

HUNTS POINT VISION PLAN

Dear Friend:

In the spring of 2003, we formed the Hunts Point Task Force to develop solutions for critical concerns in the Hunts Point peninsula. The Task Force included a diverse group of business owners, local constituents, elected officials and government agencies.

Over the course of a year, the group worked collaboratively to identify action items that promote a competitive business environment and sustainable community in Hunts Point. The end result—the Hunts Point Vision Plan—sets the development framework and implementation timeline for these action items. The Hunts Point of tomorrow will sustain a healthy residential community, thriving food industries, a vibrant cultural life, an accessible and attractive waterfront and a solid industrial district providing good job opportunities for local residents.

The Vision Plan builds upon discrete revitalization efforts on the Hunts Point peninsula and, more importantly, addresses the concerns of the Hunts Point community in a comprehensive and coordinated plan. We have focused our efforts on defining recommendations that can be implemented in the near term. By implementing the proposals in the Vision Plan, we will create the infrastructure that is necessary to support Hunts Point for the decades to come.

The Task Force has benefited greatly from the participation and advice of the entire Bronx delegation of elected officials. Their vision and capital investment will help ensure that the first year's implementation goals are met.

We look forward to continued collaboration with the Task Force, the Hunts Point community and local elected officials as we implement the Hunts Point Vision Plan.

Sincerely,



Michael R. Bloomberg
Mayor

