

## **Connie Chan**

Meet the candidates, week 17: “How will you support seniors in District 1?”

Throughout my service on the board, I have collaborated with community organizations and residents to support services and initiatives for seniors. As budget chair, I led efforts to restore funding to food access for seniors, programs to support our most frail elderly, and housing subsidies to keep seniors in their homes. Earlier this year, I held a hearing concerning public safety support for Asian-American seniors and other vulnerable groups, including funding and resources for senior escort programs, victim services with cultural and language competency, and transit safety measures. I have convened hearings to address the safety and infrastructure of our Richmond Senior Center and I worked with Self Help for the Elderly, the SF Bicycle Coalition, and SFMTA to audit and advance pedestrian safety and accessibility on Geary Boulevard.

I'm also proud to have pushed for the development of 100% affordable senior housing at 4200 Geary.