In 2004, the City and community released the Hunts Point Vision Plan, a set of recommendations developed by the Hunts Point Task Force for the future of the peninsula. Hunts Point is home to 12,000 residents, 18,000 workers, and one of the largest wholesale distribution campuses in the world. The release of the plan was followed by action, which delivered new parks, safer streets, thousands of new jobs, and improved air quality—progress that has been complemented by other City and community-driven projects advanced in recent years.

But, there is still much to be done. Today, the City and community are building on our partnership to develop a shared vision to guide the next 15 to 20 years of working together.

**Hunts Point: A Shared Vision**

**Progress To-Date and a Look Ahead, from the City and Hunts Point Community**

Expanding economic opportunity.

Improving quality of life.

Preserving what makes this area unique—its community, cultural vibrancy, and thriving industry.
Spofford Redevelopment, announced 2016

Barretto Point Park, opened 2006

Anheuser-Busch, opened 2009

HP Riverside Park, opened 2007

Fish Market, opened 2005

BankNote Rehab, completed 2009

Expanding affordable housing, industrial space, community amenities, and quality jobs

• Redeveloping the former Spofford Juvenile Detention Center into The Peninsula, a mixed-use campus with 740 permanently affordable housing units, open space, commercial and community facility space, and industrial jobs

• Committed $150 million across the Food Distribution Center in infrastructure investments to support a modern, resilient, and job-intensive campus

Enhancing resiliency and sustainability

• Committed $71 million to resiliency and sustainability, including:
  – Providing year-round energy and emergency back-up power to critical facilities in the Food Distribution Center
  – Implementing solar energy and storage at two local schools to provide year-round sustainable energy and allow the schools to serve as shelters during emergencies
  – Establishing resilient Wi-Fi networks to support local businesses
  – Committed $67 million to upgrade the Hunts Point Wastewater Treatment Plant and improve local air quality

• Partnering with local community groups to promote climate-related emergency preparedness through the “Be A Buddy” Program

Transportation infrastructure improvements

• Planning for a new Metro-North station at Hunts Point Avenue that will connect residents to Penn Station and Connecticut

• Planning for a new marine barge terminal as a part of FreightNYC to reduce truck miles traveled, create jobs, and improve air quality

Implementing Workforce Solutions to link residents to employment opportunities

• Opened the Hunts Point Workforce1 Career Center

• Connected over 4,000 residents of Hunts Point to employment opportunities through the Workforce1 System

The economic benefits of City and community investment in Hunts Point are real. Over the past two decades, the unemployment rate has dropped by over 50 percent, workforce participation has grown by almost 5 percent, and the number of residents with a high school degree or equivalency has risen by 15 percent. Further, over 1,000 new industrial jobs are being created.
Hunts Point Projects

2004 VISION PLAN

- HP Workforce1 Career Center opens
- Fish Market opens
- Barretto Point Park opens
- HP Riverside Park opens
- Zoning buffer implemented
- Anheuser-Busch opens
  - BankNote Rehab completed
- HP Landing opens
- Marine Transfer Station demolished
- Food Center Drive converted to 1-way
- A-B Connector opens
- Added 97 acres to Brownfield Clean Up

IN ADDITION TO THE 2004 VISION PLAN

- New York Organic Fertilizer Company closes
- Launched HP Clean Trucks
- Jetro opens
- Lafayette, Spofford, & Hunts Point Avenues upgraded
- HP Resiliency begins
- City commits $150M to Food Distribution Center
- Resilient Energy working group formed
- Tiffany Street Pier complete
- GrowNYC announced
- Resilient Energy Project launched
- Spofford Redevelopment announced
- Hunts Point Library announced
- New Metro-North Station announced
- Spofford demolition begins
- Baldor expansion begins
- Baldor expansion complete
- The Peninsula groundbreaking

2004
- Vision Plan
- In Addition to the 2004 Vision Plan
- South Bronx Greenway
- FDC Bus Route (Bx46)
“For more than 15 years, the Hunts Point Vision Plan has served as a working collaboration between the South Bronx and the City to plan for the long-term success of Hunts Point”

—Council Member Rafael Salamanca Jr. February 2020

What’s Next?

We want to hear from you. The City and NYCEDC are actively working with the community to shape a comprehensive strategy across current and future projects—an updated vision for Hunts Point.

We will continue to regularly update the community on past commitments and work together to develop new opportunities for the future.

Want to Be Involved?

To learn more about the past work or the current process, reach us at huntspointvisionplan@edc.nyc.

For more information about ongoing NYCEDC projects on the Hunts Point Peninsula, visit edc.nyc/HuntsPointVision.