

City and County of San Francisco Meeting Agenda

City Hall
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Rules Committee

Members: Hillary Ronen, Shamann Walton, Gordon Mar

Clerk: Victor Young (415) 554-7723

Monday, October 7, 2019

10:00 AM

City Hall, Committee Room 263

Regular Meeting

ROLL CALL AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

AGENDA CHANGES

REGULAR AGENDA

1. 190899 [Administrative Code - Compliance with Right to Return for Temporarily Displaced Tenants]

Sponsors: Peskin; Brown and Walton

Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to clarify that temporary evictions for capital improvements are intended to cover work that would make the unit hazardous, unhealthy, and/or uninhabitable, and are intended to last for the minimum amount of time required to complete the work; modify the standards that the Rent Board must consider when reviewing a request to authorize a temporary eviction for capital improvements to last more than three months; establish procedures for the landlord to inform the displaced tenant of the tenant's right to reoccupy the unit upon completion of the work; and establish that a landlord's failure to timely allow the tenant to reoccupy the unit may create a rebuttable presumption that the tenancy has been terminated by the landlord rather than by the tenant.

9/3/19; ASSIGNED to the Rules Committee.

9/11/19; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT.

9/23/19; AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING NEW TITLE.

9/23/19; CONTINUED AS AMENDED.

9/30/19: DUPLICATED.

9/30/19; AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING NEW TITLE.

9/30/19; CONTINUED AS AMENDED.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to refer this item to the full Board as a Committee Report for consideration on October 8, 2019.

2. 190677 [Appointme

[Appointments, Urban Forestry Council]

Hearing to consider appointing seven members, terms ending November 18, 2020, to the Urban Forestry Council. (Clerk of the Board)

Seat 1, succeeding J. Malcolm Hillan, term expired, must represent an educational organization involved with tree management (University of California Cooperative Extension, etc.), for the unexpired portion of a two-year term ending November 18, 2020.

Seat 2, succeeding Andrew Sullivan, term expired, must be certified by a professional tree management organization (International Society of Arboriculture, American Society of Consulting Arborists, or American Society of Landscape Architects), for the unexpired portion of a two-year term ending November 18, 2020.

Vacant Seat 3, succeeding Dan Kida, term expired, must be certified by a professional tree management organization (International Society of Arboriculture, American Society of Consulting Arborists, or American Society of Landscape Architects), for the unexpired portion of a two-year term ending November 18, 2020.

Seat 4, succeeding Dan Flanagan, term expired, must be a member of a non-profit organization involved in urban forestry or other environmentally-related issues, for the unexpired portion of a two-year term ending November 18, 2020.

Seat 5, succeeding Meg Lowman, term expired, must be a member of a non-profit organization involved in urban forestry or other environmentally-related issues, for the unexpired portion of a two-year term ending November 18, 2020.

Seat 6, succeeding Michael Sullivan, term expired, must be a representative of the community, for the unexpired portion of a two-year term ending November 18, 2020.

Seat 7, succeeding Phillip Pierce, term expired, must be a representative of the community, for the unexpired portion of a two-year term ending November 18, 2020.

6/11/19; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Rules Committee.

7 seats / 10 applicants

Morgan Vaisset-Fauvel, seat 1 (residency waiver required)
Andrew Sullivan, seat 2
Pamela Nagle, seat 3
Dan Flanagan, seat 4
Edgar Flores, seats 4, 5 and 6
Ildiko Polony, seat 5
Zahra Ghayour-Kelly, seats 5, 6 and 7
Michael Sullivan, seats 6 and 7
David Christopher Kerby, seats 6 and 7
Michelle Loya-Talamantas, seat 7

ADJOURNMENT

NOTE: Pursuant to Government Code Section 65009, the following notice is hereby given: if you challenge, in court, the general plan amendments or planning code and zoning map amendments described above, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Board of Supervisors at, or prior to, the public hearing.

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190926 [Administrative Code - Acquisition, Retention, and Use of Surveillance Technology]

Sponsor: Peskin

Ordinance amending Chapter 19B of the Administrative Code, governing the City's acquisition, retention, and use of surveillance technology, to allow the acquisition and retention of face recognition technology under certain conditions; to preclude legal relief for alleged violations of Chapter 19B that the City timely cured following notice; and to authorize the City Administrator to adopt implementing standards to guide departments in compliance with Chapter 19B's restrictions on the acquisition, retention, and use of surveillance technology.

9/10/19; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

9/23/19; RECEIVED FROM DEPARTMENT.

190945 [Charter Amendment - Retiree Health Benefits - Housing Authority Employees]

Sponsors: Mayor; Walton, Peskin, Stefani, Yee, Safai, Ronen and Brown Charter Amendment (First Draft) to amend the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco to provide retiree health care benefits to employees of the Housing Authority of the City and County of San Francisco ("Housing Authority") who started working for the City and County of San Francisco on or after March 7, 2019, and before March 1, 2021, without a break in service between employment with the Housing Authority and employment with the City and County of San Francisco; and affirming the Planning Department's determination under the California Environmental Quality Act; at an election to be held on March 3, 2020.

9/17/19; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

9/23/19; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT.

190949 [Administrative Code - Extension of Pedestrian Safety Advisory Committee]

Sponsors: Yee; Mar, Ronen, Walton and Fewer

Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to extend the sunset date for the Pedestrian Safety Advisory Committee by one year, to October 1, 2020, and requiring the Committee to recommend changes to its structure and duties.

9/17/19; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

9/23/19; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT.

190965 [Various Codes - Renaming Office of Cannabis to Office of Cannabis Regulation - Cannabis Regulation]

Ordinance amending the Administrative, Police, Health, Planning, Business and Tax Regulations, and Campaign and Government Codes to change the name of the Office of Cannabis to the Office of Cannabis Regulation ("Office"); amending the Police Code to create a Cannabis Nursery Permit; prohibit equity applicants from applying for a Cannabis Business Permit through a cooperative; clarify where in the processing order the Office will review and process Cannabis Business Permit applications from holders of Temporary Cannabis Business Permits and Medical Cannabis Dispensaries; prohibit Cannabis Retailers from using business names likely to attract minors as customers or mislead the public into believing that the business is authorized to sell products to minors; remove the requirement that a Cannabis Business Permit application be denied following any violation of Article 16 of the Police Code, and instead require permit denial after a refusal to remediate an Article 16 violation of which they have been notified by the Office; require Cannabis Distributors to notify the Office when they learn that Cannabis products in their possession have failed state testing standards; and affirming the Planning Department's determination under the California Environmental Quality Act. (City Administrator)

9/23/19; RECEIVED FROM DEPARTMENT.

10/1/19; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

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