

1 [Ballot Argument]

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3 **Motion authorizing proponent's ballot argument in favor of Proposition D, a Charter**  
4 **Amendment regarding Energy Self-Sufficiency.**

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6 MOVED, That pursuant to Section 540 of the Municipal Elections Code, the Board of  
7 Supervisors does hereby authorize a ballot argument in favor of Proposition D, a Charter  
8 amendment (Second Draft) to amend Sections 4.112 and add a new Chapter 8B  
9 addressing Commission governance, goals and objectives related to energy, powers of the  
10 Commission related to energy, siting of energy facilities and rates for energy services. , (File  
11 021253); and, be it

12 FURTHER MOVED, That the full text of said argument hereby authorized be shown  
13 in the copy attached to this motion and is hereby declared to be a part hereof; and, be it

14 FURTHER MOVED, That the Director of Elections be and is hereby authorized and  
15 directed to include said argument in the pamphlet accompanying the sample ballots to be  
16 mailed to the voters of the City and County of San Francisco for the election to be held on  
17 Tuesday, November 5, 2002.

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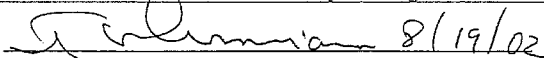
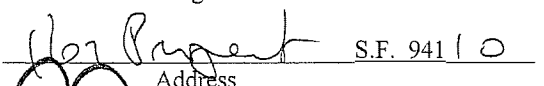
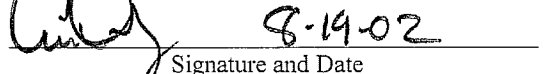
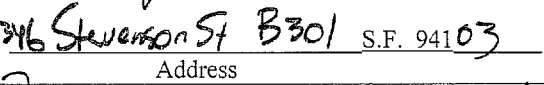
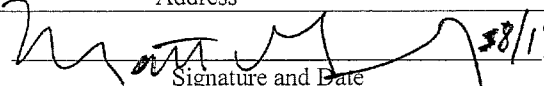
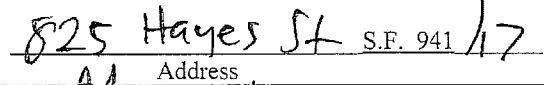
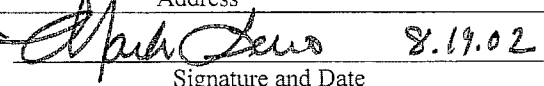
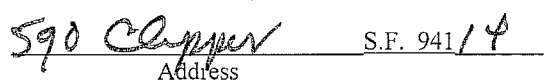
\*THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHOR(S) OF THIS BALLOT ARGUMENT   X   **FOR** or    **AGAINST** PROPOSITION   D   FOR THE ELECTION TO BE HELD IN SAN FRANCISCO ON NOVEMBER 5, 2002 HEREBY STATE THAT SUCH ARGUMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF HIS/HER/THEIR KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF. ALL SIGNERS OF THIS ARGUMENT MUST BE REGISTERED TO VOTE IN SAN FRANCISCO

Style Notes <i>B, I, or BI</i>	KEEP TEXT WITHIN THESE VERTICAL LINES	# of words in each line
	Proposition D will allow San Francisco to control its energy future, and to	12
	implement an energy plan to:	5
<b>B</b>	<b>CLOSE POLLUTING POWER PLANTS</b>	4
<b>B</b>	<b>ENSURE AFFORDABLE ELECTRICITY</b>	3
<b>B</b>	<b>PROVIDE CLEAN, RENEWABLE, AND RELIABLE ENERGY</b>	6
	The current energy market is broken.	6
	Financially troubled companies such as PG&E, Enron, and Mirant are unable to	12
	provide reliable, affordable, or clean energy to consumers. Electricity rates for	11
	businesses increased 40% last year. In San Francisco, we risk blackouts because	11
	of our reliance on old, inefficient power plants. These power plants are among	13
	the dirtiest in California, contributing to health and environmental problems.	10
	By passing Proposition D, San Francisco will join over 2,000 American cities	11
	that have chosen public control of their energy resources – and cheaper, cleaner,	12
	more reliable energy.	3
	Proposition D requires reasonable rates – and establishes a Rate Fairness Board	11
	to provide for just rates. It mandates closing the polluting Hunters Point Plant,	13
	and establishing renewable energy resources to meet 25% of San Francisco’s	10
	energy by 2010. It creates public control of our energy policies.	11
	Proposition D reforms the Public Utilities Commission by creating a new body	12
	with members appointed by the Mayor, Board of Supervisors, and the	11

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	Controller. Included in these appointments must be commissioners with	9
	backgrounds in utility management, consumer advocacy, and environmental	8
	justice.	1
	Through Proposition D, the City can develop generation projects to shut down	12
	polluting power plants and enter into contracts for energy services that serve the	13
	public interest. The City will also have the ability to acquire local transmission	13
	facilities, but only after completing a cost-benefit analysis and Controller	11
	certification that our rates will not increase.	7
B	<b>We need control of our energy resources: affordable electricity rates, clean</b>	11
B	<b>energy and the closure of polluting power plants. Join Supervisors</b>	10
B	<b>Ammiano, Daly, Gonzalez, Leno, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Peskin and</b>	8
	<b>Sandoval in voting Yes on Proposition D.</b>	7
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## Tails Motion

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**File Number:** 021394

**Date Passed:** August 19, 2002

Motion authorizing proponent's ballot argument in favor of Proposition D, a Charter Amendment regarding energy self-sufficiency.

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August 19, 2002 Board of Supervisors — AMENDED

Ayes: 11 - Ammiano, Daly, Gonzalez, Hall, Leno, Maxwell, McGoldrick,  
Newsom, Peskin, Sandoval, Yee

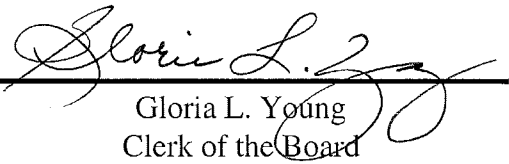
August 19, 2002 Board of Supervisors — APPROVED AS AMENDED

Ayes: 8 - Ammiano, Daly, Gonzalez, Leno, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Peskin,  
Sandoval

Noes: 3 - Hall, Newsom, Yee

File No. 021394

I hereby certify that the foregoing Motion  
was APPROVED AS AMENDED on August  
19, 2002 by the Board of Supervisors of the  
City and County of San Francisco.

  
Gloria L. Young  
Clerk of the Board