



# City and County of San Francisco

## Meeting Agenda

City Hall  
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

### Land Use and Economic Development Committee

*Members: Eric Mar, Malia Cohen, Scott Wiener*

*Clerk: Alisa Somera (415) 554-4447*

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**Monday, June 6, 2011**

**1:00 PM**

**City Hall, Committee Room 263**

### **Regular Meeting**

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*Note: Each item on the Consent or Regular agenda may include the following documents:*

- 1) Legislation*
- 2) Budget and Legislative Analyst report*
- 3) Department or Agency cover letter and/or report*
- 4) Public correspondence*

*These items will be available for review at City Hall, Room 244, Reception Desk.*

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## **AGENDA CHANGES**

## REGULAR AGENDA

- 1. 110658 [Planning Code - Zoning Map - Presidio-Sutter Special Use District - 800 Presidio Avenue]**  
**Sponsors: Mirkarimi; Mar and Avalos**  
Draft Ordinance amending the San Francisco Planning Code by adding Section 259.53 to establish the Presidio-Sutter Special Use District for property located at 800 Presidio Avenue (Assessor's Block No. 1073, Lot No. 13); amending Sheet HT03 of the Zoning Map to change the Height and Bulk District from 40-X to 55-X; and amending Sheet SU-03 of the Zoning Map to reflect the boundaries of the Presidio-Sutter Special Use District; adopting findings, including environmental findings, Section 302 findings, and findings of consistency with the General Plan and the Priority Policies of Planning Code Section 101.1.

5/17/11; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee. 5/26/11 - Hearing notice was mailed to property owners and interested parties.

5/23/11; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Department for environmental review; Planning Commission for public hearing and recommendation; and Department of Building Inspection for informational purposes.

5/23/11; RESPONSE RECEIVED.
  
- 2. 110530 [Changing the Official Sidewalk Width - Harrison Street]**  
Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 1061 entitled "Regulating the Width of Sidewalks" by adding thereto Section 1589 to change the official sidewalk width on south side of Harrison Street between Fremont and Beale Streets; making environmental findings and findings pursuant to the General Plan and Planning Code Section 101.1; requiring relocation, modification, or both of facilities affected by the sidewalk width change. (Public Works Department)

5/4/11; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

**3. 110226 [Development Agreement - Treasure Island/Yerba Buena Island]****Sponsor: Mayor**

Ordinance approving a Development Agreement between the City and County of San Francisco and Treasure Island Community Development, LLC, for certain real property located within Treasure Island/Yerba Buena Island; exempting certain sections of Administrative Code Chapter 6, Chapter 14B and Chapter 56; and adopting findings, including findings under the California Environmental Quality Act, findings of consistency with the City's General Plan and with the Eight Priority Policies of Planning Code Section 101.1(b), and findings relating to the formation of infrastructure financing districts.

(Fiscal Impact, Economic Impact.)

3/1/11; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee. 3/15/11 - Posted and submitted fee ad; published on 4/17/11 and 4/24/11.

3/26/11 - Hearing notice was mailed to property owners and submitted to newspaper; published on 5/27/11.

4/5/11; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Commission for public hearing and recommendation; Controller's Office for report; and Small Business Commission for review and recommendation.

4/5/11; SUBSTITUTED AND ASSIGNED to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

5/2/11; AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING SAME TITLE. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Rich Hillis (Economic and Workforce Development); Joshua Switzky (Planning); Peter Albert (MTA); Douglas Shoemaker (Mayor's Office of Housing); presented information concerning the matter and answered questions raised throughout the hearing. Sherry Williams (TIHDI); Andy Thornley (SF Bicycle Coalition); Bernie Choden; Stephanie Muller; Mark Connors; Chantel Ginochio; Shaina Zura; Shannon Wise; Becky Hogue; Nikki Honaker; Victoria Bell; Leon Winston; Ferman Swain, Sr.; Abbie Yant; Jim Lazarus (SF Chamber of Commerce); Abdo Nasser; Michael Theriault; Claire Wahraftig; Steve Crabel; Thomas McCarthy; Peter McCaffrey; John Tammen; John Stewart; Gail Gilman; Nella Gonzales; Mike Buhler; Vince Courtney; Male Speaker; Male Speaker; Karen Knowles-Pearce; spoke in support of the matter. Sue Vaughan; Michelle Myers; Eric Brooks; Joshua Arce; spoke in opposition to the matter.

5/2/11; REFERRED AS AMENDED to the Budget and Finance Sub-Committee.

5/11/11; REFERRED WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION to the Board of Supervisors. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Richard Hill (Mayor); Ted Egan (Controller); Kurt Fuchs (Controller); Harvey Rose (Budget Analyst); Cheryl Adams (City Attorney); Michael Taman (Controller); provided an overview and responded to questions raised throughout the discussion. George Smith; Allen Marwich; Laura Shipman; Male Speaker; Miki Honicur; Peter McCaffrey; Female Speaker; Andy Thornley; Curbin Swing; Becky Hogue; Scott Zengal; Sonya Malan; Shannan Wise; Karen Knowles-Pierce; Peter Winkelstein; Nella Goncalves; Female Speaker; Vince Courtney; Carlos Swane; Ms. Martinez; Mr. Torano; Joseph Siler; Tony Fazio; Wilhelmina Parker; Alex Mehran; Male Speaker; Tim Mollin; John Stewart; John Tammen; Jack Gardner; Claire Wahraftig; Adrian Sedi; Manny Flores; Chris; spoke in support of the matter. Eric Brooks; spoke in opposition of the matter. Michael; Steve Craig; Hantal; Dave Alexander; Emily Rapaport; spoke neither in support nor opposition on the matter.

Supervisors Mirkarimi and Kim indicated amendments to the Agreement as provided by the Treasure Island Development Authority, included in File Nos. 110226 and 110291.

ADOPTED, after accepting the amendment to the accompanying agreement, by the following vote:

Chu; Mirkarimi; Kim - AYE

5/17/11; RE-REFERRED to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

*The Chair will entertain a motion to send this matter as a Committee Report to the full Board on June 7, 2011.*

- 4. 110556 [Western SoMa Community Stabilization Policy]**  
**Sponsor: Kim**  
Resolution urging the Planning Commission to incorporate into the Western SoMa Community Plan the policies and objectives of the Western SoMa Community Stabilization Policy adopted by the Western SoMa Citizens Planning Task Force.
- 5/3/11; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.
- 5/20/11; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Department and Planning Commission for informational purposes.
- 5. 101350 [Planning Code - Zoning - Parking in South of Market and Mission Bay Districts]**  
**Sponsor: Kim**  
Ordinance amending the San Francisco Planning Code by amending Sections 151, 151.1, 155, 161, 249.1, 249.23, and Part VII of Article 9 (1) to remove minimum parking requirements and establish maximum parking limits in M-1, C-M, and South of Market districts and the Folsom and Main Residential/Commercial and Fourth and Freelon Streets Special Use Districts to make them consistent with those of neighboring districts, (2) to require that non-residential and non-hotel parking in C-3 in the South of Market Mixed Use districts adjacent to Downtown maintain a fee structure which discourages long-term commuter parking, (3) to make parking controls in the Mission Bay Districts that are subject to the Planning Code consistent with requirements of neighboring districts; and (4) adopting findings, including environmental findings, Section 302 findings, and findings of consistency with the General Plan and the Priority Policies of Planning Code Section 101.1.
- 10/26/10; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee. 02/01/11, introduced extension of Planning Commission review period to May 8, 2011 in Board, see File No. 110123. Adopted in Board 02/08/11; Resolution No. 67-11.
- 11/5/10; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Department for environmental review; Planning Commission for public hearing and recommendation; and Small Business Commission for review and recommendation.
- 1/28/11; RESPONSE RECEIVED. Not a project per CEQA Guidelines Section 15060(c)(2).

## ADJOURNMENT

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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*NOTE:*

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## LEGISLATION UNDER THE 30-DAY RULE

### (Not to be considered at this meeting)

*Rule 5.40 provides that when an ordinance or resolution is introduced which would CREATE OR REVISE MAJOR CITY POLICY, the committee to which the legislation is assigned shall not consider the legislation until at least thirty days after the date of introduction. The provisions of this rule shall not apply to the routine operations of the departments of the City or when a legal time limit controls the hearing timing. In general, the rule shall not apply to hearings to consider subject matter when no legislation has been presented, nor shall the rule apply to resolutions which simply URGE action to be taken.*

#### **110482 [Planning Code - Miscellaneous Technical Amendments]**

Ordinance amending the San Francisco Planning Code to: 1) correct clerical errors, make language revisions and update Sections 121.2, 134, 136.1, 142, 185, 201, 204.1, 204.2, 205, 205.1, 205.3, 207.2, 209.3, 217, 243, 303, 309, 311, 312, 317, 602.25, 602.26, 607.1, and various Sections and Tables in Articles 7 and 8; and 2) adopting findings, including findings under the California Environmental Quality Act, Planning Code Section 302 findings, and findings of consistency with the General Plan and Planning Code Section 101.1. (Planning Commission)

4/28/11; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

#### **110547 [Zoning Map Amendments - Washington-Broadway Special Use District 1; Waterfront Special Use Districts 2 and 3; Special Districts for Sign Illumination; and Special Districts for Scenic Streets]**

**Sponsor: Chiu**

Ordinance amending Sheets SU01, SS01, and SS02 of the San Francisco Zoning Map to: 1) add blocks and lots to the Washington-Broadway Special Use District 1; 2) add blocks to the Waterfront Special Use District 2; 3) delete blocks and add lots to the Waterfront Special Use District 3; 4) make the boundaries of the Special District for Sign Illumination on Broadway co-extensive with the Broadway Neighborhood Commercial District; 5) delete the Van Ness Special District for Sign Illumination; and 6) add The Embarcadero from Taylor Street to Second Street to the Special District for Scenic Streets; adopting findings, including environmental findings, Planning Code Section 302 findings, and findings of consistency with the General Plan and the Priority Policies of Planning Code Section 101.1.

5/3/11; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

5/12/11; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Department for environmental review; Planning Commission for public hearing and recommendation; and Small Business Commission for review and recommendation.

**110548 [Planning Code - Zoning - Uses, Signs, Building Features, Floor Area Ratio, Parking, and Compliance in Specified Use Districts]****Sponsor: Chiu**

Ordinance amending the San Francisco Planning Code by repealing Sections 136.2, 136.3, 158, 187, 249.15, 263.2, 263.3, 602.25, 602.26, 607.3, and 607.4 and amending various other Sections to: 1) increase the amount of principally permitted parking spaces for dwellings in RC-4 and C-3 Districts; 2) make off-street parking requirements in the Van Ness Special Use District and RC-3 Districts consistent with those of RC-4 Districts; 3) eliminate minimum parking requirements for the Chinatown Mixed Use Districts and North Beach Neighborhood Commercial Districts; 4) allow exceptions from required parking under specified circumstances; 5) amend the restrictions on off-street parking rates and extend them to additional zoning districts; 6) revise sign, awning, canopy and marquee controls in specified zoning districts; 7) increase the permitted use size for limited corner commercial uses in RTO and RM districts, and allow reactivation of lapsed limited commercial uses in R Districts; 8) revise the boundaries of and modify parking and screening requirements in the Washington-Broadway and Waterfront Special Use Districts; 9) modify controls for uses and accessory uses in Commercial and Residential-Commercial Districts; 10) permit certain exceptions from exposure and open space requirements for historic buildings; and 11) modify conformity requirements in various use districts; adopting findings, including environmental findings, Section 302 findings, and findings of consistency with the General Plan and the Priority Policies of Planning Code Section 101.1.

5/3/11; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

5/12/11; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Department for environmental review; Planning Commission for public hearing and recommendation; and Small Business Commission for review and recommendation.

**110627 [General Plan Amendment - Community Safety Element]**

Ordinance amending the San Francisco General Plan by amending the Community Safety Element to reference the most recent Hazard Mitigation Plan; and making findings, including findings of consistency with the General Plan and the eight priority policies of Planning Code Section 101.1, and environmental findings. (Planning Department)

5/24/11; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

**110657 [Building Code - Permit Exemption for Cartouches]****Sponsor: Wiener**

Ordinance amending the Building Code of the City and County of San Francisco Section 106A.2 to exempt cartouches from permit requirements; and adopting environmental findings.

5/17/11; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

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