

City and County of San Francisco Meeting Minutes

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Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee

Members: Eric Mar, David Campos, Julie Christensen

Clerk: Erica Major (415) 554-4441

Thursday, December 3, 2015

2:00 PM

City Hall, Legislative Chamber, Room 250

Regular Meeting

Present: 3 - Eric Mar, David Campos, and Julie Christensen

ROLL CALL AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chair Eric Mar called the meeting to order at 2:06 p.m. On the call of the roll, Chair Mar, Vice Chair Campos, and Supervisor Christensen were noted present. There was a quorum.

AGENDA CHANGES

There were no agenda changes.

REGULAR AGENDA

150346 [Liquor License - 1504B Fillmore Street]

Hearing to consider that the issuance of a Type 42 on-sale beer and wine public premises license to Tat Cheung Lo for Level 2 Karaoke, located at 1504B Fillmore Street (District 5), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

03/27/15; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

04/07/15; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Police and Planning departments for review and approval.

06/10/15; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Planning Department recommends approval, per Planning Code, Sections 747.41 and 770.22.

10/07/15; RESPONSE RECEIVED.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Inspector Gigi George (Police Department); presented information concerning the matter and answered questions raised throughout the hearing. Male Speaker (Level 2 Karaoke); spoke in support of the hearing matter.

PREPARED IN COMMITTEE AS A RESOLUTION

Resolution determining that the issuance of a Type 42 on-sale beer and wine public premises license to Tat Cheung Lo for Level 2 Karaoke, located at 1504B Fillmore Street (District 5), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco, in accordance with California Business and Professions Code, Section 23958.4, and recommending that the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control impose conditions on the issuance of the license. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

Supervisor Christensen, seconded by Supervisor Campos, moved that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED... The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Mar, Campos, Christensen

150981 [Hearing - Pacific Gas and Electric Company Transformers] Sponsor: Campos

Hearing on measures to ensure public safety around Pacific Gas and Electric (PG&E) Company Transformers citywide; and requesting the Fire Department to report.

09/29/15; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

11/04/15; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Department, Public Works, and the Fire Department for informational purposes and requesting the various departments to report.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Ontario Smith, Sr. Government Relations Representative, and Barry Anderson, Vice President of Emergency Preparedness and Operations (PG&E); Fadi Daye, Program and Project Supervisor of Electric and Communications Facility Safety Section (California Public Utilities Commission); Deputy Chief Mark Gonzales, and Battalion Chief Jack Cremen (Fire Department); presented information concerning the matter and answered questions raised throughout the hearing. Bruce Livingston; spoke on various concerns relating to the hearing matter.

Supervisor Campos moved that this Hearing be FILED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Mar, Campos, Christensen

150749 [Hearing - Non-Traditional Alcohol Retailers]

Sponsors: Mar; Yee and Kim

Hearing to examine the issue of granting liquor licenses to non-traditional alcohol retailers in San Francisco.

07/07/15; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

07/21/15; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Police and Planning departments for informational purposes.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Lieutenant David Falzon, ABC Liaison Unit (Police Department); Pedro Vidal Torres, Director of Operations and Prevention (Center for Open Recovery); Patricia Barahona, Senior Director of San Francisco Programs (Youth Leadership Institute); Judith Martin, MD (Department of Public Health); Laura Schmidt, PhD, Professor (UCSF); Joselyn Kane, Executive Director (Entertainment Commission); presented information concerning the matter and answered questions raised throughout the hearing. David Serrano (Hospital Council of Northern and Central California); Jamar Kittling; Ahn Nguyen (Tenderloin Economic Development Project); Crystal Huang; Stephen Tennis; Michael Cameron; Bruce Livingston; Christopher Do (Beacon Residential Community Association); Greg Moore (San Francisco Living Room); Oscar Grados (San Francisco Youth Coalition); Mariam Zouzounis, Commissioner (Small Business Commission); Scott Romyns; Female Speaker; Male Speaker; Young Chiu; Kimberly Londt (Beacon Residential Community Association); S.G. Ellison; Female Speaker; Liana Fong; Edson; spoke on various concerns relating to the hearing matter.

Supervisor Campos was noted absent at 3:47 p.m. and again present at 3:54 p.m.

CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Mar, Campos, Christensen

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the Committee adjourned at 5:02 p.m.

N.B. The Minutes of this meeting set forth all actions taken by the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee on the matters stated but not necessarily in the chronological sequence in which the matters were taken up.