



City and County of San Francisco
Meeting Minutes
Public Safety Committee

City Hall
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Members: David Chiu, Ross Mirkarimi, Sean Elsbernd

Clerk: Gail Johnson (415) 554-4445

Monday, December 6, 2010

10:00 AM

City Hall, Legislative Chamber, Room 250

Regular Meeting

Present: 2 - David Chiu and Sean Elsbernd

Excused: 1 - Ross Mirkarimi

MEETING CONVENED

The meeting convened at 10:08 a.m.

REGULAR AGENDA

090313 [San Francisco's Public Safety Conditions on Citywide Crime Levels]**Sponsor: Chiu**

Hearing on San Francisco's public safety conditions, including a discussion of citywide crime levels and crime levels by police district station and/or neighborhood. The hearing shall include a presentation from the Mayor's Office of Criminal Justice and/or the San Francisco Police Department, which shall provide all information relevant to the discussion. The information provided shall include, without limitation: (1) update on crime statistics citywide and broken down by police district station and/or neighborhood; (2) data and plans on the progress of crime fighting strategies and crime prevention programs; (3) reports on arrests, charges, and prosecutions made; and (4) any other relevant information. To the extent possible, data shall be broken down by ethnicity, gender, age, or any other relevant category.

03/17/09; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety Committee. 09/16/09 - Supervisor Campos was removed and Supervisor Chiu was added as the sponsor.

04/06/09; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Kevin Ryan, Director, Mayor's Office of Criminal Justice; Captain David Lazar, SFPD Investigations Bureau; Francisco Da Costa; Thomas Merkarello; Walter Paulson; Douglas Yep.

06/15/09; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Captain Albert Paradini, Police Department; Francisco Da Costa; female speaker.

08/17/09; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Police Chief George Gascon; Captain Albert Pardini, Investigation Division, Police Department; Arthur Evans; Ronnie Wilbon, Bay Area Prove, Inc.; Walter; Patricia Freland; Beverly Hampton; Joshua Arce; Francisco Da Costa; Douglas Yep.

09/21/09; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR.

10/19/09; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Commander John Murphy, SF Police Department; Francisco Da Costa.

11/16/09; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Captain Michael Biel, SFPD; Douglas Yep.

01/04/10; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Captain Michael Biel, San Francisco Police Department; Francisco Da Costa.

02/01/10; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Captain Michael Biel, San Francisco Police Department; Douglas Yep.

03/15/10; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Captain Michael Biel, San Francisco Police Department; Francisco Da Costa; Douglas Yep; Walter Paulson.

04/05/10; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speaker: Captain Michael Biel, San Francisco Police Department.

06/07/10; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Captain Michael Biel, San Francisco Police Department; Douglas Yep.

08/02/10; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Captain Michael Biel, San Francisco Police Department; Douglas Yep.

10/04/10; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Captain Michael Biel, San Francisco Police Department; Christine Harris; Douglas Yep; Francisco Da Costa.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Captain Michael Biel, San Francisco Police Department; Christine Harris.

CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR by the following vote:

Ayes: 2 - Chiu, Elsbernd

Excused: 1 - Mirkarimi

101190 [Police Code - Registration and Other Requirements for Event Promoters]**Sponsors: Chiu; Maxwell**

Ordinance adding Article 15.7 to the San Francisco Police Code, requiring event promoters to register with the Entertainment Commission; prohibiting holders of certain entertainment-related permits, and registered promoters, from retaining an unregistered promoter to hold an event; and authorizing under certain circumstances for certain promoters reporting requirements, increased security plan requirements for events they promote, general liability insurance requirements, a criminal background check requirement, and other requirements.

09/22/10; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Public Safety Committee, expires on 10/21/2010.

11/09/10; SUBSTITUTED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety Committee.

11/15/10; RECOMMENDED. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Jocelyn Kane, Acting Executive Director, Entertainment Commission; Regina Dick-Endrizzi, Executive Director, Office of Small Business; Commander Jim Dudley, Police Department; Demetrius Chapin-Rienzo, CMAC; Lloyd Lewis, Personal Touch Entertainment; Dawn Trenner, Chairperson, Middle Polk Neighborhood Association; Cheryl Adams, Deputy City Attorney.

11/23/10; AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING SAME TITLE.

11/23/10; RE-REFERRED to Public Safety Committee.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: None.

RECOMMENDED AS COMMITTEE REPORT by the following vote:

Ayes: 2 - Chiu, Elsbernd

Excused: 1 - Mirkarimi

101349 [Administrative Code - DNA Testing in Sexual Assault Cases]**Sponsors: Alioto-Pier; Chu**

Ordinance implementing the California "Sexual Assault Victims' Bill of Rights" by amending the San Francisco Administrative Code to: (1) add Section 2A.89 to require the Police Department to develop and implement procedures to collect and test DNA samples in sexual assault cases and provide information and notices to victims, require the Police Department to report on DNA collection and testing performance as part of the budget submission, and make it the policy of the City and County of San Francisco to appropriate sufficient funds each fiscal year to ensure timely testing of DNA evidence in sexual assault cases; and (2) add Section 10.100-172 to establish the Police DNA Testing in Sexual Assault Cases Account.

10/26/10; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Public Safety Committee, expires on 11/25/2010.

11/16/10; SUBSTITUTED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety Committee.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Assistant Chief Schmidt, San Francisco Police Department; Supervisor Alioto-Pier; Commissioner James Hammer, San Francisco Police Commission; Andrew Shen, Deputy City Attorney.

Amended on page 1, line 7, by replacing "Mayor" with "Police Department." Further amended on page 3, lines 5 and 6, by replacing "Mayor shall report on the performance of the Police Department" with "Police Department shall report on its performance." New title.

AMENDED

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RECOMMENDED AS AMENDED AS A COMMITTEE REPORT by the following vote:

Ayes: 2 - Chiu, Elsbernd

Excused: 1 - Mirkarimi

101443 [Accept and Expend Grant - Three Part-Time Q4 Police Officer III Positions - \$424,107]

Sponsor: Alioto-Pier

Ordinance authorizing the San Francisco Police Department, on behalf of the City and County of San Francisco, to retroactively accept and expend grant funds in the amount of \$424,107 from the United States Department of Justice/National Institute of Justice "Solving Cold Cases with DNA" Grant Program; and amending Ordinance No. 191-10 (Annual Salary Ordinance, FY2010-2011) to reflect the addition of three (3) part-time positions (1.50 FTE total) in job classification Q4 Police Officer III in the San Francisco Police Department.

11/16/10; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety Committee.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Commander David Lazar, Investigations Unit, San Francisco Police Department; Francisco Da Costa.

RECOMMENDED AS COMMITTEE REPORT by the following vote:

Ayes: 2 - Chiu, Elsbernd

Excused: 1 - Mirkarimi

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 10:48 a.m.