

Traffic Calming Island Project
Intersection of Santa Ana, Portola, and San Anselmo
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The San Francisco Municipal Transit Authority (SFMTA) has drafted the initial design for our traffic calming island at the intersection of Santa Ana, Portola and San Anselmo (see design below).

Our SFMTA project manager plans to attend our annual meeting, January 9, 2018, to present the design and describe how it will reduce speeding and increase safety, both for drivers and pedestrians.

This channelization island was approved by SFMTA in December 2009, as documented in the SFMTA December 2009 St. Francis Wood Traffic Calming Project, but was not among the projects funded.

In April 2017, this project was finally funded through Supervisor Norman Yee's Participatory Budgeting program. He allocated \$250,000 to pedestrian safety projects for District 7. We submitted our petition to access those funds, *and because of your votes*, our proposal was funded. Our proposal received the largest number of votes of any proposal in the pedestrian safety category. Thank you again for your support!

Please plan attending our annual meeting, January 9, at 7:00 p.m., to learn more about our progress in increasing safety at this busy intersection.

