

# Senior Services

Coalition of Agencies Serving the Elderly  
Senior and Disability Action

# The Facts

- Seniors and adults with disabilities currently make up 25% of the city's population
- Approximately half of San Francisco's seniors have incomes below 50% AMI and cannot afford housing at market rates
- 16% of seniors have income below the federal poverty line (\$11,770 for a single household)
- 56% of SF residents age 60 or older lack basic economic security

# Funding Needed

- Rental subsidies for seniors and people with disabilities: \$1.5 million in continued funding and \$3 M in new funding
  - Prevent homelessness for at least 375 seniors and disabled people
- Legal services to prevent evictions of seniors and people with disabilities: \$2 million
  - Fund 16 eviction defense attorneys, provide needed support to seniors, often a target for eviction/buy-out
- Outreach and marketing campaign to promote senior and disability services: \$620,000
  - Make sure seniors and people with disabilities, especially isolated people, know about the array of services available

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- Behavioral health specialists at senior centers and other service locations: \$550,000
  - A half-time specialist for each of the 11 supervisorial districts
- Housing support staff at Aging and Disability Resource Centers: \$200,000
  - Will help address the growing housing needs of seniors
- Group vans for Adult Day Services: \$465,655
  - Will provide nearly 200,000 to the most at-risk seniors and people with disabilities to get to day programs
- One-time infrastructure support for senior centers, meal sites, computer labs, and villages: \$920,000
  - Will allow 46 sites to upgrade equipment to better serve people
- Restore and enhance village services to low-income and API members: \$50,000