

69th Avenue

Safety

Improvement

Project



City of
Oakland

69th Ave: Background



BETHEL CHURCH

GUICE CHURCH

LOCKWOOD CAMPUS + MLK LIBRARY

ACTS CHURCH

LION CREEK HOUSING

- **School Zone**: home to several schools
- **Community Zone**: several churches and Lion Creek Crossing affordable housing development
 - 1,500 residents, mostly seniors and families
 - Senior biking group
- **Transit Connection**: 2 blocks from Coliseum BART
- Situated between two major streets International Ave and San Leandro Blvd

Project Goals

1. Prevent future crashes
2. Ensure the street is accessible
3. Make the street more inviting and delightful



Current Conditions



Attractors: housing, community programs, local market, schools, and bike corridor

No crosswalk

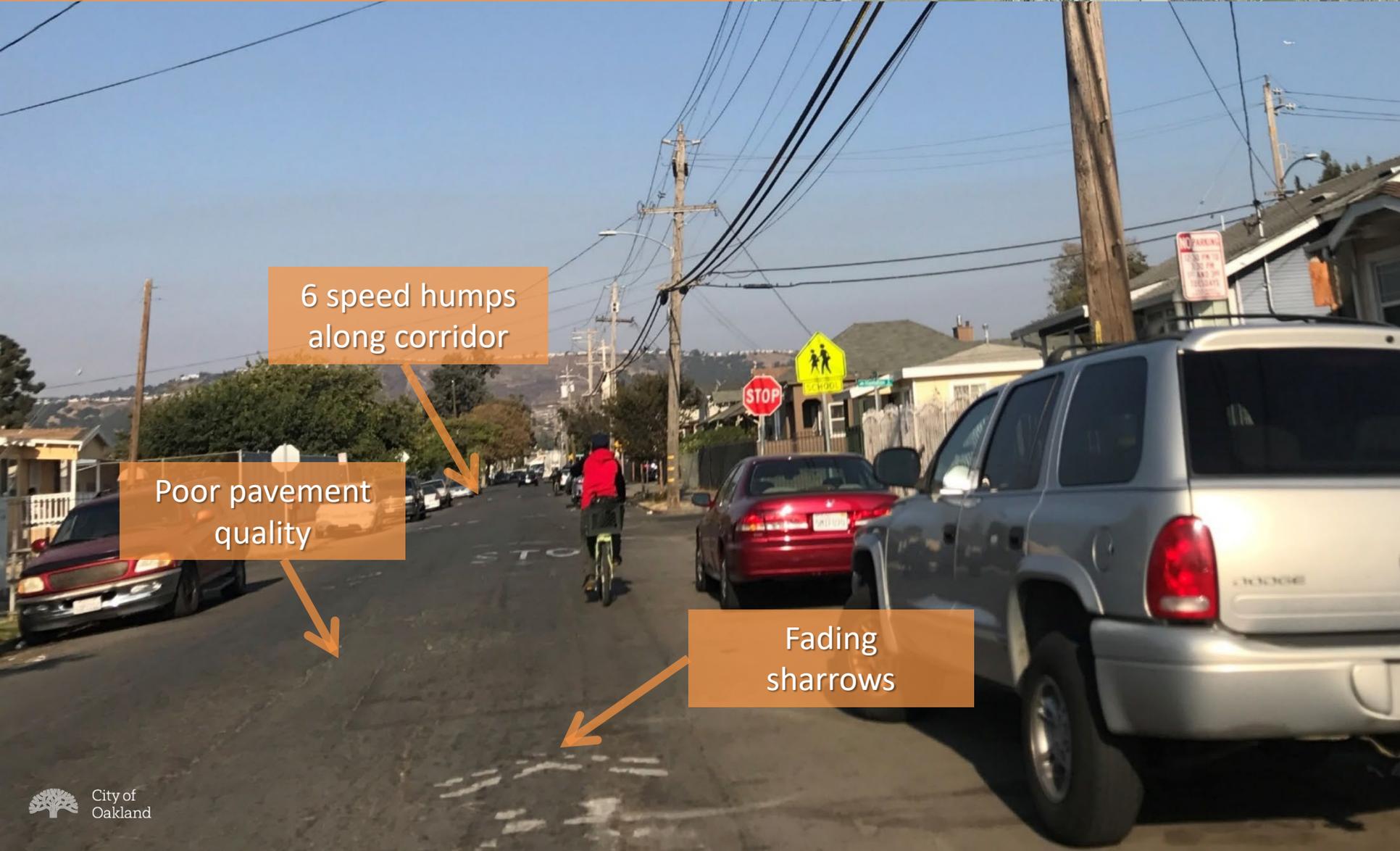
No traffic control

No crosswalk or signage

69th at Lion/Brentford

Many people walking and biking!

Current Conditions

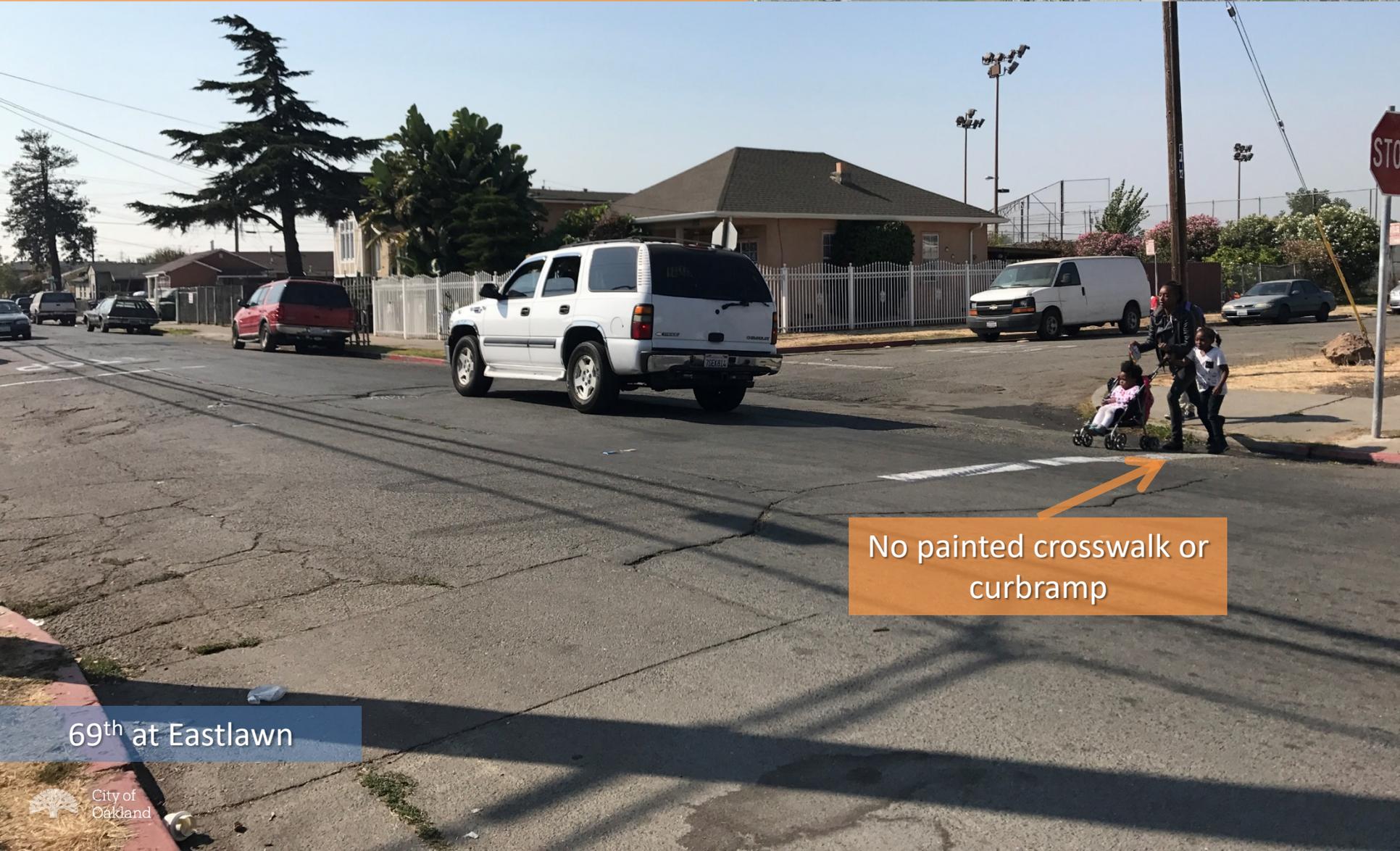


6 speed humps
along corridor

Poor pavement
quality

Fading
sharrows

Current Conditions



No painted crosswalk or curbramp

69th at Eastlawn

Current Conditions



No stop sign

Double-parking

Low-visibility
crosswalk

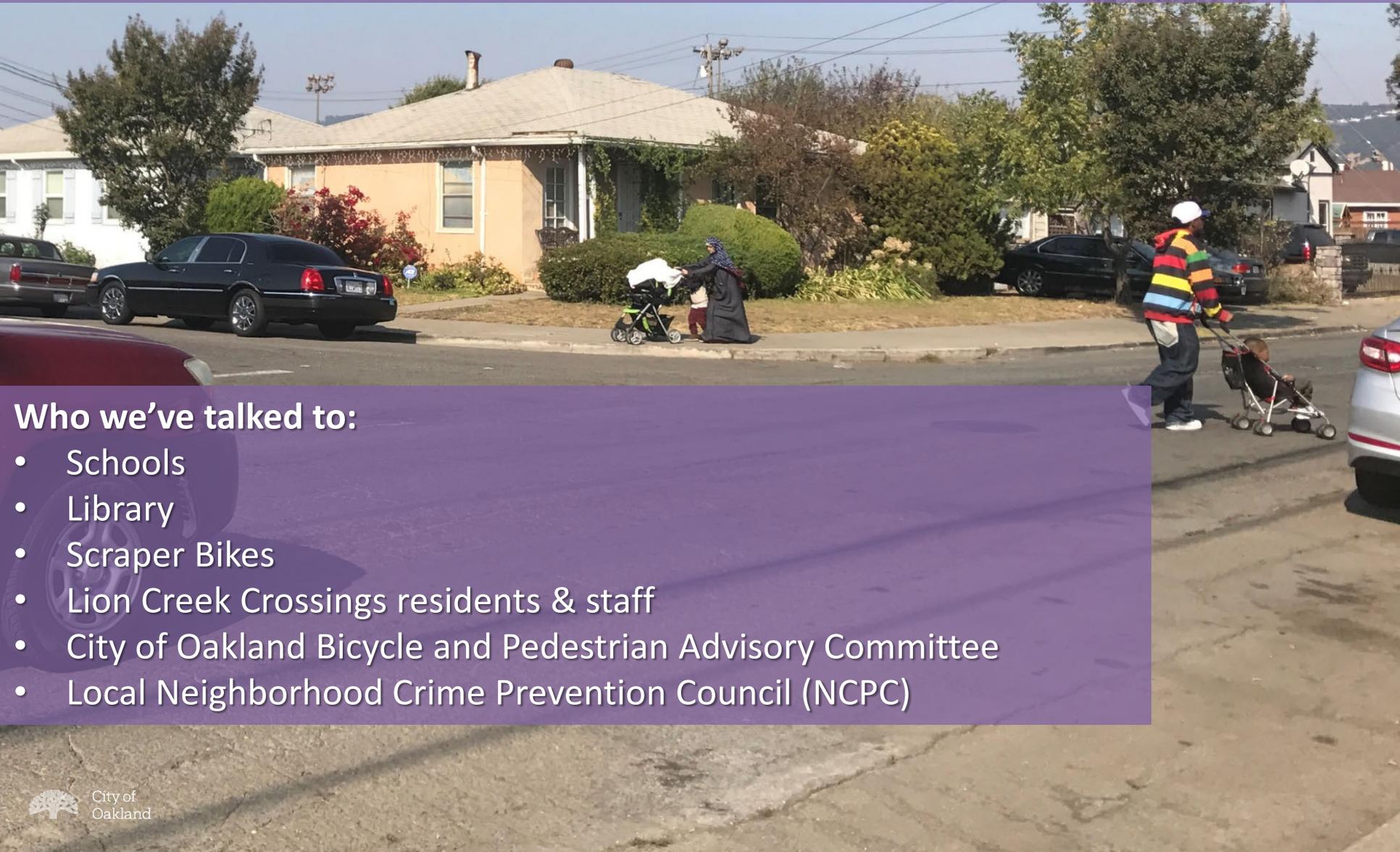
Children hidden
behind parked
cars

69th at Herbert Guice Way

A Safer 69th Ave

- OakDOT prioritizing this street for improvements delivered through our paving program
- Improvements coming in summer/fall 2020

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Who we've talked to:

- Schools
- Library
- Scaper Bikes
- Lion Creek Crossings residents & staff
- City of Oakland Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee
- Local Neighborhood Crime Prevention Council (NCPC)

Concerns we've heard:

- People avoid biking on 69th due to poor pavement quality
- Major bike **connection** to Coliseum BART
- Speeding cut-through traffic to BART/arenas makes street unsafe for bikes and pedestrians
- Crossing to Dallaq Market needs safety improvements
- Parents concerned with personal safety and traffic safety along the street
- Poor visibility during school drop off/pick up
- Fresh pavement could draw sideshows

Tools: Fresh Pavement



- Provides safer conditions for cyclist and motorists
- Looks better

Tools: Stop Signs

- Provides safer pedestrian crossing



Tools: Speed humps



- Reduces speed along corridor

Tools: Refreshed Sharrows

- Reinforces safe place for cyclists to travel
- Alert drivers to expect cyclists

Tools: New Crosswalks and Curb Ramps



- High-visibility crosswalks reduce crashes by 37-48%
- ADA-accessible curb ramps for wheelchair users and strollers

Additional Improvements:



- Loading zones for drop-off & pick-up at Lockwood on 69th

See Click Fix to Report Issues

1. Web: <https://seeclickfix.com/oakland>
2. Mobile App: See Click Fix
3. Phone: 311
4. Email: opwallcenter@oaklandnet.com

The screenshot shows the SeeClickFix website interface for Oakland, CA. At the top, the logo "SeeClickFix" is displayed in blue and orange, with navigation links for "Get the App", "Government", and "Learn More". On the right, there are icons for a user profile and a notification bell showing "26". Below the header, a blue banner features the text "Oakland, CA" with a "[Change location]" link. To the right of the banner are two buttons: "Follow this Place" and "Invite Neighbors". A dark blue navigation bar contains links for "Issues", "Answers", "Neighbors", and "Watch Areas", along with a "Report an Issue" button. A promotional banner below the navigation bar features a heart icon with a wrench, the text "Looking to get your government on SeeClickFix? Check the 'who's watching' section below to see who's already here!", and a "GET STARTED!" button. Below this is a search bar labeled "Search Issues..." with a search icon. The "ISSUES" section displays a list of reports, with the first one titled "Abandoned car on red zone" in blue and green text, marked as "Acknowledged". It includes a small image of a car, the address "8616 B Street Oakland, California", and the text "This car has been sitting here for weeks on the red no parking zone . might be stolen ? 37 minutes ago - Reported by ANDY - Flao". A "Share!" button is visible next to the issue. On the right side of the page, a map shows the San Francisco Bay Area with a red outline highlighting the Oakland area and several blue location pins.

For more information:
www.oaklandca.gov/projects/69th-ave-safety-improvements

