person survey at the Ship Shape Community Center
or screenshot your online response page to 415-800-5937 to enter the raffle.



Tell us what you think!

Survey open
now through
April 30th.

We are seeking input from all members of the Treasure Island community to ensure that the newly developed, co-created aspirational vision, mission, and core values statements reflect your beliefs of what Treasure Island is and the vision for what it will become.

Take the survey here:



<https://tinyurl.com/TIVisioning>



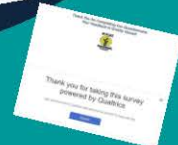
For more information, please contact Nella Gonçalves, 415-986-4810,
ngoncalves@onetreasureisland.org

Proyecto de Visión de Treasure Island

¡Participe en una encuesta de 3 minutos!



¡PARTICIPE HOY
para tener la
oportunidad de
GANAR
una tarjeta de
regalo de \$50!



Participe en la encuesta en persona en el Centro Comunitario Ship Shape o sumite una foto de la pantalla de tu página de respuesta vía texto al 415-800-5937 para participar en la rifa.

¡Cuéntenos sus opiniones!

Encuesta

abierta desde
ahora hasta el
30 de abril.

Tome la encuesta
aquí:



Estamos buscando las opiniones de todos los miembros de la comunidad de Treasure Island para garantizar que las declaraciones de visión aspiracional, misión, y valores fundamentales reflejen sus creencias sobre lo Isla y la visión de lo que se convertirá en el futuro.

<https://tinyurl.com/TIVisionESP>

Para más información, póngase en contacto con Nella Goncalves, 415-986-4810, ngoncalves@onetreasureisland.org





SFUSD Pacific Islander Wellness Festival

Open to all

FREE Entry

FEATURING

Cultural dance groups, Musicians, Children's Zone, Physical Activities including Touch Rugby, Universities, SF Book Mobile, Health testings and information, Juice station, Food Trucks, Awards and more



Time 11am-4pm

April 29, 2023

TREASURE ISLAND 13TH ST. AVENUE H, SF



contact Verna Castro castrov@susd.edu
or Jennifer Uperesa uperesaj@susd.edu

Sign-up to be an exhibitor



FINANCIAL LITERACY WORKSHOP



**SAVE
THE DATE**



SCAN ME

WHEN: April 26th at 6pm

WHERE: Via Zoom

WHAT: Savings!! Plus building an emergency fund.

HOW: Pre register for Zoom Link

Pre Register by scanning QR code
OR emailing
shairston@onetreasureisland.org





Presented By:



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Join us for this fun & interactive financial workshop about savings

**I can't afford to save
I don't know how to save
I do not make enough money to save
Is this you or someone you know?**

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<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/8472500978>

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Complete the Aspiration Survey at the end of the presentation, you enter to win a Target gift card. We will select 3 winners from those who complete the survey.



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April is Financial Literacy Month

10 Financial Goals to Consider this month...

1. Create a monthly budget (*This is the first step in taking control of your finances*)
2. Keep track of spending (*Just by writing down every penny you spend helps you see physically where your money is going*)
3. Stick to your budget each month (*this is a tough goal however carefully tracking and sticking to your budget each month helps you spend less and save more*)
4. Reduce debt where necessary (*Identify a specific debt you want to get rid of this year and set an attainable goal to accomplish it*)
5. Don't add any new debt this year (*This goal is key if you are serious about being debt free*)
6. Start an emergency fund (*One should have at least 3 months of savings for emergency. However, just starting out now, you should save base on your current situation*)
7. Start saving for retirement (*start a 401k or open an IRA account if you don't have one*)
8. Better your career (*either by advancing within the company or by changing career*)
9. Set up a long- term financial plan (*This should address all aspects of your finances ie: purchasing a house, changing career and retirement*)
10. Cut spending in at least 2 areas of your budget (*This is a goal you work on once you have created your budget. See what area needs to be reduced*)

At Treasure Island Homeless Development Initiative (TIHDI) we are committed to helping you reach your financial goals this year! Visit our website at www.tihdi.org and register for one or more financial workshops. Or stop by the Ship Shape Community Center and talk with one of our staff members.

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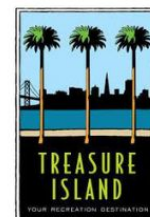
日期：5月13日星期六
下午12時至4時

地點：草地
Gateview 和碼頭



活動：

- 嘻哈健班
- 搖動自行車奶昔機
- 畫面譜
- 跳彈屋
- 理解聯邦醫療保險 Aetna 主持
- 音樂
- 母親節特別禮物
- 島上合作伙伴售賣攤
- 食物車
- 遊戲，活動等等
- 神奇牙齒巴士





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Abriles Mes de Educación Financiera

10 Metas Financieras a Considerar este mes...

1. Crear un presupuesto mensual (*Este es el primer paso para tomar control de sus finanzas*)
2. Llevar cuenta de gastos (*Con sólo escribir cada centavo que gasta ayuda a ver dónde va su dinero físicamente*)
3. Apéguese a su Presupuesto cada mes (*Esta es una meta difícil, sin embargo, llevar cuentas cuidadosamente y apegarse a su presupuesto mensual ayuda a gastar menos y ahorrar más*)
4. Reduzca deudas donde sea necesario (*Identifique una deuda específica de la que quiera deshacerse este año e impóngase metas alcanzables para lograrlo*)
5. No agregue ninguna deuda nueva este año (*Esta meta es clave si de verdad quiere salir de deudas*)
6. Inicie un fondo de emergencia (*Uno debería tener al menos 3 meses en ahorros para emergencias. Sin embargo, sólo para empezar ahora, debería ahorrar basado en su situación actual*)
7. Inicie ahorros para el retiro (*Inicie un 401k o abra una cuenta IRA si no tiene una*)
8. Mejore su carrera (*Ya sea avanzando dentro de la compañía o cambiando carrera*)
9. Estipule un plan financiero a largo plazo (*Este debería incluir todos los aspectos de sus finanzas ej.: compra de casa, cambiar de carrera y retiro*)
10. Reduzca gastos en al menos 2 áreas de su presupuesto (*Esta es una meta en la que se trabaja una vez se ha creado su presupuesto. Observe que área necesita ser reducida*)

¡En Treasure Island Homeless Development Initiative (TIHDI) estamos comprometidos a ayudarle a alcanzar sus metas financieras este año! Visite nuestro sitio web www.tihdi.org and regístrese en uno o más de nuestros talleres financieros. O venga al Ship Shape Centro Comunitario y hable con uno de nuestros miembros del personal.

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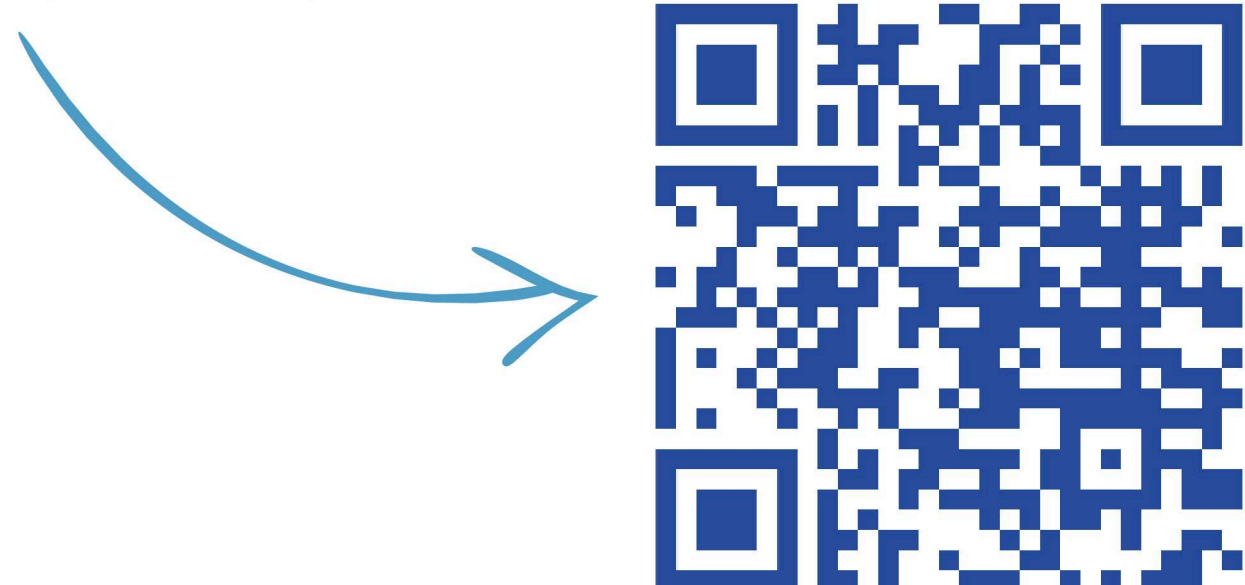
Help re-imagine the future of ferry service!



Take this 5-minute survey for a chance to win a \$50 clipper card or other prizes.

San Francisco Bay Ferry continues working to finalize a Ferry Service Vision for the year 2050.

Provide feedback to help shape the future of water transit!



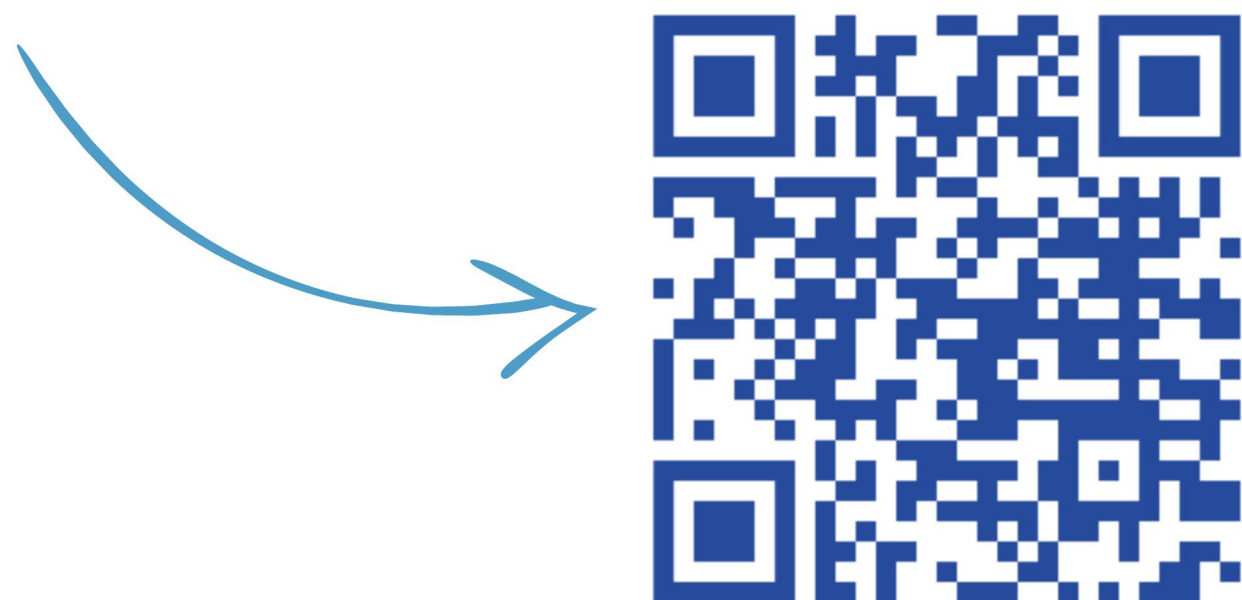
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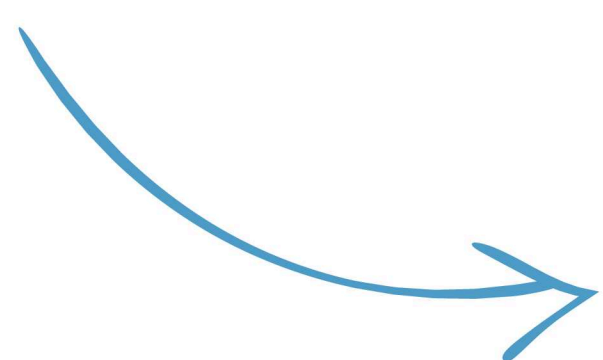
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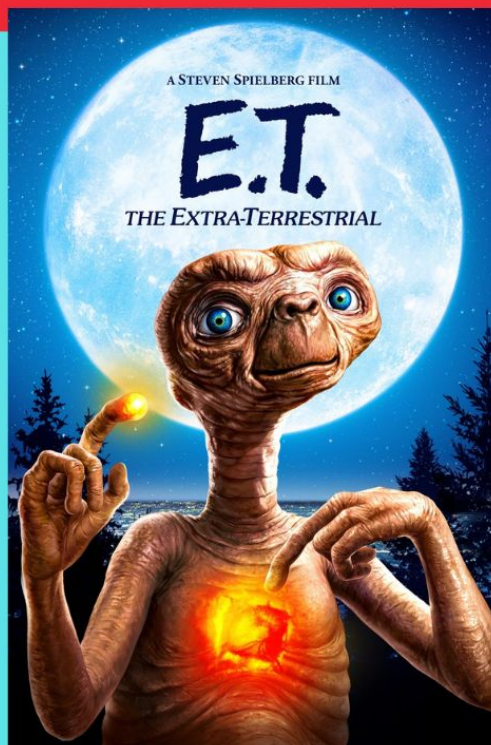
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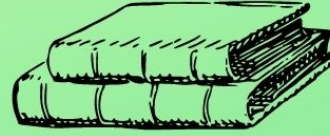
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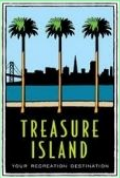
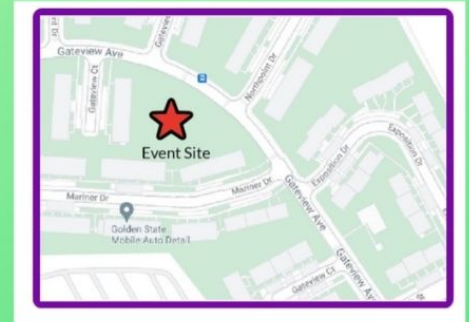
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Last piece of remade Bay Bridge expands access to Yerba Buena, Treasure Island

PETE YOUNG Bay City News Service

The last piece of the massive Bay Bridge reconstruction will open Sunday, almost 10 years after the main span bearing Interstate 80 began carrying traffic.

The new eastbound off-ramp to Yerba Buena Island will increase access to Treasure Island, where San Francisco officials hope to develop thousands of new homes, retail and commercial space, and hotel rooms. City plans have touted Treasure Island as San Francisco's newest emerging neighborhood.

"It's a much better connection to the island," said Bart Ney, a spokesman for Caltrans. "There's all kinds of development."

The ramp exits the lower deck of the Bay Bridge in the far-right lane just past the tunnel. It replaces an existing eastbound offramp on the far-left lane, which will stay open for several weeks to give motorists time to adjust, Caltrans said.

From a highway design perspective, Ney said, "It's improved geometry from what it was." Trucks and buses have been known to get stuck in the tight turns of the existing offramp.

The new ramp is better, but still tight -- "There just isn't a lot of real estate to play with out there," Ney said. It is intended to improve safety by separating traffic merging onto the bridge.

Caltrans has chosen to open the \$100 million exit at 7 a.m., taking advantage of reduced traffic.

The original alignment of the ramp was closed almost 20 years ago to accommodate work on Treasure Island's Southgate Road, which is now complete.

Yerba Buena and Treasure Island are about halfway between San Francisco and Oakland. The two are commonly confused. Yerba Buena is a hilly, natural island, while Treasure Island is larger, manmade and flat, created in the 1930s.

Treasure Island was first used as the site of the Golden Gate International Exposition that opened in 1939. It was converted to a Navy base during World War II. Most of Yerba Buena Island is a U.S. Coast Guard station. The islands are linked by a causeway.

"It's got a great history," Ney said. "It looks like it's going to have a great future."

There's a mansion hidden directly under the Bay Bridge



[Katie Dowd](#), SFGATE, May 3, 2023

As tens of thousands of drivers zip — or sometimes crawl — over the Bay Bridge every day, a forgotten mansion rests directly below them. The three-story white home, impossible to see from the bridge, was once the last residence of America's greatest modern admiral. And, for a while, it was the historic roadblock in the way of the Bay Bridge's new span.

Quarters 1 was built on Yerba Buena Island in 1900 as part of the only U.S. Navy training station on the West Coast. It was home to the commander of the base and crafted to be appropriately opulent. Large windows framed expansive views of the bay and the East Bay hills beyond and filled the elegant foyer with light. There were plenty of bedrooms and bathrooms, plus a study, spread over its nearly 6,000 square feet.

Some of the Navy's highest-ranking officers came and went as residents, including one unfortunate admiral whose entire collection of dress pants went up in flames during a small house fire in 1934. "Admiral Senn dispatched the remnants of his once regal wardrobe to the cleaners, but, try as they did, they couldn't restore the garments to ship-shape form," the San Francisco Examiner reported.



California Governor James Rolph Jr., Former US President Herbert Hoover, and San Francisco Mayor Angelo Joseph Rossi stand in front of the Admiral's residence on Yerba Buena Island during the San Francisco Bay Bridge ground breaking on July 9, 1933.

After World War II, Quarters 1's most famous occupant moved in: Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz. Nimitz was appointed to take command of the Pacific fleet days after the attack on Pearl Harbor. His exploits in the Pacific Theater made him a household name around the world and helped the United States triumph in what felt like an unwinnable war of attrition on the way to Japan.

In 1947, at the age of 62, Nimitz announced he was retiring as the country's chief of naval operations. He told the press he wanted to live out his golden years as a "babysitter" for his grandchildren, but he did keep an office on Treasure Island in his capacity as a special adviser to the secretary of the Navy. Quarters 1 was also his, and its name soon became Nimitz House.

After a lifetime of war, Nimitz relished the peace and quiet of retirement. He split his time between a home in the Berkeley hills and Nimitz House. By 1963, he was living full time on Yerba Buena Island, preferring its proximity to his office and to his beloved San Francisco Symphony. He repeatedly turned down interview requests on birthdays, much to the annoyance of the local press. "Few American heroes have ever planned a quieter birthday," the Oakland Tribune opined in February 1964.



"Admiral Nimitz has quietly but firmly turned down all requests for interviews," the paper added, "and is expected to spend most of the day at his quarters on Yerba Buena Island."

He did receive some very excited visitors that day, however. He'd made friends with the pupils at nearby Yerba Buena Elementary School. One Valentine's Day, he'd sent them candy — which their teacher said made them very sticky — and the children made him valentines in return. At Christmas, they came to his door to sing carols. For his 79th birthday, 19 little students, plus their teacher Ms. MacIntyre, walked over to Nimitz's house with a birthday surprise: a book about the San Francisco Bay and a handmade card with a poem.

Five-year-old Steven was asked by the Examiner to recite the poem the children had composed for the great war hero. He could only remember one line: "We hope you enjoy the book we sent, it will not get bent."

"It wasn't exactly great poetry," Ms. MacIntyre admitted. "I let them write what they wanted to write. I guess you'd say it came from their hearts."

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Two years later, Nimitz suffered a stroke. He died in the Yerba Buena mansion, surrounded by family, a few days shy of his 81st birthday. All air traffic had to be paused at SFO to allow for 70 jets to stream overhead during his funeral at Golden Gate National Cemetery.

Decades passed, and the Navy announced it was pulling out of Treasure Island for good in the 1990s. Mayor Willie Brown's office contemplated turning Nimitz House into the city's "official residence" after the last rear admiral moved out.

"The mayor wouldn't actually live there. It would be more a ceremonial residence, perhaps a sort of Camp David," a spokesperson from Brown's office said.

Instead, at least for a time, Nimitz House became an event venue. The city rented it out for \$500 — not a bad value for one of the most historic and scenic homes in the Bay Area. But its days as a party spot were short. After the catastrophic collapse of the Bay Bridge during the Loma Prieta earthquake, everyone agreed the aging bridge needed an upgrade, although for more than a decade, no one could quite agree on how to do that.



In 1998, the feud between the Navy, which still owned Yerba Buena Island, and Brown went public. Navy officials expressed frustration that the new eastern span would flow directly over Nimitz House and the nearby historic residences of other officers. A Navy aide called the plan "devastating."

"This particular parcel of property is truly valuable," the aide told the Examiner.

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Animosity over the fate of Nimitz House was so intense that, at one point, the Navy prohibited Caltrans engineers from stepping foot near the property. But in 2000, the stalemate was finally broken; the federal government transferred the parcel, including Nimitz House, to the state of California, “effectively removing the Navy’s only bargaining chip,” the Los Angeles Times reported. On Sept. 2, 2013, the new eastern span of the Bay Bridge opened directly above the once-regal homes of admirals and officers.

What the Navy feared has come to pass. The mansion’s bright white siding is turning dull and black from car exhaust. A fan flops from the porch ceiling like a dying tulip dropping its petals. Inside, the stunning receiving room still looks bright and cheery, although the loud hum of commuters has all but destroyed its potential as a wedding venue.

Around the house, the hedges are neatly trimmed and a few determined trees shake off the last of their spring buds. Signs erected, probably by the nearby Coast Guard station, warn trespassers to stay out.

Below the constant din of traffic, Nimitz House quietly fades.

Treasure Island gets an SF Public Library Branch, which is basically a kiosk

By [Joe Kukura](#) - Published on April 26, 2023.



If you take the new [\\$5 Treasure Island Ferry](#) you will notice there are a lot of beautiful views on Treasure Island. But there's not much *to do* on Treasure Island. And that's a problem for the people who live there. But Bay Area News Group reports some small progress, as the San Francisco Public Library has [opened a tiny branch on Treasure Island](#).

Though it's not really a branch so much as what the news group calls "a vending machine similar to the type that dispenses Hostess Twinkies, only this one's full of books.." The SF Public Library prefers to call it a "[book kiosk](#)."

"The SFPL Book Stop is the very first book kiosk of its kind in San Francisco. Our mission is to ensure that every San Franciscan has access to books and the joy of reading. The SFPL Book Stop helps bring us one step further in that direction," city librarian Michael Lambert [said in a release](#). "We really couldn't ask for a better location than the Island Cove Market, a beloved community hub on Treasure Island."

The book kiosk can be found outside the [Island Cove Market](#), a convenience market that also serves fresh burgers, at 800 Avenue H on Treasure Island.

An SFPL library card is required to use the book kiosk. It's open during Island Cove Food hours, 9 a.m.-9 p.m. daily.

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He Spent 20 Years Trying To Build Up Treasure Island. Now Darius Anderson's Stake May Be Worth Nothing

Written by [Matt Smith](#) Updated at Apr. 21, 2023 • 3:12pm

Treasure Island, a 400-acre former military base with stunning views of Downtown San Francisco, has long been considered a dream site for high-rise development in a city desperate to add more housing.

And Darius Anderson, a lobbyist, political fundraiser and entrepreneur, has been involved in that dream from the beginning. After the base closed in 1997, he formed a bidding consortium stacked with Democratic Party power players that won development rights to build up to 8,000 apartments there. And he persevered through years of delays involving radioactive waste, economic downturns and Covid. Today, rebar and concrete is being formed into high-rise apartment buildings.

But a pair of dueling lawsuits, both filed this month, suggest that he could end up with little or nothing for his efforts.

According to court filings from Anderson's financial backers Stockbridge Capital Group LLC and Wilson Meany, Anderson sold some interest in the project for a \$6.5 million payment in 2005, and under that deal, his potential earnings were tied to the other investors first making their share.

Internal profit estimates made in 2016 and in 2019 showed Anderson's stake in the multibillion-dollar project had "substantial value," the lawsuit said, without revealing precisely how much it had been worth.

But in a meeting held in February 2021, Anderson was informed that his stake "had no value," thanks to delays related to the coronavirus lockdowns, the financial backers claimed in their suit.

This means that Anderson must sell his interest for an unspecified fire-sale price to his investors, the suit says.



Public access to parts of Treasure Island, including a portion behind this fence, is restricted due to radiation concerns. | Lea Suzuki/The San Francisco Chronicle via Getty Images

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Anderson, through his company Kenwood Investments, sued his backers on the same day, April 4, disputing these claims. Through a spokesman, he told The Standard that they are fraudulent. At the same time as claiming his stake was worthless, those same financial backers have been trying to sell Treasure Island as a rosy investment opportunity to outsiders, Anderson says.

Stockbridge and Wilson Meany say in their suit that Anderson's assertions are based on a misreading of financial records.

An open financial brawl over whether Treasure Island is an economic flop could hurt prospects for new funding and create additional delays. Already, Wilson Meany and Stockbridge say in court papers they have made multiple attempts to obtain fresh financing, and to sell rights to additional investors, receiving "tepid reception."

"Over recent years, nearly every financial input in the financial return equation for Treasure Island has been going in the wrong direction: costs have increased, timing of land sales and bond offerings have been delayed even further, and revenue expectations have declined," the Stockbridge suit said.

The Standard asked both Stockbridge, and Anderson, to provide financial information backing their claims. Total potential costs for the project have been estimated [at more than \\$5 billion](#).

A spokesman for Anderson said that financial information that might corroborate his claims is confidential.

A spokesman for Treasure Island Community Development, a partnership with Stockbridge, Wilson Meany and Lennar Corporation, responded with an emailed statement.

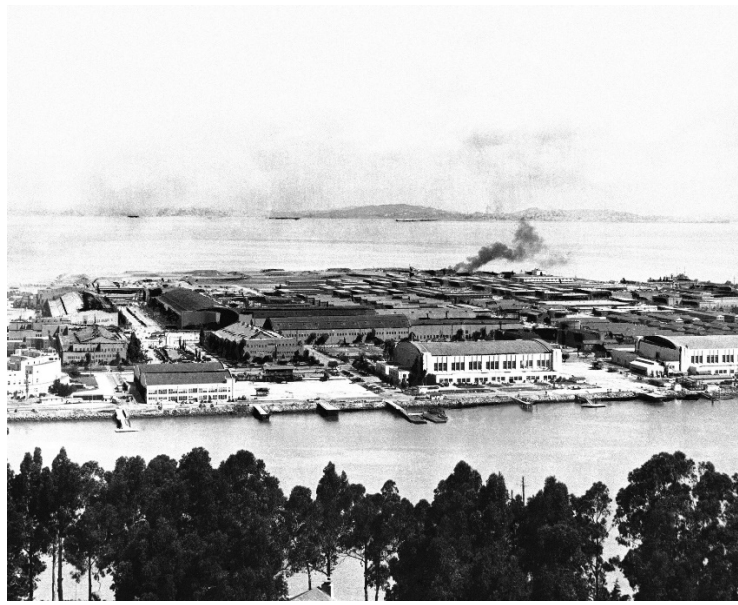
"This is a dispute involving the distribution and allocation of any future profits from the venture. It shouldn't surprise anyone that this project, like most in the Bay Area, is taking longer than originally expected. But as far as this dispute goes, it's simply a disagreement among investors, and we expect to resolve it without impact on the development itself," the statement said.

[Sewers, Sidewalks and Rebar](#)

Infrastructure investments are already in the ground for the planned first phase of 2,100 apartments, evidenced by rebar and cement rising before the eyes of Bay Bridge commuters.

Last year, Anderson's group completed [a six-story building](#) on Yerba Buena Island, the outcropping that geologically anchors Treasure Island. The Bristol, built in 2021, contains 124 apartments selling for between \$800,000 and \$3 million.

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Treasure Island on Dec. 2, 1946 | AP Photo

Northward on the flat landfill heptagon that is Treasure Island, builders have completed roads, electricity installations, building pads and mini-dike-like reinforcements [meant to keep rising seas away from the man-made island](#), which was built by filling in a shoal with dirt and rocks in the 1930s.

The nonprofit developers Swords to Plowshares and the Chinatown Community Development Center have finished [a subsidized building called Maceo May](#) containing 105 apartments slated for military veterans, with a grand opening scheduled for May 18. Mercy Housing and Catholic Charities have broken ground on a 138-unit building with plans for having residents move in by the middle of next year.

[Bidding Process Raised Concerns From the Start](#)

The Navy's exit from Treasure Island was at first envisioned as a golden opportunity—for city residents, and for any investors who managed to get permits to build there. Ideas floated in those days included casinos and power plants, but ultimately, only two groups made official proposals.

One was led by Anderson, a lobbyist and fundraiser who had been a factotum for billionaire Democratic Party donor Ron Burkle. Anderson's group also included Burkle, an employee of Anderson's lobbying firm and a Beverly Hills financial advisor. Together, they brought in Florida-based builder Lennar Corporation, and investment firms Stockbridge Capital Partners and Wilson Meany.

The group competing against Anderson's was led by a local lawyer, and was controlled by a self-styled Native American entrepreneur who was later fined for unrelated securities fraud, according to a [consultant's analysis](#) of competing bids and separate [litigation filings](#).

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Tony Hall speaks at the San Francisco Mayoral Candidates Forum at the Fillmore on Oct. 3, 2011. | Steve Jennings/WireImage/Getty Images

From the beginning, the development was fraught with criticism. Investigative reporters at the San Francisco Chronicle cited the city's reliance on Democratic fundraisers for the city's most important housing development as a purported example of then-Mayor Willie Brown's [insider-first style of politics](#). Good government watchdogs [condemned the contracting process](#) as a giveaway to cronies.

According to Tony Hall, who led the Treasure Island Development Authority during 2004 and 2005, the authority's 2003 decision to award the contract to Anderson's group had never been in doubt.



Willie Brown laughs during a ceremony on Treasure Island to dedicate the renaming of the western Bay Bridge span after him on Feb. 11, 2014. | Paul Chinn/The San Francisco Chronicle via Getty Images

Hall himself was appointed by Brown's protégé and mayoral successor, Gavin Newsom, in a move publicly derided as an effort to put a loyalist in charge. But once at the helm overseeing the Treasure Island development, Hall, formerly a member of the Board of Supervisors, quickly molted into an anti-corruption gadfly.

Development plans were "a farce and a comedy," he said in an interview, suggesting political leaders overstated the project's viability for political reasons. "It's something to sell to the public: 'Look at what we're doing.'"

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Aaron Peskin joined the San Francisco Board of Supervisors in 2001 as an anti-development opponent of then-Mayor Brown, and made a point of bird-dogging the Treasure Island project for years. He sees the current feud over whether the project makes economic sense for investors as the kind of wound that will heal with time.



Buildings are seen under construction on Treasure Island on Tuesday. | Paul Kuroda for The Standard

“Willie Brown was a mayor who was extremely ambitious and would tilt at all kinds of pie-in-the-sky windmills,” Peskin said. “Some of those took off. Some didn’t. What did he once say? With the Transbay Terminal, all he had to do was dig the hole, and eventually somebody would have to fill it. Two billion dollars later, we have the greatest local bus terminal since the building of the great pyramids. He tilted at a number of those long-term projects. He was interested in anybody who would try to put those things together. It just had to be people with the political acumen to sell a dream.”

Attorneys for Anderson, as well as his investment partners, are still in the process of serving each other court papers, according to the San Francisco Superior Court court docket.

While Stockbridge and Wilson Meany said in their lawsuit that they had been trying to market some of the remaining parcels to potential buyers, they have made visible progress building out the high-rise community planned for the island.

Already, completed and planned infrastructure on the island includes water reservoirs, a wastewater treatment plant, new roadways and underground utilities. Old military buildings have been demolished, and ferry service has been established at a terminal accompanying a marina constructed earlier by an Anderson-led consortium as a preliminary stage of the project.

The 250-unit, 22-story Tidal House is expected to be ready for occupancy next year. The 178-unit Hawkins building suffered setbacks as heavy rains soaked the underground pit dug in preparation for construction, a minor setback, Treasure Island director Robert Beck said in a January meeting.

Contractors began preparatory work on the 149-apartment Portico building in October, with a planned 117-unit building, and a planned 83-unit building, slated to begin construction next year.

Editor's note: This story has been updated with details of a 2005 deal between Anderson and his fellow investors.

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Bay Area wineries hosting fundraiser to help injured Ukrainians get prosthetic limbs

Tim Johns, Friday, April 21, 2023

SAN FRANCISCO (KGO) -- As thousands of Ukrainian soldiers and civilians suffer the consequences of war, two Bay Area wineries are doing their part to help those in need. On Saturday, Treasure Island Wines and Umbriaso Wines are partnering with a Minnesota-based company to raise funds to buy prosthetics for injured Ukrainians.

Eugene Sitenko never thought he would be here.

Thousands of miles away from his native [Ukraine](#), at a winery on San Francisco's Treasure Island.

But Eugene's journey to get here hasn't been easy.

For the past nine years, he's been fighting Russian aggression.

First against the invasion of Crimea, and then with the full-scale war that started in Ukraine last year.

With the help of a translator, we talked about his experiences.

"I stepped on a mine when we were clearing buildings," he said.

A moment that would cost Eugene his right leg back in 2014.

But still, he continued to fight on the front lines for years.

"My desire to win the war and my desire for my future children to live in a free country took over, so I was able to continue my fight," Eugene said.

For nearly a decade, Eugene assumed he would never be able to get his leg back.

That was until a couple of weeks ago, when a friend introduced him to the Protez Foundation - a Minnesota-based group that helps injured Ukrainian soldiers and civilians get prosthetic limbs.

"We focus on getting prosthetics to people, getting them on their feet faster because if people stay in bed for a long time, they become depressed," said Mykola Sarazhynskyy, of the Protez Foundation.

Since their founding last year, the Protez Foundation has helped around 70 people.

First by transferring them to the U.S. for medical attention, and then by taking them on trips around the country to help them recover from the traumas of war.

On one of those trips to the Bay Area back in January, the group stumbled upon Treasure Island Wines.

<https://abc7news.com/bay-area-wineries-ukraine-donate-prosthetics-help-ukrainians/13168000/>

The Ukrainian flag flying out front caught their attention.

"They said, hey this is great. And they knew they were going to be supported here," said Jim Mirowski.

Mirowski owns the winery.

He and another friend were so moved by the stories they heard that day, they decided to hold a fundraiser this Saturday to support the group.

"They're not just fighting for their country. They really are fighting for the future of Europe and democracy," Mirowski said.

The move has touched Eugene as well as others with the Protez Foundation.

And while they say the money raised will immediately go towards a good cause, the gratitude they feel will last forever.

"I want to thank them for letting me feel like home here. I can feel the warmth of their hearts," said Eugene.

To make a donation to Protez Foundation, visit [here](#).

Department of Public Health Opens 70 New Behavioral Health Beds as part of Expansion to Treat People with Serious Mental Health and Substance Use Issues

The new program is part of larger strategy to increase capacity for behavioral health care in the City

April 14, 2023

San Francisco, CA – Mayor London N. Breed and the San Francisco Department of Public Health (SFDPH) today announced the opening of a new 70-bed residential step-down program in Treasure Island. The addition of these new beds represents significant progress toward the City’s goal to provide new health care and treatment programs for people with mental health and substance use challenges.

“This new residential step-down program will help people with substance use disorder receive the follow-up care they need after receiving treatment,” **said Mayor London Breed**. “The program is part of our larger efforts to provide comprehensive substance use treatment for San Franciscans while also addressing conditions on our streets. We need to have resources across the entire spectrum of care, from engaging with people directly on the street to having these long-term beds to help people who have done the hard work through inpatient care.”

San Francisco has a robust network of behavioral health services. Adding these new beds to the City’s [existing 2,200 behavioral health beds](#) is part of SFDPH’s commitment to care for and treat people who struggle with mental health and substance use. Over the past two years, SFDPH has opened 250 additional residential care and treatment beds.

The additional 70 residential step-down beds will provide clients with transitional recovery housing for up to two years following completion of their residential treatment for substance use disorder. During their stay, these individuals will receive support while they participate in outpatient treatment and seek employment.

“We are making it easier for people to access care by increasing the number of beds and providing a range of options for care for substance use disorders,” **said Director of Health, Dr. Grant Colfax**. “Opening these beds is part of our department’s critical work to provide care for people during their journey to wellness and recovery.”

SFDPH is partnering with HealthRIGHT 360 to operate the new program at Treasure Island; the organization has already started accepting clients and the beds will be utilized over the course of the next several months.

"Step-down programs are a vital component of substance use disorder treatment for people who enter treatment without safe or stable housing," **said Dr. Vitka Eisen, CEO of HealthRIGHT 360**. "Having the ability to complete residential treatment and go to a step-down program for outpatient care helps

<https://sf.gov/news/department-public-health-opens-70-new-behavioral-health-beds-part-expansion-treat-people>

further stabilize clients with substance use disorder so they can build on a solid foundation of health and wellness. We are excited to partner with the City to offer this critical program."

"I know firsthand the importance of having a supportive and stable environment during the recovery process, and that's one of the reasons why I strongly support these new step-down beds on Treasure Island," **said District 6 Supervisor Matt Dorsey**. "These beds will provide a crucial bridge between inpatient care and returning to the community, offering a safe and structured environment where people can continue to receive the help and support they need to overcome their struggles and resume their everyday lives."

Increasing the number of behavioral health beds is a data driven plan based upon the City's [Behavioral Health Bed Optimization Report](#) released in 2020, the City's utilization data from ongoing data collection at [findtreatment-sf](#), and identified services gaps. SFDPH opened the 20-bed SoMa RISE Drug Sobering Center and the 75-bed Minna Project last year. Updates on San Francisco's expansion of behavioral health beds is available at <https://sf.gov/residential-care-and-treatment>.

"These beds represent a new chapter for people suffering from mental health and substance use disorders who have been unable to secure long term placements in supportive, recovery focused environments," **said District 8 Supervisor Rafael Mandelman**. "I hope the opening of this program will be a down payment on much larger expansions of long-term behavioral health placements at the local, regional, and state level."

"If we're going to successfully address the crisis on our streets, we need to fund wrap-around services that serve people on each step of their journey towards health and wellness," **said District 9 Supervisor Hillary Ronen**. "These 70 beds represent our city's commitment to caring for San Franciscans suffering from severe mental health and substance use disorders and brings us closer to a fully functioning Mental Health SF."

SFDPH provides a daily update of its available mental health and substance use treatment beds, which may be found here: www.findtreatmentsf.org.

‘I was spellbound’: Treasure Island sailing club lets kids get their feet wet

Bay Area residents jumped into kayaks and sailboats in San Francisco Bay for the nonprofit's annual open house

[Julie Johnson](#) April 15, 2023



The main sail of the fiberglass J/24 keelboat coursing through bay waters just off Treasure Island flitted in the wind with a nervousness that told 2016 Olympics mariner Caleb Paine what was coming next.

He pointed to dark choppy waters ahead, called for his novice passengers to scurry over to the windward side and began counting down: “Five, four, three, two”

With a snap, the sail filled like a massive lung, shooting the vessel forward, past a fleet of kayakers and cormorants ducking their heads below the surface. His passengers cheered.

“Nothing beats being on the water,” Paine called out.

San Francisco Bay is a roughly 500-square-mile ecosystem, a thoroughfare for commuter ferries and marine life where fresh water coming down from the Sierra and Pacific Ocean saltwater mix and swirl.



Sofia Morgan (left), 11; her dad, Thomas Morgan; sister, Olivia Morgan, 9, and mom, Asel Orunbaeva, of San Mateo, wait to take kayaks out from the Treasure Island Sailing Center on Saturday in San Francisco.

The bay can appear like a playground for the wealthy to landlubbers gazing out at those tipsy faraway white triangles sailing past Alcatraz Island.

But for 24 years, the Treasure Island Sailing Center has tried to shake that image and get more people onto the water. Through school and summer programs, the nonprofit brings roughly 3,000 children onto boats to learn this watery world is theirs, too.

“I was spellbound,” said Neerja Sundar, 29, marveling at the sea-level view of San Francisco’s stunning skyline as she paddled a kayak.

Saturday, the center hosted its annual open house, giving people free tours on sailboats or kayaks. Hundreds lined up by noon. Coast Guardsmen fitted children with free giveaway flotation vests. Sailing center volunteers zipped adults in loaner vests.

Volunteer Neha Bazaj — a sustainability nonprofit worker from Oakland who races a small dinghy called a Vanguard on weeknights — held a clipboard and a large stuffed unicorn left behind by a 3-year-old out on the water with her family for the first time. Bazaj, 34, caught the sailing bug while a student at UCLA, and on Saturday explained the difference between fleet racing and team racing — one involves “messaging with other boats” by taking advantage of wind patterns and other maneuvers, she said with a wink.



Olivia Morgan (right), 9, and her sister, Sofia Morgan, 11, look at sailboats from the Treasure Island Sailing Center. “I’m thinking there’s lots of water and I’m kind of scared to get on the boat,” Olivia said before her first kayak ride.

Toddler Bahia climbed out of a boat and up the plank to reclaim her unicorn. Her mother, Giza Anarbaeva, gasped at their “fantastic” sail, something she said they would not have done without this free experience.

The event was meant to bring people from throughout the Bay Area to a place they may not be able to go otherwise, said Doug Paine, the center’s executive director. The organization focuses on children from low-income communities for its school programs and offers scholarships during the summer.

The center’s teachers train children in critical water safety skills, like what to do when a sailboat capsizes. They also offer science lessons alongside basic sailing skills. Paine said the organization aims to imbue children with a sense that the world might be bigger with more opportunities than they thought before setting sail. And maybe a few, hopefully, will become lifelong mariners.

Malik Brown, 48, a mentor through nonprofit Friends of the Children, brought 11-year-old Jing Teng and his grandfather out on the water Saturday. Teng marveled at the vessel's below-deck quarters that "looked like a home." His grandfather, who introduced himself as Mr. Lui, said he used to sail decades ago on rivers where he grew up in China.



"We talked about (polluting) emissions and how this is a way to get around that doesn't use gasoline," Brown said.

El Cerrito third-grader Logan Toomey, 8, was excited to sail because he loves the Disney movie "Moana." His grandmother, Connie Farris, hadn't sailed in more than 10 years and missed being out on the water.

Stonly Blue, 38, stared out at the water holding his 15-month-old son, Sire. Blue had promised his wife he wouldn't take their toddler on a boat — not just yet — but couldn't resist the desire to come observe from the dock. So the pair set out Saturday morning, hopping on two buses to get from their San Francisco apartment to Treasure Island.

"I'm hoping he'll say the word 'boat,' " he said.

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