



BAY OAKS, 4800 3RD STREET SAN FRANCISCO, CA

Creating a Cornerstone: Mixed-Use in Bayview

Client: SFHDC

Site Area: 24,000 S.F. / 0.2 acre

Density: 18 units - 90 DUA

Completion: November 2009

Construction est.: \$7.1M

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Bay Oaks is a 4-story, 18 unit, first time home buyer development with ground floor retail, located on a light rail line in the Bayview neighborhood of San Francisco, a mixed-use urban district. The site reclaims an urban corner on a long vacant lot in the Bayview Town Center and creates a vibrant cornerstone for the neighborhood. Bay Oaks acts as a safe, dense, community integrated development within a vibrant neighborhood, providing housing, retail, and community activities. All dwelling units have windows on at least two sides, providing cross-ventilation and daylight. An interior courtyard provides protected open space in this dense, urban neighborhood. The program includes 12 one-bedroom units, 6 two-bedroom units, 2,100 sq.ft. retail, 11 car parking garage, and a podium courtyard.

Design Features

- Urban infill, mixed-use
- Community display board along Third Street
- Angled bays focus views on downtown
- Use of metal shingle siding

Green Features

- Photovoltaics for on-site energy production
- Natural cross ventilation and daylight in every unit
- Materials- linoleum flooring, eco-colors, recycled carpet
- Transit Oriented Development adjacent to T-line, bike parking