

File No. 110311

Petitions and Communications received from March 8, 2011, through March 14, 2011, for reference by the President to Committee considering related matters, or to be ordered filed by the Clerk on March 22, 2011.

From Sogra Kadir, submitting suggestions to reduce the City budget. (1)

From concerned citizens, submitting support for proposed legislation that bans the delivery of unwanted Yellow Pages in San Francisco. File No. 110114, 20 letters (2)

*From concerned citizens, submitting opposition to proposed legislation that bans the delivery of unwanted Yellow Pages in San Francisco. File No. 110114, Approximately 100 letters (3)

From Residential Rent Stabilization and Arbitration Board, submitting their annual report on evictions notices. Copy: Each Supervisor (4)

From Planning Department, submitting their annual report on the Department's General Advertising Sign Program. Copy: Land Use Committee Members and Clerk (5)

From concerned citizens, regarding the sidewalk sitting ban. 22 letters (6)

From Department of Elections, submitting notice of Ballot Simplification Committee Meetings for a potential June 7, 2011, Consolidated Special Election. (7)

From Office of the Controller, submitting the January and February Monthly Overtime Report. (8)

From Department of Public Health, submitting request for waiver of Administrative Code Chapter 12B and 14B for Sightlife to purchase medical goods. (9)

From Sara Schwab, submitting support for the preservation of dog walking access throughout the Golden Gate National Recreation Area. File No. 110196, Copy: Land Use Committee Members (10)

From Dona Templeman, urging a ban on smart meters. (11)

From concerned citizens, urging the Board of Supervisors to bring new technology to San Francisco. 2 letters (12)

From Ed Healy, submitting support for proposed taxi legislation. File No. 110257 (13)

From Hannah Frank, concerning a racial discrimination complaint. (14)

From concerned citizens, submitting opposition to the owners of the Fairmont Hotel demolishing the hotel to develop condominiums. 3 letters (15)

From concerned citizens, submitting opposition to keeping the Haight Ashbury Neighborhood Council's Recycling Center open. File No. 101490, 6 letters (16)

From concerned citizens, regarding the Parkmerced Project. File No. 110206, Copy: Each Supervisor, 15 letters (17)

From Avalon Bay Communities, Inc., responding to proposed legislation that urges them to utilize sub-contractors that compensate workers consistent with area standard wages. File No. 110283, Copy: City Operations and Neighborhood Services Committee Members and Clerk (18)

From Jane Louie, submitting support for keeping the Haight Ashbury Neighborhood Council's Recycling Center open. File No. 101490 (19)

From Kari Podgorski, thanking the Mayor and Board of Supervisors for their support to keep Teatro ZinZanni in San Francisco. (20)

From San Francisco Labor Council, regarding the Recology contract. Copy: Each Supervisor (21)

From California Fish and Game Commission, regarding the amended petition to list the American pika as a threatened species. Copy: Each Supervisor (22)

From August Vanderhoek, regarding shark fin soup. (23)

From Kellee Marlow, regarding alleged illegal practices by Municipal Transportation Agency parking citations officers and department practices. (24)

From Doug MacTavish, requesting "No Smoking" signs at transit stops. (25)

From Ivan Pratt, regarding sustainable ecology. (26)

From Department of Public Health, submitting a line item summary of the resources allocated to District 11. (27)

From Anne Miller, submitting opposition to any increase in parking fees. (28)

From Department of Public Health, submitting resolution opposing the elimination of Medi-Cal funding for Adult Day Health Center programs. (29)

*From Chief Medical Examiner, submitting their FY2008-2009 Annual Report. (30)

From Clerk of the Board, the following individuals have submitted a Form 700 Statement: (31)

Madeleine Licavoli, Deputy Director - annual

Alexander Volberding, Legislative Aide - annual

Katy Tang, Legislative Aide - annual

Lin Shao Chin, Legislative Aide - annual

Hilary Ronen, Legislative Aide - annual

*(Note: An asterisked item represents the cover sheet to a document that exceeds 25 pages. The complete document is available at the Clerk's Office, Room 244, City Hall.)

Budget
Sogra Kadir
to:
Ross Mirkarimi, Board of Supervisors
03/09/2011 12:24 PM
Show Details

I work for the City of San Francisco and I have a suggestion:

Give a chance to people in 50's to retire by giving 2+2 and after that put a freeze on hiring and no increase for at least 4 years.

Hope this makes some sense to you. Thank you

Sogra Kadir

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To: Alisa Somera/BOS/SFGOV,
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: File 110114 I Support a Ban on Unwanted Yellow Pages

From: Mareth Meliora Sapiens <mail@change.org>
To: Board.of.Supervisors@sfgov.org
Date: 03/09/2011 04:50 PM
Subject: I Support a Ban on Unwanted Yellow Pages

Greetings,

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Thank you for your time,

Mareth Meliora Sapiens
Riverside, CA

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To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution,
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: File 110114: I Support a Ban on Unwanted Yellow Pages

The Clerk's Office has received 16 form emails with the same message as below.

Board of Supervisors
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102
(415) 554-5184
(415) 554-5163 fax
Board.of.Supervisors@sfgov.org

Complete a Board of Supervisors Customer Service Satisfaction form by clicking
<http://www.sfbos.org/index.aspx?page=104>

----- Forwarded by Board of Supervisors/BOS/SFGOV on 03/15/2011 10:23 AM -----

From: mike downs <mail@change.org>
To: Board.of.Supervisors@sfgov.org
Date: 03/14/2011 09:15 AM
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mike downs
sweet springs, MO

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mike downs to: Board.of.Supervisors
Please respond to mike downs

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I Support a Ban on Unwanted Yellow Pages
Rachel Lavigne to: Board.of.Supervisors
Please respond to Rachel Lavigne

03/14/2011 08:55 AM

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Rachel Lavigne
Helena, AR

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Aimee Rasero to: Board.of.Supervisors
Please respond to Aimee Rasero

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Aimee Rasero
Cumberland Foreside, ME

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Tom Maxwell to: Board.of.Supervisors
Please respond to Tom Maxwell

03/13/2011 04:34 PM

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Tom Maxwell
Los Angeles, CA

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Chantal Buslot to: Board of Supervisors
Please respond to Chantal Buslot

03/13/2011 05:39 AM

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Hasselt, AL

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Carrington Langley to: Board.of.Supervisors
Please respond to Carrington Langley

03/12/2011 06:59 PM

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Carrington Langley
san antonio, TX

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Charlene Arsenault to: Board.of.Supervisors
Please respond to Charlene Arsenault

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Charlene Arsenault
Toronto, Canada

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christopher grondahl to: Board.of.Supervisors
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christopher grondahl
new york,, NY

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Ellaine Lurie-Janicki to: Board.of.Supervisors
Please respond to Ellaine Lurie-Janicki

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Ellaine Lurie-Janicki
West Haven, CT

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Sergio Lopez to: Board of Supervisors
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Sergio Lopez
Distrito Federal, Mexico

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Clurie Bennis to: Board.of.Supervisors
Please respond to Clurie Bennis

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Thank you for your time,

How do we do this in Cleveland??? I toss several versions of yellow pages.

And how do I stop unsolicited store fliers? How many trees have died for me?

Clurie Bennis
Cleveland, OH

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Mallory Petersen to: Board.of.Supervisors
Please respond to Mallory Petersen

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Andover, MN

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Luan Le to: Board.of.Supervisors

Please respond to Luan Le

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Arlington, TX

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Jen Smith to: Board.of.Supervisors
Please respond to Jen Smith

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Malibu, CA

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Thomas Danahy to: Board.of.Supervisors

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Bernard Johnson to: Board of Supervisors
Please respond to Bernard Johnson

03/10/2011 08:38 PM

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Bernard Johnson
Austin, TX

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To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution, Alisa Somera/BOS/SFGOV,
Cc:
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From: Ellyn Sutton <mail@change.org>
To: Board.of.Supervisors@sfgov.org
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Alicia Torres
Tulsa, OK

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Gabriel Kaehler to: Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo

03/11/2011 03:27 PM

File 110114

Clerk of the Board Calvillo,

If you are considering restricting the yellow pages, I think you are doing the right thing;

A) Waist of paper, wais of resources.

Nobody reads those books anymore.

Sincerely,

Gabriel Kaehler
2416 N St
Bakersfield, CA 93301



Yellow Pages - STOP killing trees!
Anthony Verreos to: Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo

File 110114

03/11/2011 01:41 PM

Clerk of the Board Calvillo,

Anyone who wants a phone directory has not problem getting one free. The wholesale delivery of directories is wasteful, and produces blight as many books are not picked up and removed for weeks or months.

However, Yellow Pages should not be singled out, the proposed law should apply to all unsolicited advertising.

Sincerely,

Anthony Verreos
122 Warbler Ln
Brisbane, CA 94005



To: Alisa Somera/BOS/SFGOV, BOS Constituent Mail Distribution,
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: File 110114 I Support a Ban on Unwanted Yellow Pages

From: Sarah Diggs <mail@change.org>
To: Board.of.Supervisors@sfgov.org
Date: 03/07/2011 02:49 PM
Subject: I Support a Ban on Unwanted Yellow Pages

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Sarah Diggs
Hampton, VA

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From: Heather Bocz <mail@change.org>
To: Board.of.Supervisors@sfgov.org
Date: 03/07/2011 05:11 PM
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Heather Bocz
Ottawa, Canada

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To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution, Alisa Somera/BOS/SFGOV,
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: File110114: yellow page distribution

From: Rob King <roadandtrisports@speakeasy.net>
To: Board.of.Supervisors@sfgov.org
Cc: bos@co.marin.ca.us
Date: 03/10/2011 11:32 AM
Subject: yellow page distribution

To whom it may concern

I received an email today asking me to contact the San Francisco Board of Supervisors

on behalf of Valley Yellow Pages. I can not do that for them.

Instead I am going to ask you to *Pass* the ordinance Requiring Opt-In for delivery of the yellow pages.

Passage plus/minus

1. The books are a huge waste of paper. Plus for the environment.
2. If I want a book I can opt-in. Plus, the book is available.
3. They still have the right to print the book, I just don't have 2 copies left on my doorstep. That I Never Use. Big personal Plus.
4. This will put some people out of work, I'm thinking specifically of the delivery people. Minus.

Of course the reason Valley Yellow Pages does not want this is they sell the advertising based on the number of books delivered, not on it's effectiveness. That's why I get two of every yellow page phone book. That's 3 companies, 6 books per year. For one person. And I don't use any of them. A complete waste. I am not within the limits of your jurisdiction so my comment may be of not interest but Valley Yellow Pages sent me that email. They are scared this will pass and be tried elsewhere. I hope it does pass and gets passed in Marin as well.

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Thanks
Rob King
Road and Tri Sports
366 Bel Marin Keys Blvd. Unit A
Novato, CA 94949
415-786-9181
roadandtrisports.com



To: Alisa Somera/BOS/SFGOV,
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: File 110114 Yellow Pages - I Support a Ban on Unwanted Yellow Pages (2 emails)

From: Jacqueline Lavanchy <mail@change.org>
To: Board.of.Supervisors@sfgov.org
Date: 03/11/2011 06:20 AM
Subject: I Support a Ban on Unwanted Yellow Pages

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Thank you for your time,

Jacqueline Lavanchy
Martigny, Switzerland

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Chelsea Lachman
Cortland, NY

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To: Alisa Somera/BOS/SFGOV,
Cc:
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Subject: File 110114 - Yellow Pages

**Document is available
at the Clerk's Office
Room 244, City Hall**

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Please pause before you vote! Read this:...

Steve Ambrose to: Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo

03/09/2011 08:27 PM

Clerk of the Board Calvillo,

If you are considering restricting the yellow pages, then I urge you to pause and read this message. As your constituent, I must point out that thousands of San Francisco small businesses rely on their Yellow Pages advertising to attract business and generate sales from local consumers. It is the most local form of advertising. If you need evidence of its usefulness flip through your own Yellow Pages and see how many businesses are using it to attract customers. The San Francisco Board of Supervisors has no business cutting people off from the type of information, goods, services, businesses and community information found in the directories. Please refocus your efforts on trying to help your constituents, not impede them.

Sincerely,

Joel Ambrose
1907 Contra Costa Blvd
Pleasant Hill, CA 94523

Not everyone has a computer and Internet!

Barbra MacNair to: Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo

03/10/2011 02:30 AM

Clerk of the Board Calvillo,

Small businesses make up most of the jobs in San Francisco. So why would the Board want to take away the one of the most popular ways for a small business to advertise?. It works and it's how poverty level people in San Franciscans find information.

Seriously, don't they have enough roadblocks standing in their way?

Sincerely,

Barbra MacNair
3021 Telegraph Ave Ste B
Berkeley, CA 94705

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City and County of San Francisco



Residential Rent Stabilization
and Arbitration Board

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March 8, 2011

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BY
2011 MAR 10 AM 9:39
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
SAN FRANCISCO
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Re: Rent Board Annual Report on Eviction Notices

Dear Ms. Calvillo:

Pursuant to Section 37.6(j) of the Rent Ordinance, Chapter 37 of the San Francisco Administrative Code, the Rent Board is providing its annual report on the number of eviction notices filed with the Department. During the period from March 1, 2010 through February 28, 2011, a total of 1,370 eviction notices were filed with the Department. This figure includes 96 notices given due to failure to pay rent, which are not required to be filed with the Department. The number of notices filed with the Department this year represents a 8% increase from last year's total filings of 1,269. The largest increase was in failure to permit landlord access eviction notices which increased by 63% from 16 to 26 notices. Ellis eviction notices increased by 42% from 43 to 61 notices and roommate eviction notices increased by 37% from 27 to 37 notices.

The list on the following page gives the total number of eviction notices filed with the Department, the stated reason for the eviction and the applicable Ordinance section.

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Rent Board Annual Eviction Report

<u>Number</u>	<u>Reason</u>	<u>Ordinance Section</u>
96	non-payment of rent	37.9(a)(1)
50	habitual late payment of rent	37.9(a)(1)
442	breach of rental agreement	37.9(a)(2)
271	committing a nuisance	37.9(a)(3)
20	illegal use of rental unit	37.9(a)(4)
2	failure to renew agreement	37.9(a)(5)
26	failure to permit landlord access	37.9(a)(6)
12	unapproved sub-tenant	37.9(a)(7)
130	owner/relative move-in	37.9(a)(8)
4	condo conversion sale	37.9(a)(9)
30	demolish or remove from housing use	37.9(a)(10)
19	capital improvement work	37.9(a)(11)
1	substantial rehabilitation	37.9(a)(12)
61	Ellis (withdrawal of unit)	37.9(a)(13)
0	lead remediation	37.9(a)(14)
37	roommate eviction	37.9(b)
63	other or no reason given	
1,370	Total Eviction Notices	

The increase or decrease since last year for each just cause (excluding categories for which the Department did not receive at least ten notices in both years) is as follows:

<u>Just Cause Reason</u>	<u>2009/10</u>	<u>2010/11</u>	<u>Percent Decrease/ Increase</u>
Failure to permit landlord access	16	26	+63%
Ellis withdrawal of unit	43	61	+42%
Roommate eviction	27	37	+37%
Owner or relative move-in	116	130	+12%
Breach of rental agreement	399	442	+11%
Nuisance	287	271	-6%
Demolish or remove from housing use	33	30	-9%
Capital improvement	21	19	-10%
Habitual late payment	72	50	-31%
Illegal use of rental unit	37	20	-46%
Unapproved sub-tenant	23	12	-48%

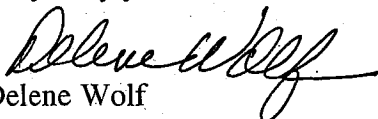
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Rent Board Annual Eviction Report

During the period March 1, 2010 - February 28, 2011, tenants filed a total of 472 Reports of Alleged Wrongful Eviction with the Rent Board. Of the 472 reports filed, 66 reports involved school-age children, with 52 reports relating to evictions occurring during the school term. Of the 472 total reports, 42 reports specifically objected to no-fault evictions, and 7 of these 42 reports involved school-age children, with 5 reports relating to evictions occurring during the school term.

This eviction report can also be found on our web site under "Statistics", as "Annual Eviction Report." A monthly breakdown of all eviction filings by category is also enclosed with this report. Please call me at 252.4650 should you have any questions concerning this report.

Very truly yours,



Delene Wolf
Executive Director
Rent Stabilization and
Arbitration Board

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Residential Rent Stabilization and Arbitration Board
City & County Of San Francisco

Annual Eviction Notice Report

3/1/2010 Through 2/28/2011

	<u>Mar</u>	<u>Apr</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>Jun</u>	<u>Jul</u>	<u>Aug</u>	<u>Sep</u>	<u>Oct</u>	<u>Nov</u>	<u>Dec</u>	<u>Jan</u>	<u>Feb</u>	<u>Total</u>
No-Pay	8	9	3	2	6	4	16	10	8	7	15	8	96
Late Pay	3	6	5	5	5	1	6	3	8	1	3	4	50
Breach	25	81	27	53	27	69	25	50	27	16	17	25	442
Nuisance	26	27	28	22	26	26	12	31	21	11	25	16	271
Illegal	2	2	1	3	1	1	0	2	2	1	1	4	20
Agreemt.	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Access	2	10	2	3	1	0	0	2	1	3	1	1	26
Sub	1	1	1	0	0	2	3	1	1	0	2	0	12
Own-Occ	11	12	6	16	16	14	15	9	10	3	8	10	130
Condo	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4
Demol	0	0	1	1	13	3	1	2	2	3	1	3	30
CI	1	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	1	1	2	7	19
Rehab	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
W-Draw	10	10	1	9	1	11	5	4	2	1	0	7	61
Roommate	1	3	3	5	0	5	1	7	4	1	3	4	37
Lead	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	7	8	6	8	5	0	4	7	3	2	4	9	63
Development	0	0	0	0	0	0	106	0	0	0	0	0	106
Total	98	169	84	129	103	142	195	128	90	51	82	99	1370



SAN FRANCISCO PLANNING DEPARTMENT

March 9, 2011

President David Chiu, *President of the Board of Supervisors*
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Supervisor Malia Cohen, *Supervisor, District 10*
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1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102

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Re: General Advertising Sign Program Annual Report

Dear President Chiu, Members of the Land Use Committee, Supervisor Campos, and Madam Clerks,

Planning Code Section 604.2(h) requires that the Planning Department submit to the Planning Commission and Board of Supervisors an annual report on the Department's General Advertising Sign Program (GASP).

We are very pleased to report that the GASP has completed the assembly and analysis of a complete inventory of all general advertising signs in the City. All necessary enforcement actions have been initiated and close to 600 illegal general advertising signs have been removed through the program's work.

Please find attached seven copies of the 2011 GASP Annual Report. This report was heard by the Planning Commission at a February 24 special hearing.

We would be happy to discuss the annual report or other aspects of the GASP in detail and/or provide the Committee with a formal presentation should you so choose. Please do not hesitate to contact Daniel Sider of my staff directly at (415) 558-6697 or at dan.sider@sfgov.org.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John Rahaim".

John Rahaim

Director of Planning



SAN FRANCISCO PLANNING DEPARTMENT

General Advertising Sign Program Annual Report

Hearing Date: February 24, 2011
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The GASP is the result of legislation passed in 2006 which amended the Planning Code to provide for improved monitoring and enforcement of general advertising signs – commonly known as billboards. The primary goals of the program are to build and maintain an inventory of all general advertising signs in San Francisco, to correct outstanding sign-related Planning Code violations, and to remove unlawful signs. The GASP's activities are best understood in the context of 2002's Proposition G which passed with 78 percent of the vote and prohibited all new general advertising signs within San Francisco.

This year's report is particularly notable in that it coincides with the achievement of several major milestones: (1) completing the review of every general advertising sign in the City, (2) determining the legal status of each sign, and (3) initiating enforcement action against all unlawful signs.

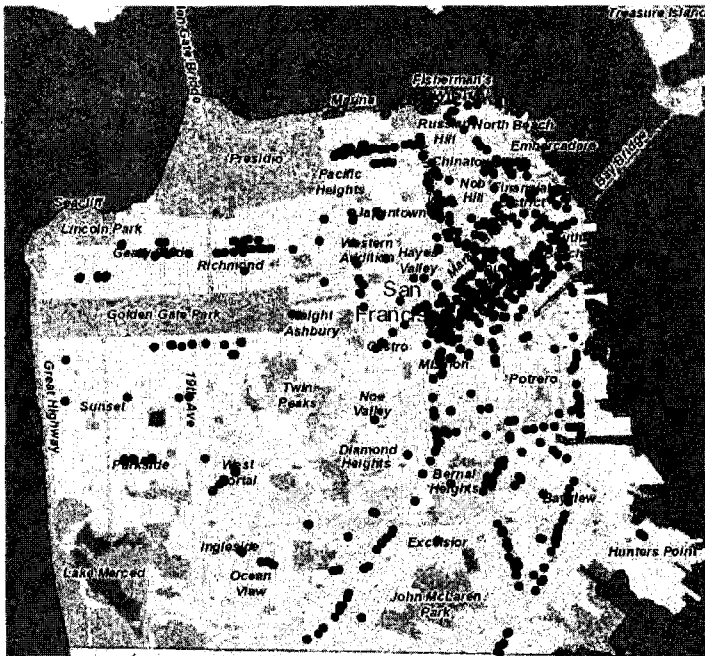
1. KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS TO DATE

- One-hundred percent of the total 1,672 general advertising signs in the City's inventory have been processed.
- 588 generally illegal signs have been removed.
- 29 Requests for Reconsideration of Notices of Violation (NOV's) have been completed; only a single NOV has been overturned.
- One-hundred percent of the 321 total "in-lieu permit" applications have been processed.
- 98 new illegal signs at 32 different properties were installed during this reporting period; all but 6 have been removed.
- Nine of the 13 separate pieces of litigation brought against the City in regards to GASP activities have been resolved.
- A map of all general advertising signs in the City has been made available in draft form at <http://signmap.sfplanning.org>.

2. PROGRAM BACKGROUND

In mid-2006 legislation enabling the GASP was adopted. As a part of that legislation, sign inventories and authorizing permits were requested from all sign companies doing business in the City. In addition to the various sign company inventories, in 2007 the GASP independently surveyed and documented every general advertising sign in San Francisco. The GASP inventory continues to be updated as new unlawful signs are detected.

General Advertising Signs in San Francisco (n=883)



As part of the original submittal required from each sign company, a special process was created whereby signs for which no permit could be located were afforded the opportunity to seek an in-lieu identifying number¹ in order to establish the legal nonconforming status of the sign. An in-lieu number can only be issued when the sign is determined to be "likely legally authorized."²

At the start of 2008, the 'processing' of the overall sign inventory began. This undertaking involved examining individual signs on a case-by-case basis to (1) verify compliance with the Planning Code and any authorizing permits and (2) initiate the abatement of any Code violations. Signs were processed primarily based on geography, with priority given to new complaints and violations brought to the GASP's attention by other permit activity on the site of an alleged violation.

When a sign was found to be in violation of the Planning Code, a Notice of Violation (NOV) was issued to both the property owner and – when known - the sign company (together the "responsible party"). The responsible party then had 30 days to either (1) remove the sign, (2) correct the violation, or (3) file a Request for Reconsideration of the NOV, as discussed below. On the 31st day after issuing the NOV, should the responsible party not have availed itself of one of these options, daily penalties began to accrue based on the size of the sign. Penalties range from \$100 each day for signs smaller than 100 square feet to \$2,500 each day for signs larger than 500 square feet.³

¹ The in-lieu process was tied to the onset of the GASP's enabling legislation. Under Planning Code Section 604.1(c) and the settlement of an associated legal matter a deadline of October 14, 2003 was established for the submittal of all in-lieu applications.

² Determinations for in-lieu requests are based on the five "likely legal" criteria of Planning Commission Resolution Number 17258.

³ Planning Code Section 610(b)(2)(B) contains a sliding scale of penalties based on the size of a sign: 100 square feet or less - \$100/day; 101 to 300 square feet - \$1,000/day; 301 to 500 square feet - \$1,750/day; over 500 square feet - \$2,500/day.

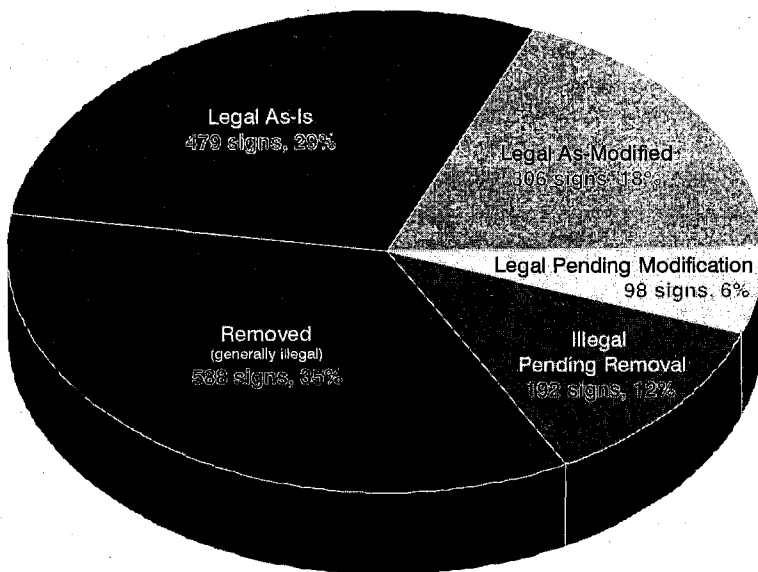
Should the responsible party have filed a Request for Reconsideration, a hearing on the NOV was scheduled before an Administrative Law Judge (ALJ). This hearing affords a responsible party the opportunity to present evidence demonstrating why an NOV was issued in error. If the ALJ overturned an NOV, the case was closed and any penalties were voided. If the ALJ upheld an NOV, the violation was required to be abated and, if advertising copy had remained during the Reconsideration process, a mandatory twenty-day fixed penalty based upon the size of the sign was assessed. ALJ decisions are not subject to any further administrative appeals, but can be appealed to the courts through an administrative writ.

The GASP continues to receive reports of new signs and new violations with respect to existing signs. On an ongoing basis, Staff investigates the alleged violations and initiates the enforcement process where appropriate. Through this process, additional NOV's are issued and subsequent ALJ hearings can occur.

3. ANNUAL PROGRESS

In December 2010, the GASP processed the last known general advertising sign in the City and, in doing so, completed a three-year review of 1,672 total signs. A 'processed' sign is one which has been (1) determined to be legal, (2) determined to be illegal and removed, (3) found to exceed the scope of permit and subsequently brought into compliance with the Code, or (4) the subject of an NOV to which no response has been received and which continues to accrue daily penalties.

Disposition all Signs in Inventory (n=1,672)



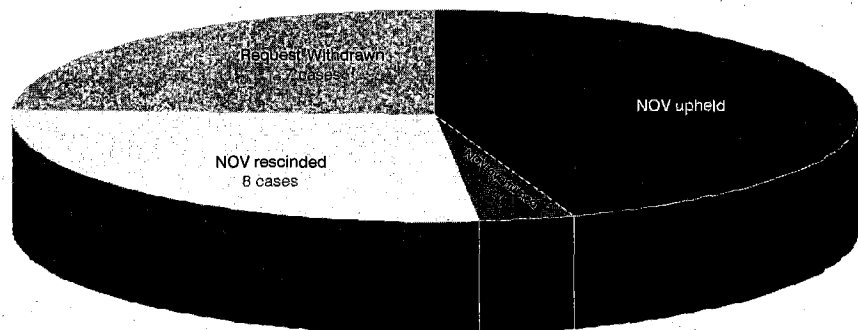
Overall outcomes. Of the entire sign inventory, 53 percent are broadly in compliance with the Planning Code. Included in this grouping are signs that (1) complied as surveyed, (2) *now* comply following modifications made in response to an NOV, or (3) *can and will* comply once the terms of an issued NOV have been met. The remaining 47 percent are signs which do not, and cannot, comply with the Planning Code. This grouping comprises both those that have been removed and those that are required to be removed. 588 general advertising signs have been removed⁴, up from 318 at the end of the previous reporting period. The remaining 192 signs which are illegal pending removal are

⁴ 94 percent of removed signs did not comply with the Planning Code and were the subject of an NOV and associated enforcement actions. 6 percent were signs which were removed by a property owner or sign company independent of an NOV.

discussed below under the 'litigation' heading.

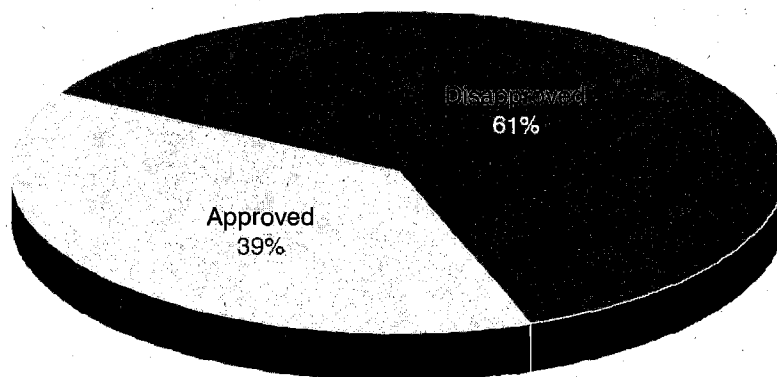
Requests for Reconsideration. 38 requests for Reconsideration have been filed over the course of the program⁵. 13 of those Requests have resulted in NOV's being upheld while only one resulted in an NOV being overturned. Nine cases are still in the pre-hearing or pre-decision stage, while the remaining 15 Requests were either withdrawn by the applicant or the NOV in question was rescinded by the Department. With respect to these latter categories, it should be noted that through the course of hearing preparation, new information is oftentimes presented by a Requestor which allows the Department to reconsider the basis for the NOV. Should that evidence indicate that, contrary to previous evidence, a sign is in fact legal, the Department typically rescinds the NOV. Similarly, upon seeing the strength of the Department's case, Requestors may withdraw their request rather than waste their resources defending a sign which cannot be brought into compliance.

Outcomes of Completed Requests for Reconsideration (n=29)



New Signs. Despite the Department's efforts, new general advertising signs continue to appear throughout the City. 98 new illegal signs at 32 different locations were installed during this reporting period, up from 65 new signs during the last reporting period. All but 6 of these new signs have been removed to date.

Applications for In-Lieu Permits (n=321)



In-Lieu Applications. By virtue of their lack of documentation, in-lieu applications represent a particularly contentious and complex group of signs. A total of 321 requests for in-lieu permits were made prior to the closing of the in-lieu application window in October 2003. All have been adjudicated, up from 150 at the end of the previous reporting period. Of the total, 124 have been found to be likely legal while the remaining 197 have been removed or are pending removal. One of these is the subject of pending Requests for Reconsideration.

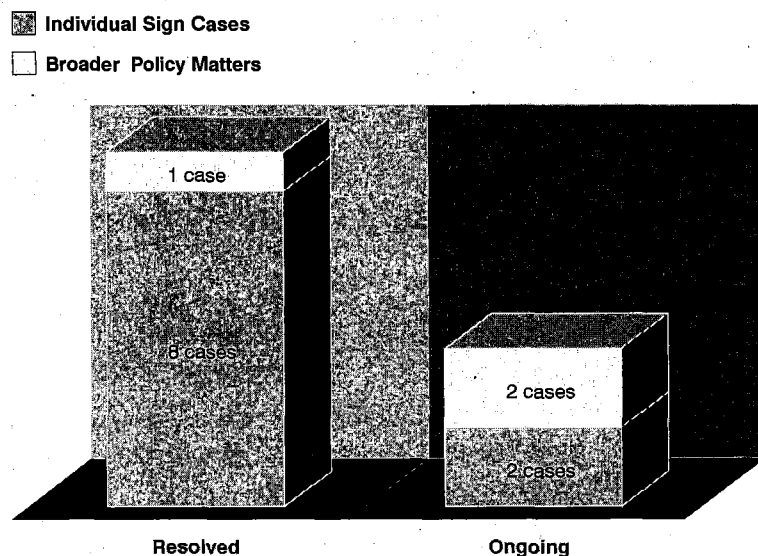
⁵ Through February 15, 2011.

4. LITIGATION

Since the inception of the GASP, numerous outdoor advertising companies have sued the City to curtail enforcement of the City's sign ordinances and to overturn decisions made with respect to particular signs. While this report cannot provide details of ongoing litigation, it should be noted that four GASP-related cases are currently in litigation while another nine have already been resolved through a formal settlement or a settlement-in-principle. Among the 13 total actions, ten relate to individual signs and seek to overturn a City decision while the remainder challenge specific Planning Code provisions or relate to broader policy issues.

One particular case was brought by a consortium of outdoor advertising companies in an effort to prohibit the City from releasing any aggregated inventory information, maps, or other sign data which would otherwise be public information. This case was concluded in early 2010 with a settlement agreement that allowed the City - beginning in mid-January 2011 - to publish an interactive map containing the approximate locations and photographs of general advertising signs throughout the City. That map is now available on-line in draft form at www.signmap.sfplanning.org.

GASP-Related Litigation (n=13)



5. FINANCIAL DATA

GASP revenue to-date this Fiscal Year is \$195,111. Much of this funding stems from two sources: (1) the annual inventory maintenance fee - accounting for \$110,428 and (2) fines and penalties - accounting for \$34,188.

With respect to number 2, above, it should be noted that substantial penalties have been assessed but not yet collected. Roughly \$1.1 million of outstanding penalties are related to cases where a violation has been addressed (i.e. an illegal sign has been removed) but penalties remain unpaid. An additional \$8.9 million in penalties is related to sign violations where the both the violation itself and accrued penalties remain outstanding.⁶ The overwhelming majority of this latter group of signs are controlled by two sign companies which are involved in litigation with the City. As such, collection will hinge largely on the outcome of those matters.

⁶ These are cases in which penalties continue to accrue on a daily basis.

It should also be noted that \$110,019 of penalties collected during the course of the GASP's activities stem from Planning Code provisions which address 'repeat violators.' Sponsored by then-Supervisor Alioto-Pier after being suggested and crafted by GASP Staff, Ordinance Number 290-08 subjects repeat violators of general advertising sign regulations to a reduced 3-day window of compliance before penalties begin to accrue. Since the onset of these provisions, the Department has cited 17 total 'repeat violator' sign installations, all of which have been removed.

Program Revenues Over Time

	FY06-07	FY07-08	FY08-09	FY09-10	FY10-11 [Actual as of 2/1/11]	FY10-11 [Full Year Projected]	Program Totals ⁷
Sign registration or re-registration fee ⁸	\$431,200	\$62,720	\$28,686	\$26,767	\$13,755	\$50,000	\$599,373
In-lieu application fee ⁹	\$94,400	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$94,400
Annual inventory maintenance fee ¹⁰	\$0	\$57,264	\$84,860	\$217,313	\$110,428	\$200,000	\$559,437
Reconsideration Fees ¹¹	\$0	\$20,400	\$30,550	\$19,692	\$36,720	\$45,000	\$115,642
Fines and Penalties ¹²	\$ 61,249	\$102,594	\$91,914	\$323,369	\$34,188	\$250,000	\$879,126
Totals	\$586,849	\$242,978	\$236,010	\$587,141	\$195,111	\$545,000	\$2,247,978

The vast majority of program expenditures relate to staff costs, both in-house and at the City Attorney's Office. The GASP is presently staffed by two full-time code enforcement personnel (one Planner II and one Planner III) along with a ¼-time Planner IV devoted to program management. This represents a reduction of one full-time Planner II from the previous Fiscal Year's staffing. In addition to Planning Department resources, the GASP employs the full breadth of litigation, code enforcement, and advice services provided by the City Attorney's Office. As suggested above, costs associated with legal services continue to be substantial.

⁷ Totals are based on FY2009-2010 full year projected revenues.

⁸ Planning Code Section 358 establishes sign registration fees for initial registration of a sign or subsequent changes of control (e.g. Sign Company A sells a sign to Sign Company B) of \$685 per sign.

⁹ During the period in which the Department could accept in-lieu applications, Planning Code Section 358 established inventory processing fees of \$320 per sign for those signs previously submitted to the Department as an in-lieu application.

¹⁰ For the current Fiscal Year, Planning Code Section 358 establishes an annual inventory maintenance fee of \$221 per sign.

¹¹ Planning Code Section 610(d)(2) establishes a fee of \$3,400 to file a Request for Reconsideration. In cases where a Request is withdrawn, fees are refunded, less expenses.

¹² Fines and penalties are set forth throughout the Planning Code, including Sections 604.1(d), 604.2(g), and 610(b)(2).

Program Expenditures Over Time

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Planning Dept. Staff	\$131,793	\$284,761	\$254,992	\$321,241	\$155,458	\$260,000	\$1,332,787
City Attorney Staff	\$0	\$111,370	\$250,816	\$280,000	\$65,246	\$280,000	\$922,186
Misc. costs ¹⁴	\$19,000	\$24,372	\$14,464	\$19,491	\$1,737	\$25,000	\$102,327
Totals	\$150,793	\$420,503	\$520,272	\$620,732	\$222,441	\$565,000	\$2,277,300

On balance, revenue projections for the remainder of this Fiscal Year (including anticipated collection of penalties and the resolution of certain outstanding legal matters) are generally consistent with projected expenses. Similarly, projections also indicate that all-time GASP revenues and expenses continue to be generally aligned. In broad terms, and based on available data, the GASP continues to bring in revenue which is sufficient to cover operating expenses.

5. NEXT STEPS

With the conclusion of the processing phase, the GASP will “slim down” and realign itself to more efficiently monitor and maintain the general state of compliance that it has brought about. Staff resources are no longer required for extensive technical analyses of hundreds of individual signs. Rather, new signs will require targeted enforcement action, while the City’s existing signage inventory will need to be continuously monitored and updated. Additionally, applications for sign relocations, as authorized under Proposition G, Planning Code Section 303(l) and Administrative Code Section 2.21 will likely be filed and will in turn require analysis and public vetting before the Planning Commission and Board of Supervisors. Moving forward, the GASP will be staffed by a single Planner III and its activities will be folded into the Department’s broader Code Enforcement function. As a component of the Department’s recently reformulated Zoning and Compliance Division, the program will continue to benefit from extensive collaboration with the Office of the Zoning Administrator and other Code Enforcement functions.

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¹³ Totals are based on FY2009-2010 full year projected expenditures.

¹⁴ This figure accounts for office and other supplies, software and equipment, data processing, staff training, vehicle rental, reproduction, and Rent Board ALJ Services.



Overturn San Francisco's Discriminatory Sidewalk Sitting Ban
Lindsay Brown to: Board.of.Supervisors
Please respond to Lindsay Brown

03/09/2011 10:40 PM

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Lindsay Brown
Moscow, ID

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Eugene, OR

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Asuncion, Paraguay

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Please respond to Gary Farber

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Oakland, CA

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Subject: Notice of Ballot Simplification Committee Meetings for a potential June 2011 Consolidated Special Election

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Date: 03/10/2011 12:02 PM
Subject: Notice of Ballot Simplification Committee Meetings for a potential June 2011 Consolidated Special Election
Sent by: Barbara Carr

To: Honorable Edwin M. Lee, Mayor
Honorable Members, Board of Supervisors

From: John Arntz, Director of Elections

Date: March 10, 2011

RE: Notice of Ballot Simplification Committee Meetings for a potential June 7, 2011, Consolidated Special Election

The Ballot Simplification Committee works in public meetings to prepare a fair and impartial summary of each local ballot measure in simple language. These summaries, or "digests," are printed in San Francisco's Voter Information Pamphlet, which is mailed to every registered voter before each election.

The uncertainty of whether the Governor will call a special statewide election for June 7 has affected planning for Ballot Simplification Committee meetings. Normally, the Committee completes digests no later than 85 days before an election, which would be March 14 for a June 7 election. Although an election has not yet been called, the Committee is scheduled to meet on Monday, March 21, to draft digests for local measures that would appear on the ballot if a June 7 election is called; the Committee is also scheduled to meet on Tuesday, March 22, to review any Requests for Reconsideration of digests drafted the previous day. If, prior to the meeting dates, it is clear that there will not be a June statewide special election, the Ballot Simplification Committee meetings will be cancelled.

Meeting agendas and other materials will be posted on the Department of Elections website, www.sfelections.org/bsc, and in our office in City Hall, Room 48. Agendas will be posted at least 72 hours prior to the meeting, as mandated by the Sunshine Ordinance. Other meeting

materials will be made available as early as possible. Please check often for any updates.

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- *The Way It Is Now*
- *The Proposal*
- *A “Yes” Vote Means*
- *A “No” Vote Means*

In general, each digest is limited to 300 words. Digests may exceed the 300-word limit if the Committee determines that the complexity or scope of the proposed measure requires a longer digest. In addition, digests must be written as close as possible to the eighth-grade reading level.

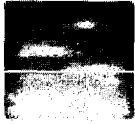
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Subject: Controller's Office Report: January/February 2011 Overtime Report

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Date: 03/09/2011 03:14 PM
Subject: Controller's Office Report: January/February 2011 Overtime Report
Sent by: Debbie Toy

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CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO
OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER

Ben Rosenfield
Controller

Monique Zmuda
Deputy Controller

TO: Members, Board of Supervisors
Mayor Edwin Lee

FROM: Ben Rosenfield, Controller 

DATE: March 7, 2011

SUBJECT: January and February Monthly Overtime Reports (Administrative Code Section 18.13-1)

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Fiscal Year 2010-11 To-Date

The five City departments using the most overtime cumulatively for the fiscal year are: (1) Municipal Transportation Agency; (2) Fire; (3) Public Health; (4) Police; and (5) Sheriff. Collectively, these five departments averaged 6.6% overtime versus regular hours and accounted for 85.9% of the total Citywide overtime for the eight month period of July 2010 through February 2011.

Please contact me at (415) 554-7500 if you have any questions regarding this overtime information.

cc: Greg Wagner, Mayor's Budget Director
Harvey Rose, Budget Analyst
Victor Young, Clerk, Board of Supervisors' Budget and Finance Committee
Sonali Bose, Finance Director, Municipal Transportation Agency
Ken Bukowski, Finance Director, Police Department
Deborah Landis, Senior Analyst, Police Department
Monica Fields, Deputy Chief of Administration, Fire Department
Mark Corso, Budget Manager, Fire Department
Gregg Sass, Finance Director, Department of Public Health
Jenny Louie, Budget Manager, Department of Public Health
Maureen Gannon, Budget Manager, Sheriff

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Controller's Office
Appendix 1: Monthly Overtime Report

July 2010 (includes 1.7 pay periods)					
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Percentage Overtime vs. Regular Hours	Percent of Total Citywide Overtime	Overtime Pay
MTA	577,137	66,476	11.5%	48.2%	3,215,854
Fire	234,705	27,545	11.7%	20.0%	1,929,187
Police	348,724	9,261	2.7%	10.2%	841,184
Public Health	733,481	14,116	1.9%	6.7%	646,361
Sheriff	139,151	5,577	4.0%	4.0%	357,849
Total	2,033,197	122,974	6.4%	89.2%	\$6,990,435

July 2010, Average per Pay Period			
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Overtime Pay
MTA	339,492	39,103	1,891,679
Fire	138,062	16,203	1,134,816
Police	205,132	5,447	494,814
Public Health	431,459	8,304	380,212
Sheriff	81,853	3,281	210,499
Total	1,195,998	72,338	\$4,112,021

August 2010 (includes 2 pay periods)					
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Percentage Overtime vs. Regular Hours	Percent of Total Citywide Overtime	Overtime Pay
MTA	679,338	89,228	13.1%	49.3%	4,348,678
Fire	270,775	36,163	13.4%	20.0%	2,506,238
Police	420,619	9,395	2.2%	5.2%	1,500,882
Public Health	884,634	19,990	2.3%	11.0%	909,720
Public Utilities Commission	322,908	5,947	1.8%	3.3%	368,206
Total	2,578,275	160,722	6.6%	88.7%	\$9,633,724

August 2010, Average per Pay Period			
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Overtime Pay
MTA	339,669	44,614	2,174,339
Fire	135,388	18,081	1,253,119
Police	210,310	4,698	750,441
Public Health	442,317	9,995	454,860
Public Utilities Commission	161,454	2,974	184,103
Total	1,289,137	80,361	\$4,816,862

September 2010 (2 pay periods)					
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Percentage Overtime vs. Regular Hours	Percent of Total Citywide Overtime	Overtime Pay
MTA	692,479	85,130	12.3%	50.6%	4,497,575
Fire	272,638	32,734	12.0%	19.5%	2,249,815
Police	421,126	9,804	2.3%	10.0%	1,078,114
Public Health	876,400	16,895	1.9%	5.8%	719,455
Sheriff	165,833	5,580	3.4%	3.3%	229,410
Total	2,428,476	150,143	6.4%	89.3%	\$8,774,369

September 2010, Average per Pay Period			
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Overtime Pay
MTA	346,240	42,565	2,248,788
Fire	136,319	16,367	1,124,908
Police	210,563	4,902	539,057
Public Health	438,200	8,447	359,728
Sheriff	82,916	2,790	114,705
Total	1,214,238	75,071	\$4,387,185

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October 2010 (2 pay periods)					
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Percentage Overtime vs. Regular Hours	Percent of Total Citywide Overtime	Overtime Pay
MTA	682,788	84,392	12.4%	47.6%	4,189,566
Fire	273,003	33,126	12.1%	18.7%	2,243,505
Police	420,324	10,496	2.5%	9.4%	878,720
Public Health	879,897	16,649	1.9%	5.9%	706,317
Sheriff	165,283	7,210	4.4%	4.1%	413,936
Total	2,421,295	151,873	6.6%	85.7%	\$8,432,044

October 2010, Average per Pay Period			
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Overtime Pay
MTA	341,394	42,196	2,094,783
Fire	136,502	16,563	1,121,753
Police	210,162	5,248	439,360
Public Health	439,949	8,325	353,159
Sheriff	82,641	3,605	206,968
Total	1,210,647	75,937	\$4,216,022

November 2010 (2 pay periods)					
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Percentage Overtime vs. Regular Hours	Percent of Total Citywide Overtime	Overtime Pay
MTA	688,415	81,817	11.9%	42.0%	4,057,662
Fire	273,030	31,986	11.7%	16.4%	2,159,515
Police	419,713	16,853	4.0%	8.7%	1,436,788
Public Health	882,476	17,463	2.0%	9.0%	762,508
Elections	23,701	11,611	49.0%	6.0%	324,325
Total	2,287,336	159,729	15.7%	82.1%	\$8,740,798

November 2010, Average per Pay Period			
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Overtime Pay
MTA	344,208	40,908	2,028,831
Fire	136,515	15,993	1,079,758
Police	209,857	8,426	718,394
Public Health	441,238	8,731	381,254
Elections	82,582	4,943	162,163
Total	1,214,399	79,002	\$4,370,399

December 2010 (3 pay periods)					
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Percentage Overtime vs. Regular Hours	Percent of Total Citywide Overtime	Overtime Pay
MTA	1,034,729	117,232	11.3%	43.8%	5,845,906
Fire	409,001	48,744	11.9%	18.2%	3,337,398
Police	630,622	14,386	2.3%	5.4%	1,028,518
Public Health	1,325,913	33,774	2.5%	12.6%	1,380,717
Sheriff	246,768	14,124	5.7%	5.3%	814,192
Total	3,647,033	228,259	6.8%	85.3%	\$12,406,731

December 2010, Average per Pay Period			
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Overtime Pay
MTA	344,910	39,077	1,948,635
Fire	136,334	16,248	1,112,466
Police	210,207	4,795	342,839
Public Health	441,971	11,258	460,239
Elections	82,256	4,708	271,397
Total	1,215,678	76,086	\$4,135,577

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Appendix 1: Monthly Overtime Report

January 2011 (2 pay periods)					
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Percentage Overtime vs. Regular Hours	Percent of Total Citywide Overtime	Overtime Pay
MTA	710,928	76,115	10.7%	45.2%	3,811,193
Fire	272,161	29,680	10.9%	17.6%	1,981,846
Police	420,691	11,156	2.7%	6.6%	1,143,455
Public Health	871,870	16,551	1.9%	9.8%	672,925
Sheriff	164,044	9,014	5.5%	5.4%	520,188
Total	2,439,694	142,516	6.3%	84.7%	\$8,129,607

January 2010, Average per Pay Period			
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Overtime Pay
MTA	355,464	38,058	1,905,597
Fire	136,080	14,840	990,923
Police	210,346	5,578	571,728
Public Health	435,935	8,275	336,463
Elections	82,022	4,507	260,094
Total	1,219,847	71,258	\$4,064,804

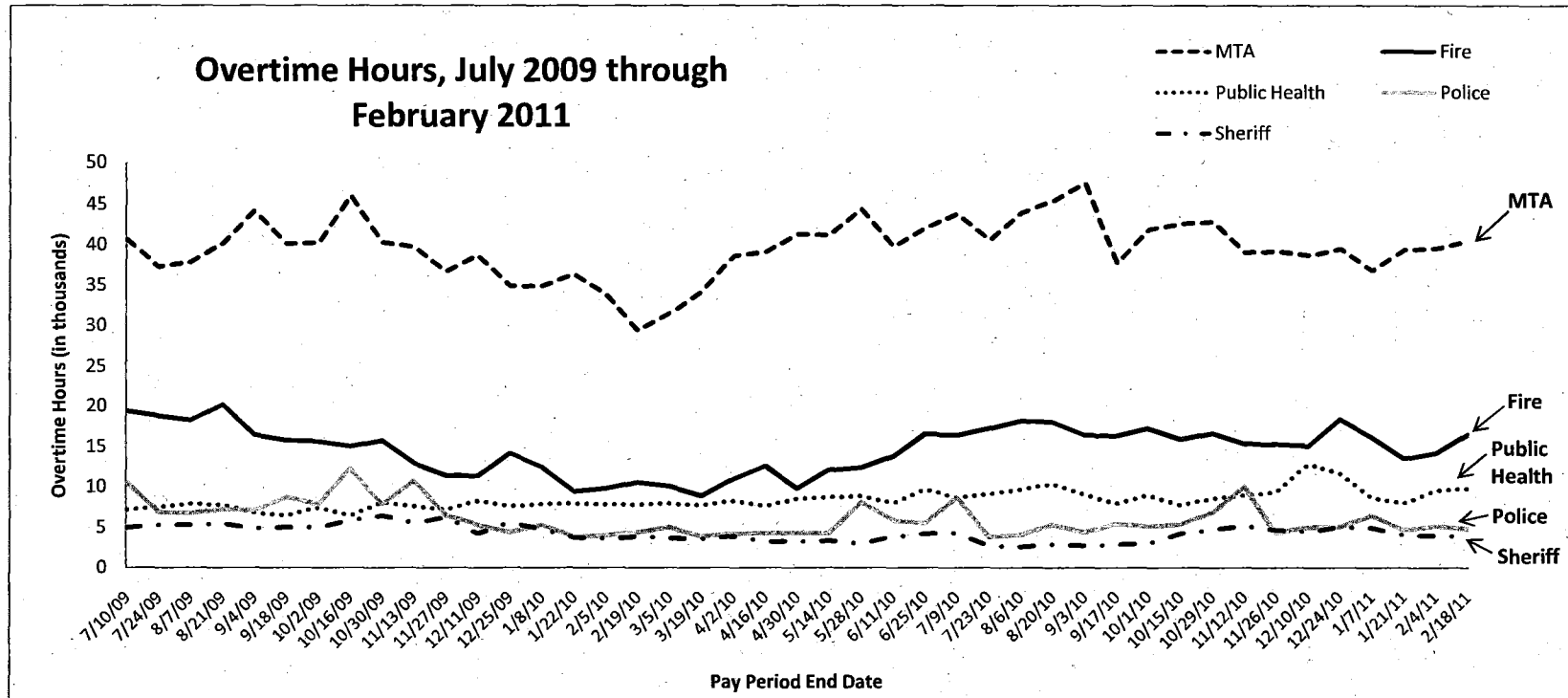
February 2011 (2 pay periods)					
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Percentage Overtime vs. Regular Hours	Percent of Total Citywide Overtime	Overtime Pay
MTA	690,443	79,889	11.6%	46.7%	4,061,923
Fire	274,547	30,714	11.2%	18.0%	2,041,898
Police	418,646	9,948	2.4%	5.8%	968,937
Public Health	893,917	19,296	2.2%	11.3%	785,041
Sheriff	163,640	7,864	4.8%	4.6%	444,519
Total	2,441,193	147,711	6.4%	86.4%	\$8,302,318

February 2011, Average per Pay Period			
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Overtime Pay
MTA	345,222	39,945	2,030,962
Fire	137,273	15,357	1,020,949
Police	209,323	4,974	484,469
Public Health	446,958	9,648	392,521
Elections	81,820	3,932	222,260
Total	1,220,597	73,855	\$4,151,159

Fiscal Year 2010-11 Total To-Date					
Department	Cumulative Regular Hours	Cumulative Overtime Hours	Cumulative Percentage Overtime vs. Regular Hours	Cumulative Percent of Total Citywide Overtime	Cumulative Overtime Pay
MTA	5,765,564	680,231	11.8%	46.3%	34,075,260
Fire	2,278,993	270,680	11.9%	18.4%	18,449,402
Police	3,503,944	91,166	2.6%	6.2%	8,776,438
Public Health	7,327,544	154,845	2.1%	10.5%	6,583,044
Sheriff	1,376,682	64,730	4.7%	4.4%	3,687,837
Total	20,252,727	1,261,652	6.6%	85.9%	\$71,571,981

Fiscal Year To-Date, Average per Pay Period			
Department	Regular Hours	Overtime Hours	Overtime Pay
MTA	345,243	40,732	2,040,435
Fire	136,467	16,208	1,104,755
Police	209,817	5,459	525,535
Public Health	438,775	9,272	394,194
Sheriff	82,436	3,876	220,829
Total	1,212,738	75,548	\$4,285,747

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Appendix 2: Monthly Overtime Report



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Edwin M. Lee
Mayor

Department of Public Health

March 9, 2011

Ms Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

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BY _____

Dear Ms Calvillo:

Pursuant to the Human Rights Commission's instructions, the Department of Public Health (DPH) wishes to notify the Board of Supervisors that DPH has requested the following waiver from compliance with Chapter 12B of the City's Administrative Code:

- **Sightlife:** For the purchase of cornea tissue for transplant procedures at San Francisco General Hospital.

The attached 12B Waiver was prepared in accordance with the instructions from the Human Rights Commission.

Please contact Harry Mar at 554-2839 should you have questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jacquie Hale", written in a cursive style.

Jacquie Hale
Director, Office of Contract Management and Compliance

City and County of San Francisco



Gavin Newsom
Mayor

Department of Public Health

MEMORANDUM

TO: Theresa Sparks, Executive Director, Human Rights Commission
THROUGH: Barbara A. Garcia, MPA, Director of Health
FROM: Jacquie Hale, Director, DPH Office of Contracts Management
DATE: March 8, 2011
SUBJECT: 12B Waiver

The Department of Public Health (DPH) respectfully requests approval of the attached 12B Waiver for the following:

Sightlife:

Commodity/Service: Purchase of cornea tissue for transplant.

Amount: Utilization is estimated at \$50,000 per year.

Fund Source: General Fund

Term: 4/01/2011 through 12/31/2011

Rationale for this waiver:

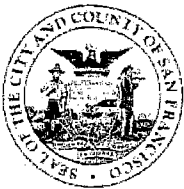
SFGH Department of Ophthalmology has purchase cornea tissues for transplant procedures from California Transplant Services, a 12B compliant vendor that provides cornea tissues for transplant, bone for orthopedic and reconstructive surgery, skin for burn and trauma surgery, and tendons and ligaments for sports medicine. However, the Department has become dissatisfied with the quality of cornea tissues delivered from California Transplant Services, that with increasing frequency, the tissues delivered did not match the specifications of the tissues ordered. This is most problematic since packages containing fragile cornea tissue for transplant can only be examined just prior to the transplant operation, and if the tissue does not match the tissue specified, the surgical procedure cannot proceed and must be cancelled; causing a major inconvenience to both the patients and the SFGH Medical staff, as well as the waste of time, money and resources expended on preparing for the surgical procedures. Therefore, the SFGH Department of Ophthalmology Medical staff is requesting a 12B Waiver to purchase cornea tissues from Sightlife, an eye bank dealing only with eye tissue and, a more reliable source of cornea tissue.

- The SFGH Department of Ophthalmology Medical staff, through their private practices outside SFGH, has determined that cornea tissues delivered from Sightlife are always consistent with the tissues specified in their orders.

SFGH will continue to purchase bone for orthopedic and reconstructive surgery, skin for burn and trauma surgery, and tendons and ligaments for sports medicine from California Transplant Services.

For inquiries on cornea tissues for transplant, call Bennie H. Jeng, MD, Chief, Dept. of Ophthalmology, SFGH, (415) 206-8304, or for questions concerning this waiver request, please call Harry Mar at 554-2839 or Robert Longhitano at 554-2659.

Thank you for your consideration.



CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO
HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

S.F. ADMINISTRATIVE CODE CHAPTERS 12B and 14B
WAIVER REQUEST FORM
(HRC Form 201)

FOR HRC USE ONLY

Request Number:

➤ Section 1. Department Information

Department Head Signature: _____

Name of Department: Public Health

Department Address: 101 Grove St. Rm. 307 San Francisco, CA 94102

Contact Person: Jacquie Hale

Phone Number: 554-2607 Fax Number: 554-2555

➤ Section 2. Contractor Information

Contractor Name: SIGHTLIFE Vendor No.: 83253

Contractor Address: 221 YALE AVE N #450, SEATTLE WA 98109

Contact Person: _____ Contact Phone No.: _____

➤ Section 3. Transaction Information

Date Waiver Request Submitted: MAR 08 2011 Type of Contract: Medical goods

Contract Start Date: 4/1/2011 End Date: 12/31/2011 Dollar Amount of Contract: \$ 50,000

➤ Section 4. Administrative Code Chapter to be Waived (please check all that apply)

- ☒ Chapter 12B
☒ Chapter 14B Note: Employment and LBE subcontracting requirements may still be in force even when a 14B waiver (type A or B) is granted.

➤ Section 5. Waiver Type (Letter of Justification *must* be attached, see Check List on back of page.)

- ☐ A. Sole Source
☐ B. Emergency (pursuant to Administrative Code §6.60 or 21.15)
☐ C. Public Entity
☒ D. No Potential Contractors Comply – Copy of waiver request sent to Board of Supervisors on: _____
☐ E. Government Bulk Purchasing Arrangement – Copy of this request sent to Board of Supervisors on: _____
☐ F. Sham/Shell Entity – Copy of waiver request sent to Board of Supervisors on: _____
☐ G. Subcontracting Goals
☐ H. Local Business Enterprise (LBE) (for contracts in excess of \$5 million; see Admin. Code §14B.7.1.3)

HRC ACTION

12B Waiver Granted: _____
12B Waiver Denied: _____

14B Waiver Granted: _____
14B Waiver Denied: _____

Reason for Action: _____

HRC Staff: _____ Date: _____

HRC Staff: _____ Date: _____

HRC Director: _____ Date: _____

DEPARTMENT ACTION – This section must be completed and returned to HRC for waiver types D, E & F.

Date Waiver Granted: _____ Contract Dollar Amount: _____

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Land-Use

February 22, 2011

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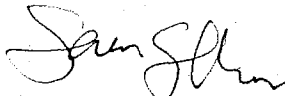
To whom it may concern,

I'm writing in support of the preservation for dog walking access throughout the Golden Gate National Recreation Area. I urge you to keep the parks open for dogs.

When you're considering the Environmental Impact Statement for dog management, please consider that animals have a wonderful impact on human lives. Studies show that we live longer and happier lives when we have a loving relationship with an animal. Part of that love is walking through a nice park. The majority of dog owners are responsible people, please do not restrict access because of a few irresponsible people.

Thanks for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Sara Schwab, San Francisco Resident

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smart meters
Dona Templeman to: Board.of.Supervisors

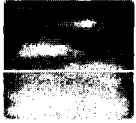
03/10/2011 09:02 PM

Dona Templeman	smart meters

Please ban the smart meters from San Francisco. Thank you.

Dona

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To:
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: Bring us new technology

From: "Joe Orefice" <oreficej@pacbell.net>
To: "Ms. Angela Calvillo" <Angela.Calvillo@sfgov.org>
Date: 03/10/2011 05:04 PM
Subject: Bring us new technology

Ms. Calvillo,

It just seems logical that as a representative of the city, you'll do what you can to bring vital technology infrastructure to those of us who are anxious to receive it. Can I count on you to make it so?

Thank you

Sincerely,

Joe Orefice
3716 Taraval St
San Francisco, CA 94116

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To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution,
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: municipal fiber

From: dana <dsniezko@yahoo.com>
To: board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org
Date: 03/08/2011 11:39 AM
Subject: municipal fiber

Dear SF Board,

I urge you to consider building out a publicly-owned fiber-based internet infrastructure in San Francisco. Creating cheap, blazing fast and readily accessible internet connections will spur new innovation and help our city gain and retain talent, as well as connect those who have been left out from digital access.

While having some upfront costs, the network could easily recoup any cost by using a wholesale model, allowing providers to sell retail-level service while city retains ownership of the fiber and network. A free level of service could be stipulated to guarantee all have access.

I understand the recent budget pressure, but financing such a network with bonds would pay off in the long run, and deliver our city a level of innovation unmatched in the United States (<https://www.nytimes.com/2011/03/06/business/06digi.html>).

I encourage you to take a second look at Fiber feasibility study drafted in 2007 (<http://www.sfgov3.org/index.aspx?page=1442>), and move forward to implement a plan of action. It would be a huge gain for San Francisco, and in the long run, a new source of revenue for the city.

Dana Sniezko
SF Resident



To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution,
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: Supervisor Pass illegal taxi legislation

From: Ed Healy <healed2@gmail.com>
To: Ahmad Sidaoui <a_sidaoui@msn.com>, Art Lembke <yc592@att.net>, Athan Rebelos <athanrebelos@gmail.com>, Barry Korengold <bkor@pacbell.net>, Best Cab <linusoha@yahoo.com>, Bill Minikel <bminikel@yahoo.com>, Board of Supervisors <Board.of.Supervisors@sfgov.org>, Brad Newsham <newsham@mac.com>, Brian Rosen <rosenbri@hotmail.com>, Bud Hazelkorn <budhaz@sonic.net>, Buzz Brooks <buzzardjazz@gmail.com>, Carl Macmurdo <cmac906@yahoo.com>, Chris Sweis <royaltaxi@sbcglobal.net>, "Christopher Fulkerson, Ph.D." <christopher@christopherfulkerson.com>, David <dshanlay@yahoo.com>, David K <david_khan415@yahoo.com>, "Ford, Nathaniel" <Nathaniel.Ford@sfmta.com>, Francoise Spiegelman <francoisebouvvy@hotmail.com>, Hansu Kim <hansusf@gmail.com>, "Hayashi, Christiane" <Christiane.Hayashi@sfmta.com>, Jam Khajvandi <goldensand23@yahoo.com>, John Han <1johnhan@earthlink.net>, Laurie Graham <sftaxigirl@mac.com>, Mariana <ig2g4g@yahoo.com>, Mark Gruberg <mark1106@att.net>, Mort Weinstein <m.f.weinstein@gmail.com>, MTABoard@SFMTA.com, Murai <murai@muraiart.com>, Peter Kirby <peterakirby@yahoo.com>, Rebecca Reynolds Lytle <Rebecca_Lytle@SanFranciscoFCU.com>, Richard Hybels <metrocab@pacbell.net>, Rua <ruachg@energy-net.org>, sftaxi@talk.netatlantic.com, Steve Gee <sgee@maxcab.com>, TARIQ MEHMOOD <tariq7863@msn.com>, timothy lapp <tlapp10082@hotmail.com>, Victoria <victorialansdown@yahoo.com>
Date: 03/10/2011 07:50 AM
Subject: Supervisor Pass illegal taxi legislation

Hi,
<http://phantomcabdriverphites.blogspot.com/>
Ed



To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution,
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: Racial Discrimination Complaint

From: Hannah Frank <hfrank2@horizon.csueastbay.edu>
To: John.Avalos@sfgov.org
Cc: Board.of.Supervisors@sfgov.org
Date: 03/10/2011 03:10 PM
Subject: Racial Discrimination Complaint

Supervisor Avalos,

I am writing to you because my dad says you are on the level. I don't know where to start, but I would like to file a complaint of racial discrimination in hiring and promotions within the San Francisco Parks Trust (specifically the Conservatory of Flowers). Because they are subcontracting work that used to be city employment, they must report to a particular committee of the Board of Supervisors: Is this where I should start? Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Hannah Frank
415-939-0794
hfrank2@horizon.csueastbay.edu



To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution,
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: Fairmont Tower

From: jlwiener@att.net
To: board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org
Date: 03/10/2011 10:47 AM
Subject: Fairmont Tower

To the San Francisco Board of Supervisors:

Please do not allow the pressures of money, and the influence which it might buy, to allow inadvisable public policy and an unthinkable result for Nob Hill and the City and County of San Francisco.

No demolition project of the magnitude of razing the Fairmont Tower has occurred in the history of San Francisco, for good reason: Demolishing a structure of such a substantial size is inconceivable, in the disruption involved, the toxic dust generated, and the noise created.

The Fairmont should be permitted to do virtually whatever it wishes within the envelope of the current tower. The problems associated with razing the tower compel defeating any proposal to pursue demolition. The Fairmont should not be allowed to demolish the Fairmont Tower.

The world will not come to an end if the Fairmont's options are limited to the development that can occur within the four walls of the existing tower. The world will seemingly come to an end for its Nob Hill neighbors, for months upon end, if the Fairmont Tower is brought down.

Yes, it will be more lucrative for the owners of the Fairmont if they are allowed to do whatever they want. No, it will not be pleasant for those of us in the surrounding area, if the Fairmont Tower is demolished.

Please help the Nob Hill residents avoid the nightmare scenario which is the demolition of the Fairmont Tower. Please do whatever is humanly possible to prevent the Fairmont from demolishing the Fairmont Tower.

There are many things that the corporation can do, with good effect for the Fairmont, the neighborhood, and the City and County of San Francisco, without pursuing a plan that involves the demolition of the Fairmont Tower.

I thank you for considering these thoughts and for any assistance which you might provide.

With best regards, Jay Wiener, 850 Powell Street, San Francisco, California 94108

Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

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brass to: board.of.supervisors

03/14/2011 09:30 AM



brass

Stop the Fairmont's bloated development project!

It is totally inappropriate for the area and will not serve our neighborhood any more than the current Fairmont Hotel does.

The Fairmont has have never extended so much as a finger as a good-will gesture to its neighbors.

Baxter Rice
850 Powell St. #602
San Francisco, CA 94108
(415) 269-1050



To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution,
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: Opposition to the Fairmont's Condo Development

From: <michael.meniktas@ubs.com>
To: <board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org>
Date: 03/10/2011 09:55 AM
Subject: Opposition to the Fairmont's Condo Development

I would like to state my opposition to the Fairmont's intent to demolish and develop condos at the hotel in Nob Hill.

I am a resident located at 850 Powell Street, #200, SF 94108

Thank you.

The Meniktas Group

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To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution, Gail Johnson/BOS/SFGOV,
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: File 110186: Opposition to resolution

From: Lena <emmeryl@aol.com>
To: judson.true@sfgov.org, board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org, mayoredwinlee@sfgov.org
Date: 03/08/2011 09:43 AM
Subject: Opposition to resolution

Dear Mayor Lee and Supervisors,

The Cole Valley Improvement Association urges you to oppose resolution File # 110186 regarding the "recycling" center that is on the agenda today as item 22.

We have been trying for decades to reclaim this area from the inappropriate, industrial use currently in place. The Recreation and Parks Department has the right and duty to end the current use and we support their efforts. The Community Garden planned for the site has wide public support and will be a great asset for the entire neighborhood.

We need your help to move forward with the new vision.

Thank you.

Lena Emmery, President, Cole Valley Improvement Association

1442 Willard Street
San Francisco, CA 94117
415.661.0681
cell:415.740.0379

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To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution, Gail Johnson/BOS/SFGOV,
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: File 101491: Vote NO to continue HANC Recycling Center Lease

From: "Joan Downey" <jdowney324@aol.com>
To: <board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org>
Cc: <mayoredwinlee@sfgov.org>, <judson.true@sfgov.org>
Date: 03/08/2011 12:32 PM
Subject: Vote NO to continue HANC Recycling Center Lease

Supervisors,

Please vote against the resolution to continue the lease for the HANC Recycling Center.

This is an inappropriate use for our precious park land. It's an industrial use in Golden Gate Park and in our residential neighborhood. Drop-off recycling was an innovative concept 30 years ago but now, with curbside recycling, it's no longer needed.

To make up for the loss of the drop-off business, most of their volume comes from trucks bringing in material from commercial establishments and other recycling centers. The material is sorted and then trucked away in bigger trucks. This part of their business could be - and should be - done in an area zoned for industrial use.
Thank you for your consideration.

Joan Downey
324 Carl St (within earshot of the noise from the HANC Recycling Center)



To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution, Gail Johnson/BOS/SFGOV,
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: OPPOSE today's Recycling/Kezar Resolution

From: Andrea Jadwin <ajadwin@pacbell.net>
To: "David.Chiu@sfgov.org" <David.Chiu@sfgov.org>
Cc: "Board.of.Supervisors@sfgov.org" <Board.of.Supervisors@sfgov.org>,
"Ross.Mirkarimi@sfgov.org" <Ross.Mirkarimi@sfgov.org>, "malia.cohen@sfgov.org"
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"Vallie.Brown@sfgov.org" <Vallie.Brown@sfgov.org>, "jon.lau@sfgov.org" <jon.lau@sfgov.org>
Date: 03/08/2011 12:17 PM
Subject: Re: OPPOSE today's Recycling/Kezar Resolution

Supervisor Chiu, we respectfully ask that you continue to lead the board in working for the residents of San Francisco and to avoid the distractions of narrow political interests.

It's well past time for HANC to grow their business into an enterprise that works successfully with the community, with the City's curbside program and with our parks.

Support of this non binding resolution will do nothing but delay that process.

Inner Sunset Park Neighbors and 5 other surrounding neighborhood organizations need your leadership.

Thank you.

Andrea Jadwin

Co-President, Inner Sunset Park Neighbors

www.inner-sunset.org

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 8, 2011, at 11:00 AM, Jarie Bolander <jarie.bolander@gmail.com> wrote:

The North Panhandle Neighborhood Association (NOPNA) respectfully urges you to **OPPOSE the proposed Resolution, File No. 110186 regarding "Recycling,"** which is on today's Board of Supervisors Agenda as Item 22.

Though "non-binding," this Resolution is against the City's overall interests. The Resolution is unnecessary and counter-productive. There are plans already in motion by Rec/Park and Dept. of Environment, to address important recycling issues in our City.

To put it simply, parks are for people and not industrial uses. There is a huge demand for community gardens and we, as a city, need to address this demand by using our park

space for building community.

NOPNA's position is consistent with those of all other major neighborhood and merchant organizations in the area near Kezar. The opposing groups combined have hundreds of paid, current, active Members and represent thousands of households in their areas.

Please support the excellent staff work being done now by the Department of Environment and Rec/Park, to further address the changing landscape of recycling in San Francisco.

Thanks in advance for your consideration

Jarie Bolander
President, NOPNA



To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution, Gail Johnson/BOS/SFGOV,
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Subject: File 110186: OPPOSE today's Recycling/Kezar Resolution

From: Jarie Bolander <jarie.bolander@gmail.com>
To: David.Chiu@sfgov.org, Board.of.Supervisors@sfgov.org, Ross.Mirkarimi@sfgov.org,
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Cc: MayorEdwinLee@sfgov.org, Johanna.Partin@sfgov.org, Phil.Ginsburg@sfgov.org,
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jon.lau@sfgov.org
Date: 03/08/2011 10:59 AM
Subject: OPPOSE today's Recycling/Kezar Resolution

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Jarie Bolander
President, NOPNA



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S.F. Board of Supervisors President Chiu,
and all Members of the Board of Supervisors
cc: Mayor Lee and staff, Sup. Chiu's staff aides, DoE, Rec/Park, concurring neighborhood groups

Buena Vista Neighborhood Association (BVNA) respectfully urges you to **OPPOSE the proposed Resolution, File No. 110186 regarding "Recycling,"** which is on today's Board of Supervisors Agenda as Item 22.

Though "non-binding," this Resolution is against the City's overall interests. The Resolution is unnecessary and counter-productive. There are plans already in motion by Rec/Park and Dept. of Environment, to address important recycling issues in our City. Today's Resolution is a thinly-veiled attempt to support continued operation of an obsolete, inappropriate, industrial/commercial recycling center operated by HANC (Haight Ashbury Neighborhood Council) on Rec/Park property in Golden Gate Park, adjacent Kezar Stadium. That recycling operation has been a source of residential neighbors' complaints and disruption for years. It is contrary to the Golden Gate Park Master Plan. HANC has been on notice for years that its operation at Kezar is outmoded and should be moved to an industrial site. HANC has stubbornly, steadfastly ignored that message and now is dragging its feet in the face of a lawful administrative eviction notice. Please do not enable this contrarian behavior by supporting today's Resolution.

BVNA's position is consistent with those of all other major neighborhood and merchant organizations in the area near Kezar, except HANC. The opposing groups combined have hundreds of paid, current, active Members and represent thousands of households in their areas.

Please support excellent staff work being done now by the Department of Environment and Rec/Park, to further address the changing landscape of recycling in San Francisco. Today's Resolution is counter-productive and unnecessary.

Thank you for considering these comments.

Richard Magary

Steering Committee Chair

Buena Vista Neighborhood Association (BVNA)

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3/7/2011 9:00pst



To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution,
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Subject: rejection of File #101483 re: Kezar parking lot fees

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Subject: rejection of File #101483 re: Kezar parking lot fees

Dear President Chiu and the rest of the Board of Supervisors,

I am writing to ask why, after informing all of you of the requirements and prohibitions of Government Codes 50402 and 54986 regarding fee increases and the provision to the public of data regarding the cost or estimated cost to provide the use or service for which the fees are being charged, you have chosen to pass File #101483.

The legislative file for File #101483 contains absolutely no data in support of the fee legislation - no Recreation and Park report, no Budget Analyst report, no cost information whatsoever! This is clearly a violation of Government Code Section 54986.

Furthermore, as you all know, the Kezar parking lot fees, under the current management agreement with ABC for operation of the Kezar lot, yield revenues that clearly exceed the cost to provide the service. **The entire reason for laying off and eliminating the union positions that formerly operated the Kezar lot was to decrease costs and increase revenues.** As such, the legislation creating the Kezar parking lot fees and approving the management agreement with ABC parking to operate and management the Kezar lot appear to violate Code Section 50402 prohibition against charging fees for use of or services provided on park land that exceed the cost of the use or service. I have just completed a thorough review of the legislative history of Code Section 50402. **Please be advised that parking is definitely one of the uses to which 50402 applies.**

Finally, as fees that clearly exceed the costs to provide the use of public park land, the Kezar parking lot fees may also violate Prop 26. All revenue (profit) to the City from the Kezar parking lot fees is deposited into the City's General Fund. Taxes disguised as fees require a 2/3 approval by the voters. Fees charged for the use and enjoyment of public park land and services provided therein are not considered taxes so long as the fees for the benefit or service received therefrom do not exceed the cost to provide the use or service. Prop 26's exception for fees to enter or use government property does not apply to public park property. Nearly thirty years ago, the California state legislature declared that local park land is not intended or allowed to serve as a revenue generating asset. **The prohibitions of Code Section 50402 are clear as are the cost information requirements of Code Section 54986.**

Please re-consider your approval of this legislation and urge Mayor Lee to reject File #101483. **The City and County of San Francisco should not consider any fee based legislation until the City Attorney has had more time to review the requirements of Code Sections 50402 and 54986 and the implications of Prop 26 for any city and county fees that exceed costs.** Parks are for people not profits! What's next? Building an enormous "aesthetically

pleasing" wall/fence around Golden Gate Park and charging people a fee to enter the grounds?
The privatization of San Francisco's public park space must stop now.

Please include this letter as part of the correspondence for the next Board of Supervisors meeting.

Sincerely,
Anmarie Mabbutt

Janan New
San Francisco Apartment Association
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San Francisco Board of Supervisors
c/o Angela Calvilo (Clerk of the Board of Supervisors)
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
City Hall, Room 244
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Dear San Francisco Board of Supervisors:

As a long time resident of San Francisco and executive director of the San Francisco Apartment Association (SFAA), I'm writing to ask your support for the Parkmerced Vision project.

As you may know the SFAA advocates for the creation of well-designed, well-located housing and supports home ownership for San Franciscans. Parkmerced's proposal to create several hundred new housing units (both for sale and for rent) and improve access to public transportation has secured our support.

SFAA appreciates that the Parkmerced management team has carefully considered both in-unit comfort and neighborhood-wide amenities. The existing units at Parkmerced are outdated, environmentally inefficient and located inconveniently far from transit, shopping and job centers. The proposed project will greatly improve resident quality of life, creating accessible units with many updated in-unit elements such as dishwashers and low-flow fixtures. The project will also redesign the community-wide areas, turning currently unused open space (such as broad medians) into usable outdoor gathering areas, and bringing in new retail to serve the residents. Finally, project management is working closely with MUNI to provide development monies to improve public transit access. These will improve the housing quality and neighborhood benefits for everyone in west San Francisco.

Another key aim of SFAA is to ensure that future generations—including the children of existing Parkmerced residents—will be able to afford to live in San Francisco. Unless we continue to expand our housing supply, this will not be possible. The Parkmerced project will create thousands of high-quality, environmentally friendly new units, establishing sustainable growth in this underdeveloped area.

Further, the opportunity for current residents and prospective residents to purchase a home on San Francisco west side cannot be under emphasized. The lack of opportunity for home ownership has been detrimental to the improvement of the many basic needs of all of San Franciscans.

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The proposed Parkmerced project is a boon to the quality and availability of housing in San Francisco. Please join me in supporting the project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Janan New".

Janan New
Executive Director

Cc: David Chiu, Board President; Supervisor Mar, Supervisor Michaela Alioto-Pier, Supervisor Chu, Supervisor Mirkarimi, Supervisor Daly, Supervisor Elsbernd, Supervisor Duffy, Supervisor Campos, Supervisor Maxwell, Supervisor Avalos

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Dear Board of Supervisors:

I am a resident of Parkmerced and I am writing in strong support of Parkmerced's revitalization and redevelopment.

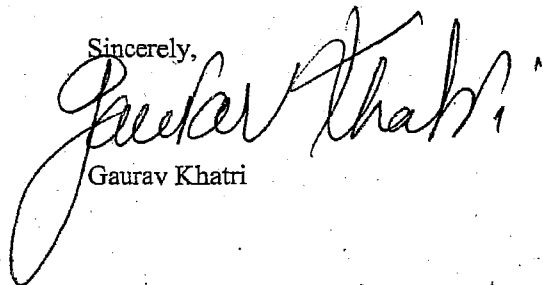
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- Renewable energy sources (wind, solar) that would create a sustainable energy plan
- Transit-first changes that would reduce the need for cars, including:
 - new bike and pedestrian paths
 - new retail stores within 10-minutes walking distance of all residents
 - public transportation efforts like a more accessible MUNI station and a new shuttle to BART and shopping
 - A transportation coordinator to head programs like carpool programs, bike sharing, and the above-listed efforts

I believe implementing Parkmerced's vision will contribute to the betterment of the neighborhood by providing much needed housing, transportation improvements and a stronger sense of community.

I support Parkmerced's plan and urge you to approve it.

Sincerely,



Gaurav Khatri

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Dear San Francisco Board of Supervisors:

I am a resident of Parkmerced and I am writing in strong support of the Parkmerced redevelopment and revitalization.

The current owners of Parkmerced are actively working to make our neighborhood more environmentally sustainable. They have initiated and completed several site improvements that were left unacknowledged for years and I stand behind their efforts to create a more environmentally sound and socially conscious community.

Unfortunately, Parkmerced's existing units are not environmentally friendly. The units have inadequate plumbing and electrical service, are poorly insulated and are generally wasteful of precious resources. The residents largely depend on automobiles because of a lack of bicycle and transit infrastructure. The Parkmerced Vision project responds to these concerns by implementing energy efficient units, new transit programs and infrastructure, and bicycle pathways. The project team also plans on using native plants and reducing water use lost through landscaping while beautifying our community.

I look forward to new neighborhood serving retail amenities, the use of alternative energy sources, reduced water usage and improved access for bikes and pedestrians. I urge you to support the Parkmerced project.

Sincerely,



Reiko Kawai

March 6, 2011

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Dear President Chiu and the Board of Supervisors:

We are residents of Parkmerced and we are expressing our support for the Parkmerced Vision development project and urge you, the rest of the Board of Supervisors and the Mayor to approve this project at the earliest opportunity.

A few groups, including Tenants Together and Parkmerced Action Coalition, have recently begun to speak against the Parkmerced Vision. These small groups do not speak for us or the majority of residents at Parkmerced. They continue to misrepresent facts about resident protections and the relocation process which have been clearly outlined in the Development Agreement. It has only been in the past few months that these groups started spreading inaccurate information about "displacement" and "demolition," tactics used most likely to fuel fear amongst us. These groups have been unwilling to truly understand the project let alone work with anyone in a practical way to address their concerns like we have.

We have been and continue to be involved in the collaborative planning process and are well informed. Parkmerced management and City staff have been meeting and working openly with us for over five years - engaging us in project planning and keeping us informed throughout the process. Their fundamental commitment to protect us has been stated early and repeatedly throughout the planning process. More importantly, they have been true to their commitments so far and we understand that the Resident Guarantees will continue to protect our rights and our homes, regardless of who owns Parkmerced. This gives us great comfort and assurance.

The Guarantees promise that any resident who lives in an existing garden home will be provided a **brand new unit at the same rent-controlled rate** with the same rent control protections as their existing apartment and with the same lease terms. Convenience will be improved as replacement homes will have all new appliances and fixtures: including a dishwasher and washer/dryer. Safety will be improved since buildings will meet or exceed all current code and seismic requirements which addresses the issue of constant maintenance in the existing homes. Because replacement homes will be more efficient we will experience lower utility bills. And the community as a whole will benefit, especially seniors, due to improved accessibility.

The Vision brings much needed improvements to our aging neighborhood. We will all experience improved transportation services, community amenities, shopping, parks, pedestrian safety and energy conservation in what will be a revolutionary neighborhood.

We live at Parkmerced. We have to live in the buildings that are becoming challenging to maintain because of their age and poor original construction. Continuing the cycle of constant repair does not make any practical or financial sense for residents or Parkmerced.

Listen when we say: it is time to replace and rebuild Parkmerced. We are urging you to approve the Parkmerced project at the earliest opportunity.

Sincerely,

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c/o Angela Calvilo (Clerk of the Board of Supervisors)
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
City Hall, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

Dear San Francisco Board of Supervisors:

I have been a resident of Parkmerced for 17 years where I also raised my son Joel and I am writing in support of the Parkmerced project.

Parkmerced has had many different owners, but the current owners have proven themselves to be the most involved and committed. In the past few years, the new owners have addressed maintenance issues that were delayed for years under previous management. My current garden unit is outdated and inefficient and it has reached the point where being replaced is the best option. I am excited that the current managers are proposing broad improvements that will benefit both existing and future residents.

I am also pleased that management is making efforts to reduce the impacts of Parkmerced's environmental footprint. The Parkmerced area is large and not very dense, so there is enormous possibility to do significant upgrades to the community that will positively impact San Francisco's impacts on environmental resources. The proposed transit infrastructure will reduce our carbon emissions, the new landscaping will reduce water usage, and the new buildings will make more efficient use of greener, alternative energy sources.

My family and I have a history in Parkmerced and we are planning for a future here as well. We look forward to seeing this project developed and urge you to support the Parkmerced managers.

Sincerely,

Carol Koppel

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September 27, 2010

The Honorable Members of the Board of Supervisors
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
City Hall, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

Dear Members of the Board of Supervisors:

I live near Parkmerced complex and have had the opportunity to interact with the property's owners and managers. It is my belief that Parkmerced's owners are dedicated to improving the property and I support the proposal for revitalizing the neighborhood.

Parkmerced's owners have made an active effort to involve residents and neighbors in the planning effort. I have personally witnessed their hard work to inform the nearby residents of the proposed renovation and have received many notices of their meetings to listen to the concerns of the residents.

For years, we have informed Parkmerced owners that we want amenities similar to other neighborhoods: community gathering places, shops and stores. The small shopping area currently in Parkmerced is in dire need of revitalization and I think the proposed plans will transform the area. The plan to construct a community center, fitness center, mini parks and more green space is very inviting. Moreover, the plans for new retail stores such as cafes, a bank, dry cleaner, and restaurants will help fulfill the community's basic daily needs. With these amenities, life in Parkmerced will be more enjoyable and more convenient and will draw the nearby residents to frequent and use the stores and shops.

The proposed plans will not only benefit the Parkmerced residents; they will benefit the outlying neighborhood and the City and County of San Francisco. I think the Parkmerced property's owners and managers have done an admirable job of reaching out to the community and to help the existing community live more comfortably.

For the reasons outlined above, I support Parkmerced's plan and urge you to approve it.

Sincerely,


Shauna Marie Rose

c: Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board



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October 6, 2010

San Francisco Board of Supervisors
San Francisco City Hall
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

To the Honorable San Francisco Board of Supervisors:

This letter is to confirm our SUPPORT of the The Parkmerced Vision Project. This very important project will greatly improve the existing housing quality, comfort and availability for San Francisco. As a resident of San Francisco, registered voter, veteran rental housing provider in the City and leader with Professional Property Management Association, San Francisco Apartment Association and the Small Business Network - I'm writing to request your support for The Parkmerced Vision Project.

As a rental housing provider specific to the San Francisco market, I have worked with hundreds of Owners and thousands of residents to improve the quality of our city's housing supply. Parkmerced's proposal to redevelop outdated, drafty, and inefficient units and to create several hundred new, comfortable, energy-efficient units will improve the average resident's access to modern and sustainable housing in San Francisco for years to come.

The existing units at Parkmerced are, to put it simply, at the end of their useful life. The units require consistent maintenance calls, are wasteful of limited water and energy resources, are inappropriately less dense surrounding neighborhoods and provide limited means to get around without a car. The proposed project will improve energy and water efficiency, unit layout, handicap accessibility and overall resident comfort. The project will also encourage non-motorized transit by bringing in local retail and services, beginning a bicycle sharing network, implementing new multi-use paths to connect Parkmerced to surround neighborhoods, and coordinating the re-routing of public transportation. These improvements will improve the quality of life for residents in Parkmerced and city-wide.

For people currently living in displaced units, management will provide a choice of a new and better unit at the same price, and the owners have committed to maintaining current residents' rent control status.

The Parkmerced Vision Project will increase housing availability and quality for all of San Francisco. I fully support the project and urge you to do the same.

Respectfully,

Michelle L. Horneff-Cohen, Broker, CCRM, MPM® RMP®
Owner, Property Management Systems

Scott M. Foster, RA, LEED AP
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February 9, 2010

San Francisco Board of Supervisors
c/o Angela Calvillo (Clerk of the Board of Supervisors)
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
City Hall, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear San Francisco Planning Commission,

As a resident of San Francisco, a California licensed architect and a USGBC Legacy LEED Accredited Professional, I am writing to express my support for the planned revitalization of Parkmerced being considered by you tomorrow.

I had inspected interior unit renovations at the property for several years. My personal observations revealed two critical issues. First, the infrastructure of the low-rise garden apartment buildings had nearly exceeded its useful life. While fixtures and finishes were being replaced, it was obvious looking at the guts of these old buildings that the time to replace them was rapidly approaching, or in some cases had been exceeded. They have simply outlived their service-able life and continued bandaids would only allow wounds to fester below. These buildings were not originally built to last forever. Secondly, the density of this development did not seem appropriate for our world-class city. The scale would be more appropriate for an outlying suburban enclave. The original design concept for this property is a throwback to an era when people wanted to leave the cities in part because of their density. This nostalgia is simply neither appropriate nor desirable in a modern city such as ours. Opportunities for that sort of life style are abundant in the bay area- but across the bay and over the hills. We need to plan intelligently for population growth and this is a wonderful place to prudently allow this growth. There is, in my opinion, no significant historical or architectural greatness to be preserved here. I can say with the certainty of experience that the residents who now oppose this project will ultimately celebrate the barrier-free, seismically engineered, and improved water, electric and heat of the proposed new buildings.

Our city's Transit First policy would be well served by the proposal in front of you. The current development was created in an age when the car was king, and this approach is not sustainable. Extending our public transportation system into a denser housing development is a win-win for all of us.

I support Parkmerced's plan and urge you to approve it.

Sincerely,

Scott M. Foster, RA, LEED AP

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c/o Angela Calvillo (Clerk of the Board of Supervisors)
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
City Hall, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

Dear San Francisco Board of Supervisors:

I have been a resident of Parkmerced for 4 years. I'm writing to ask you to support the Parkmerced development project.

This project will bring numerous improvements to our neighborhood. Some improvements include:

- New, more comfortable units
- Environmentally responsible landscaping and energy use
- Improved access to MUNI
- Better access to open space (no more wasted space in the medians of roadways)
- New gym, community center and business center
- New bike paths that will connect Parkmerced to other neighborhoods

I'm particularly excited that this project will implement improved access to MUNI. As we are all aware, San Francisco and MUNI are severely underfunded in this economy.

Although these transportation improvements are needed and have broad community support, as of right now there is simply no money available for these much needed MUNI improvements. The Parkmerced managers are committed to coordinating the transit improvements and in funding the upgrades, moving this vital project forward.

I appreciate the outreach that the Parkmerced managers have made in our community, ensuring that neighbors and residents are informed of the project. The Parkmerced Vision project will be a boon to west San Francisco. Please support the project.

Sincerely,


Chris Cunnie



To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution, Joy Lamug/BOS/SFGOV,
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Subject: File 110206: Stop the demolition of a national eligible masterplanned community.

From: David Parkinson <mail@change.org>
To: board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org
Date: 03/08/2011 10:29 AM
Subject: Stop the demolition of a national eligible masterplanned community.

Help protect and advocate for adequate working class housing in San Francisco.,

Please help to prevent the unnecessary destruction of housing, and a landscape designed by a master-class landscape architect Thomas Dolliver Church. Help advocate for better infrastructural changes along 19th Avenue and proper direct regional connection to transit hubs to reduce traffic and congestion that flows along this arterial corridor from the north bay to silicon valley. Demand better housing to be built that provides dense development that does not destroy the open-space that is critical in urban areas for families. Require that alternatives that focus on "INFILL" and a more balanced development layout that spreads the density into more than one neighborhood disproportionately. Ensure that the ecological impacts, and carbon footprint of the development proposal is independently reviewed and adequately assessed. Ensure that there will be housing that is affordable and meant to increase the level of affordability and quality of housing constructed in urban areas and suburbs nationwide by stopping the predatory equity lending that occurs in such large scale redevelopment projects and helps refocus our building strategies towards re-engineering the suburban scale of sprawl outside our urban cores.

Thank you for your support and interest in housing, jobs, and the environment.

Sincerely

Aaron Goodman

David Parkinson
San Francisco, CA

Note: this email was sent as part of a petition started on Change.org, viewable at www.change.org/petitions/protect-and-preserve-parkmerced-as-essential-housing-from-un-sustainable-demolition. To respond, email responses@change.org and include a link to this petition.



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October 8, 2010

Hon. David Chiu
President
Board of Supervisors
City Hall, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102

RE: Parkmerced Master Plan

Dear Sup. Chiu:

The San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, representing over 1,500 businesses from throughout the city, strongly supports the master plan process now under way for Parkmerced.

The mission of the Chamber is to attract, develop and retain business in San Francisco. The redevelopment of Parkmerced will create an environment that supports these goals by promoting job growth, economic expansion and enhanced quality of life for the community. This sustainable plan will reduce sprawl and provide new housing near jobs and transit.

Over the next twenty years San Francisco will have the opportunity to provide its share of regional "smart growth" at Hunters Point, Treasure Island and Parkmerced. We look forward to working with the Board of Supervisors to make all these plans a reality.

Sincerely,

JIM LAZARUS
Sr. Vice President

cc. Each Member, Board of Supervisors

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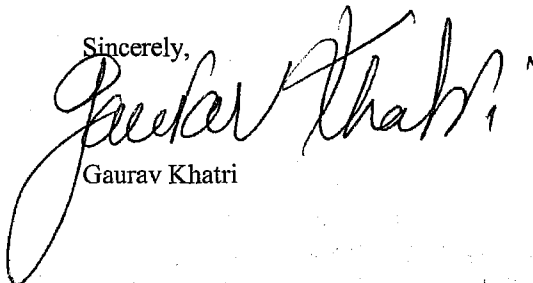
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 - new retail stores within 10-minutes walking distance of all residents
 - public transportation efforts like a more accessible MUNI station and a new shuttle to BART and shopping
 - A transportation coordinator to head programs like carpool programs, bike sharing, and the above-listed efforts

I believe implementing Parkmerced's vision will contribute to the betterment of the neighborhood by providing much needed housing, transportation improvements and a stronger sense of community.

I support Parkmerced's plan and urge you to approve it.

Sincerely,



Gaurav Khatri

Reiko Kawai
202 Cardenas Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94132

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San Francisco Board of Supervisors
c/o Angela Calvilo (Clerk of the Board of Supervisors)
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
City Hall, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

Dear San Francisco Board of Supervisors:

I am a resident of Parkmerced and I am writing in strong support of the Parkmerced redevelopment and revitalization.

The current owners of Parkmerced are actively working to make our neighborhood more environmentally sustainable. They have initiated and completed several site improvements that were left unacknowledged for years and I stand behind their efforts to create a more environmentally sound and socially conscious community.

Unfortunately, Parkmerced's existing units are not environmentally friendly. The units have inadequate plumbing and electrical service, are poorly insulated and are generally wasteful of precious resources. The residents largely depend on automobiles because of a lack of bicycle and transit infrastructure. The Parkmerced Vision project responds to these concerns by implementing energy efficient units, new transit programs and infrastructure, and bicycle pathways. The project team also plans on using native plants and reducing water use lost through landscaping while beautifying our community.

I look forward to new neighborhood serving retail amenities, the use of alternative energy sources, reduced water usage and improved access for bikes and pedestrians. I urge you to support the Parkmerced project.

Sincerely,



Reiko Kawai

Janan New
San Francisco Apartment Association
265 Ivy Street
San Francisco, CA 94102

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c/o Angela Calvilo (Clerk of the Board of Supervisors)
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
City Hall, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

Dear San Francisco Board of Supervisors:

As a long time resident of San Francisco and executive director of the San Francisco Apartment Association (SFAA), I'm writing to ask your support for the Parkmerced Vision project.

As you may know the SFAA advocates for the creation of well-designed, well-located housing and supports home ownership for San Franciscans. Parkmerced's proposal to create several hundred new housing units (both for sale and for rent) and improve access to public transportation has secured our support.

SFAA appreciates that the Parkmerced management team has carefully considered both in-unit comfort and neighborhood-wide amenities. The existing units at Parkmerced are outdated, environmentally inefficient and located inconveniently far from transit, shopping and job centers. The proposed project will greatly improve resident quality of life, creating accessible units with many updated in-unit elements such as dishwashers and low-flow fixtures. The project will also redesign the community-wide areas, turning currently unused open space (such as broad medians) into usable outdoor gathering areas, and bringing in new retail to serve the residents. Finally, project management is working closely with MUNI to provide development monies to improve public transit access. These will improve the housing quality and neighborhood benefits for everyone in west San Francisco.

Another key aim of SFAA is to ensure that future generations—including the children of existing Parkmerced residents—will be able to afford to live in San Francisco. Unless we continue to expand our housing supply, this will not be possible. The Parkmerced project will create thousands of high-quality, environmentally friendly new units, establishing sustainable growth in this underdeveloped area.

Further, the opportunity for current residents and prospective residents to purchase a home on San Francisco west side cannot be under emphasized. The lack of opportunity for home ownership has been detrimental to the improvement of the many basic needs of all of San Franciscans.

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The proposed Parkmerced project is a boon to the quality and availability of housing in San Francisco. Please join me in supporting the project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Janan New", written in a cursive style.

Janan New
Executive Director

Cc: David Chiu, Board President; Supervisor Mar, Supervisor Michaela Alioto-Pier, Supervisor Chu, Supervisor Mirkarimi, Supervisor Daly, Supervisor Elsbernd, Supervisor Dufty, Supervisor Campos, Supervisor Maxwell, Supervisor Avalos



To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution, Joy Lamug/BOS/SFGOV,
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: File 110206: Stop the demolition of a national eligible masterplanned community.

From: Amanda Otero <mail@change.org>
To: board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org
Date: 03/09/2011 04:01 PM
Subject: Stop the demolition of a national eligible masterplanned community.

Help protect and advocate for adequate working class housing in San Francisco.,

Please help to prevent the unnecessary destruction of housing, and a landscape designed by a master-class landscape architect Thomas Dolliver Church. Help advocate for better infrastructural changes along 19th Avenue and proper direct regional connection to transit hubs to reduce traffic and congestion that flows along this arterial corridor from the north bay to silicon valley. Demand better housing to be built that provides dense development that does not destroy the open-space that is critical in urban areas for families. Require that alternatives that focus on "INFILL" and a more balanced development layout that spreads the density into more than one neighborhood disproportionately. Ensure that the ecological impacts, and carbon footprint of the development proposal is independently reviewed and adequately assessed. Ensure that there will be housing that is affordable and meant to increase the level of affordability and quality of housing constructed in urban areas and suburbs nationwide by stopping the predatory equity lending that occurs in such large scale redevelopment projects and helps refocus our building strategies towards re-engineering the suburban scale of sprawl outside our urban cores.

Thank you for your support and interest in housing, jobs, and the environment.

Sincerely

Aaron Goodman

Amanda Otero
San Francisco, CA

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To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution, Joy Lamug/BOS/SFGOV,
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From: Tom Maxwell <mail@change.org>
To: board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org
Date: 03/11/2011 04:37 AM
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Sincerely

Aaron Goodman

Tom Maxwell
Los Angeles, CA

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Joel Koppel
San Francisco Electrical Construction Industry
Labor-Management Office of Business Development
55 Fillmore Street
San Francisco, CA 94117

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San Francisco Board of Supervisors
c/o Angela Calvilo (Clerk of the Board of Supervisors)
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
City Hall, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

Dear San Francisco Board of Supervisors:

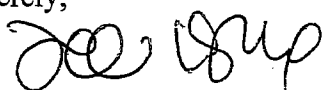
I grew up in Parkmerced and my mother is a current resident. I am writing in support of the Parkmerced project.

Parkmerced has had many different owners, but the current owners have proven themselves to be the most involved and committed. In the past few years, the new owners have addressed maintenance issues that were delayed for years under other management. However, speaking as a person who works in the electrical and construction industry, there comes a point when maintenance is only a temporary repair to what should be replaced. The current units, outdated and inefficient as they are, have reached the point where replacing the units is for the best. I am excited that the current managers are proposing broad improvements that will benefit both existing and future residents.

I am also pleased that management is making efforts to reduce the impacts of Parkmerced's environmental footprint. The Parkmerced area is large and not very dense, so there is enormous possibility to do significant upgrades to the community that will positively impact San Francisco's impacts on environmental resources. The proposed transit infrastructure will reduce our carbon emissions, the new landscaping will reduce water usage, and the new buildings will make more efficient use of greener, alternative energy sources.

My family and I have a history in Parkmerced and we are planning for a future here as well. We look forward to seeing this project developed and urge you to support the Parkmerced managers.

Sincerely,



Joel Koppel
Director



Real Management Company

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October 6, 2010

San Francisco Board of Supervisors
San Francisco City Hall
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

To the San Francisco Board of Supervisors:

The Parkmerced Vision project will greatly improve housing quality, comfort and availability in San Francisco. As a native San Francisco resident, voter, and longtime San Francisco property manager, I'm writing to ask your support for the Parkmerced Vision project. I grew up attending synagogue at Temple Beth-Israel Judea on Brotherhood Way, near to Parkmerced, and have always felt that the Parkmerced property was oddly designed for the area of the city in which it is situated. It is excessively car-centric and integrates wide swathes of grassy areas that are resource intensive, especially in a foggy area of San Francisco. The proposed modifications address these concerns, and others, in modern, creative ways that will be beneficial for San Francisco.


Parkmerced's proposal to redevelop outdated, drafty and inefficient units to create several hundred new, comfortable, energy-efficient units will improve the average resident's access to modern and sustainable housing in San Francisco.

The existing units at Parkmerced are, to put it simply, at the end of their useful life. The units require consistent maintenance calls, are wasteful of limited water and energy resources, are inappropriately less dense surrounding neighborhoods and provide limited means to get around - without a car. The proposed project will improve energy and water efficiency, unit layout, handicap accessibility and overall resident comfort. The project will also encourage non-motorized transit by bringing in local retail and services, beginning a bicycle sharing network, implementing new multi-use paths to connect Parkmerced to surround neighborhoods, and coordinating the re-routing of public transportation. These improvements will improve the quality of life for residents in Parkmerced and city-wide.

For people currently living in displaced units, management will provide a choice of a new and better unit at the same price, and the owners have committed to maintaining current residents' rent control status.

The Parkmerced Vision project will increase housing availability and quality in west San Francisco. I fully support the project and urge you to do the same.

Sincerely,


J. Panzer, CCM
Property Manager, Broker



To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution,

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Subject: File 110206: Stop the demolition of a national eligible masterplanned community.

B/F clerk

From: christine brazis <mail@change.org>
To: board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org
Date: 03/12/2011 12:44 PM
Subject: Stop the demolition of a national eligible masterplanned community.

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Sincerely

Aaron Goodman

christine brazis
san Francisco, CA

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Christopher & Isha Mok
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c/o Angela Calvilo (Clerk of the Board of Supervisors)
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
City Hall, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

Dear San Francisco Board of Supervisors:

As an 8 year resident of Parkmerced I have noticed that Parkmerced's owners are dedicated to improving the property and I support the proposal for revitalizing the neighborhood.

For years, I have believed that Parkmerced needed amenities similar to other neighborhoods: community gathering places, shops and stores. The revitalization plans recognize this by creating a community center, fitness center, community gardens, "pocket parks" and more accessible open space that is genuinely inviting. With these amenities, life in Parkmerced will be more enjoyable and more convenient.

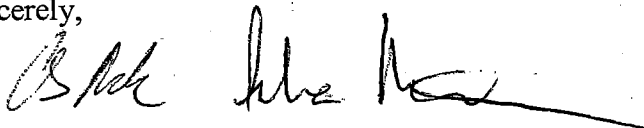
I support the need for smart housing growth in San Francisco and specifically in the southwest area near transit.

Approval of the project allows Muni and other agencies to work with Parkmerced to address the needed transit improvements on 19th Avenue.

The plan to improve housing and create a more cohesive neighborhood will have a lasting positive affect for our community. As I understand from the proposed plans, Parkmerced intends to implement a revitalization that both listens to existing residents and helps the community members live more comfortably. That they are really listening to what the residents want shows their commitment to improving this community.

I fully support Parkmerced's plan and urge you to approve it.

Sincerely,



Christopher & Isha Mok

AvalonBay

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March 11, 2011

Hon. John Avalos, Chair
Hon. Eric Mar, Vice-Chair
Hon. Sean Elsbernd
City Operations and Neighborhood Services Committee
San Francisco Board of Supervisors
City Hall, Room 235
One Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
San Francisco CA 94102

Re: File No. 110283: Urging AvalonBay Communities to Utilize Sub-Contractors that
Compensate Workers Consistent with Area Standard Wages

Dear Supervisors Avalos, Mar and Elsbernd:

AvalonBay Communities learned for the first time today that the City Operations and Neighborhood Services Committee is holding a hearing on Monday, March 14, on the above-referenced resolution introduced by Supervisor Avalos on March 8, 2011. While being taken by surprise by the short time and lack of notice we received concerning the resolution and hearing, I want to provide you with information that I hope the Committee will consider in its deliberations.

- AvalonBay is committed to San Francisco and to delivering 173 apartment units (15% affordable on site) and a 26,000 sf Whole Foods market at 1150 Ocean Avenue. We are one of two market rate multifamily new construction projects to start within San Francisco in 2010. I am sure you can appreciate that our investors decision to move forward with construction during these challenging economic times came with significant scrutiny on the project's budget.
- 1150 Ocean Avenue has been bid as an "Open Merit Project" meaning that both union and non-union bidders are selected for bidding. This creates an opportunity for competitive bidding with the contract typically going to the lowest qualified bidder.
- From a contract value standpoint, the project is approximately 37% contracted today and 50% of these contracts are with Union subcontractors. Therefore, to date about 15-20% of the labor on site is Union and 10-15% Local 22 Carpenters.
- In September - October of 2010 we received bids from both Union and Non-Union subcontractors for rough framing. The Union bids were over our lowest qualified bid by double or approximately \$3 million. In February of 2011, we approached the same Union framing subcontractors providing an opportunity to update their bids to be more competitive. Each of these subcontractors declined to submit new bids, stating that they were not able to compete. In addition, we reached out to Bob

Alvarado in the Executive Office of the Northern California Carpenters Regional Council to inquire on whether market recovery funds could be provided to the Unions bidders. Nothing was offered.

Thank you for this opportunity to provide you with this information. I would also respectfully request that, in the future, we be notified in advance of any other hearings concerning these issues.

Sincerely,



Meg Spriggs,
V.P of Development, AvalonBay Communities

cc: Gail Johnson, Clerk of the Board



To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution, Gail Johnson/BOS/SFGOV,
Cc:
Bcc:
Subject: File 101491: HANC-SF Vote to SAVE IT

From: "M. Louie" <tok1yo@hotmail.com>
To: <board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org>
Date: 03/10/2011 08:23 PM
Subject: HANC-SF Vote to SAVE IT

Hi Board of Supervisors:

Greetings....just want to let you know that our family has been using the HANC-SF for the past 20yrs.

PLS DO NOT CLOSE IT, it is such a valuable Green recycling center that helps our community of the Richmond District.

We are voting YES to keep it open for a greener community for the SF residents.

Thank you,

Jane Louie

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San Francisco Board of Supervisors
Clerk of the Board
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
City Hall, Room 244
San Francisco, Ca. 94102-4689

Dear Board of Supervisors,

I am a proud member of the current cast at San Francisco's treasure trove of entertainment, Teatro ZinZanni. A Bay Area native myself, being part of Teatro ZinZanni has perhaps greater meaning for me each night as I share the stage with our international cast.

For me, Teatro ZinZanni has not only meant gainful employment in my chosen field, but a chance to share my aerial art with a wide variety of patrons, young and old, from the locals to the far-from-home tourists. Bringing wonder, awe, and delight to T.Z. audiences each night gives my life meaning and joy. It is no exaggeration to say we bring something fresh to every audience with our boundless mix of music, comedy, circus, vaudeville, dance, and variete (not to mention the food!). The cast and crew of Teatro ZinZanni are truly a family committed to bringing our very best to our work on every level, and as such we are proud to represent the city of San Francisco.

When I heard that T.Z. might have to leave because of the America's Cup, of course I was disappointed. Teatro ZinZanni has meant so very much to me and, I truly believe, to this great city. I have since learned that your office is working very hard to keep T.Z. in San Francisco permanently, and I cannot thank you enough for your efforts.

Yours Truly,


Kari Podgorski

cc: Mayor Edwin M. Lee



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Walter L. Johnson

March 4, 2011

San Francisco Board of Supervisors
City Hall
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Board of Supervisors,

We have grave concerns about discussions which could readjust the way our garbage and recycling contracts are applied. The City's current contractor, Recology, has the best track record for hitting recycling goals in the nation. And, despite the depth of San Francisco's sanitation program, we still have very fair rates.

In addition, Recology's workforce is over 60% Hispanic and earns good wages, family healthcare benefits and retirement security.

We are very concerned with the way the City and County has administered its contracts lately, in particular the janitorial contract at 1 South Van Ness and the sludge trucking contract, where the union workers were terminated and the guarantee of prevailing wages thrown out the door.

Therefore we ask that you don't open up the model contract based on the 1932 ordinance as performed by Recology, a program that serves the residents, businesses, and workers in San Francisco so well.

Sincerely,

Tim Paulson
Executive Director

cc:
Bob Morales, Teamsters Local 350
Olga Miranda, SEIU 87

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**CALIFORNIA FISH AND GAME COMMISSION
NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF AMENDED PETITION**

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to Court remand in *Center for Biological Diversity v. California Fish and Game Commission* California Superior Court for the County of San Francisco, Case No. CPF-09-509927, the California Fish and Game Commission, at its February 3, 2011, meeting in Sacramento, accepted for consideration the amended petition submitted to list the American pika (*Ochotona princeps*) as a threatened species.

The American pika inhabits talus fields fringed by suitable vegetation on rocky slopes of alpine areas throughout western North America.

Pursuant to Section 2073.7 of the Fish and Game Code, on February 10, 2011, the Commission transmitted the amended petition to the Department of Fish and Game for review pursuant to Section 2073.5 of said code. Interested parties may contact Dr. Eric Loft, Wildlife Branch, Department of Fish and Game, 1812 Ninth Street, Sacramento, CA 95811, or telephone (916) 445-3555 for information on the petition or to submit information to the Department relating to the petitioned species.

Fish and Game Commission

March 1, 2011

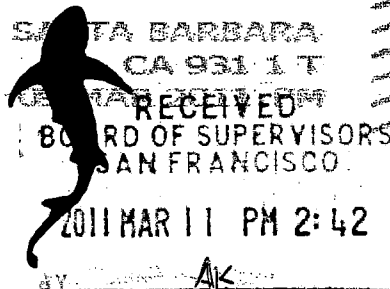
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**Save Sharks
Don't Serve Them**



Sincerely,

*August Vanderboeck
(Santa Barbara CA)*

San Francisco Board of Supervisors,
City Hall
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place,
Room 244
San Francisco, Ca 94102-4689

More than 100,000,000 sharks are killed every year for their fins.

Currently, we are on a path to kill them all by 2048.

Lets vote to Save Sharks, and ban Shark Fin Soup.

Send this card to your local representative

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Vote at UGENA.org/sharks

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To: BOS Constituent Mail Distribution,
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Subject: SFMTA Citation Practices: Illegal and Abusive

From: Kellee Marlow <kellee_marlow@yahoo.com>
To: mayoredwinlee@sfgov.org, MTABoard@SFMTA.com, Board.of.Supervisors@sfgov.org, mtacustomerservice@sfmta.com
Cc: CommunityEngagement@kqed.org, forum@kqed.org, consumerwatch@cbs5.com, cbs5investigates@cbs5.com, atccommentary@npr.org
Date: 03/11/2011 01:31 PM
Subject: SFMTA Citation Practices: Illegal and Abusive

Dear Mayor Edwin Lee, Mr Tom Nolan, Mr. Nathaniel Ford Sr and Board of Supervisors,

This will be the fifth incident in the last eight months where I have experienced illegal or abusive practices by the SFMTA parking citations officers (and department practices). This morning I was unable to park in front of a business that had a green zone for its patrons. I ran into the business to notify them of this concern. Meanwhile, a citation officer began writing a citation on my car, from 1/2 block away from my car. He didn't bother to pull behind my car before writing the ticket. I was right there to explain that I am about to move my car. His response was that it was too bad and he didn't bother to even give me an official ticket. He just drove off, knowing that he already entered it into his system and I would be getting the citation in the mail. The merchant came out to protest this practice as well and conveyed that this was the third time that the citation officer started ticketing 1/2 block away from a car that he was citing. When the merchant contacted a SFMTA supervisor, he was told that it was ok for an officer "not" to have to pull up to the car first and can start citing 1/2 block away.

This is only one of the many extreme citation practices that I am now seeing in the city.

There are many of us living in San Francisco, who feel that these practices have become more extreme and unbearable, in order for the city government to raise money.

The parking ordinances exist to enable a city to monitor traffic and for businesses or residences to conduct their daily routines in a non-intrusive manner. Now the extreme practices have affected how businesses and residences are able to conduct business or life as usual.

As San Francisco resident for over twenty-five years, I have all noticed the following practices that are now occurring at an extreme degree:

1. The SFMTA is stereotyping and targeting cars that are perceived to be more expensive and can afford the ticket.
2. The SFMTA is now ticketing cars while the passengers are still sitting in a car (a practice that didn't happen before).
3. The SFMTA is focused on meeting its quota so it is finding every possible violation whether it is reasonable (or within traffic monitoring practices) because most people do not have time to appeal the citation or they can't win the citation hearing which empowers the department to an unreasonable degree in to cite more tickets. There are no repercussions for the citation officers who abuse their ticketing practices or powers. They willingly give their badge number, knowingly that they will be protected by SFMTA.
4. The SFMTA has used its quotas to push the citation officers to exercise unreasonable judgment in determining whether there is an actual violation, basically the ability to cite whenever possible.

The SFMTA center with its huge sign about customer service and serving the city are all supporting these practices. It is

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reflected in how it handles all citation hearings. I have seen how they have enacted a number priority system where people who show up to protest their citations sit in the waiting room for hours, to discourage them from staying and protesting the citations. I have even experienced a citation reinstatement because the hearing officer didn't enter the dismissal decision into the system and then he couldn't recall how or why it was not entered.

These are injustices to the people in this city who work hard to live here. It is much harder to live in this city now than a decade ago and much is due to how the city allows these practices to thrive. Many people I know have complained to the SFMTA and the leadership has done little to address these issues except for its glossy public relations campaign on customer service that does nothing to alleviate these unethical citation practices.

What are you going to do to change these practices ?

Sincerely,
Kellee Marlow



No smoking signs

Doug MacTavish to: board.of.supervisors

Cc: Eric Mar

03/14/2011 11:06 PM

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No smoking signs on transit stops were promised last fall
yet not one transit stop lampole has a no smoking sign.



Sustainable Ecology is not a Fantasy in Speculation

Brody Tucker, reiko, IVAN E PRATT, masmith,
Ivan E Pratt to: membership, Michael Pacheco III,
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My Dear Friends and Surrogate Family March 12 2011

You might notice that I haven't talked with you for a very long time, and as much as I love you all, sometime in all honesty, you have talked to much bullshit that I have been noticing for a very long time. Of course, when you notice the people you love talking bullshit, like any family member you tolerate it and maybe pretend that you haven't heard such and such thing in a conversation with your family members. You attempt to exercise unconditional love and understanding.

However, some of you who know me, know that because of my Buddhist ethics, that I don't believe life is a static condition set up with some really unmovable rules and regulations that are never subject to change - foolish attitude. The whole universe in coordination with the laws of 'Quantum Mechanics, which is chemistry, is on a constancy of evolutionary process, even from a 'Micro-level' of daily living - in other words nothing in life stays the same - hence individual personalities are also subject to change - and certainly the human mind is a microcosm of change which exhibits the very processes of the universe itself.

Having pointed out this intellectual reality which can most definitely be proven with scientific math in physical chemistry - which the Buddhist call Myoho - 'Myo' being life, and 'Ho' being death. The reality with Ivan is that he is sixty-three years of age, living with not only HIV, but he is also living with other life threatening medical conditions, in which he really has to play a balancing game of discipline to live with these medical conditions. Ivan realizes that his time is getting short for life in this present existence on the planet Earth, and that he must spend the last of his time at least attempting to matriculate in the residual natural sciences in order to advocate sustainable systems environmental ecology - if Ivan thinks that his association with a person is just going to be extra circula rhetorical exacerbated nonsense, he is going to leave such activity alone, especially when such activity has an ulterior motive in inculcation (which of course I'm not suppose to notice). Here is Ivan's focus, the residual studies in the natural sciences called sustainable systems environmental ecology - which is an immediate community avocation that can only be understood by way of the values

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of matriculations. Some of my surrogate family have already matriculated, so they know what I mean when I say you must focus most all your time and effort to attaining that educated reality - and certainly this is very true of the natural sciences - and certainly this is true of any aspect of sustainable ecology on an urban level, in which HIV infection play a most definite part in the human drama on Earth as an ecological indication on the planet Earth.

For Ivan, more then just attaining an education to impress my fellow man and woman with some sought of credentials, attaining some sought of education has become a community avocation that is absolutely imperative considering the state of frenetic frantics of current events existent on Earth in the twenty-first century, which has a sustainable systems environmental ecology social psychological reality dealing with human behavior.

Now I have to be honest with my surrogate family members, because of late they have enquired as to why they haven't heard from me - I do appreciate that query - it means that you love me, or at least I hope you do, and that you are concerned about me, because many of you are dealing with multifarious medical conditions like myself - but I have to admit to you all, though I love you, that you have not been very supportive of our mutual quest to deal with the questions and controversies involving the social psychology of sustainable systems environmental ecology - which certainly effects us all on the planet Earth. So rather then to appear to be judgmental of my surrogate family, or critical, or sarcastic; Ivan has just made up his mind to direct his own personal time in these matriculative perspectives based on the natural sciences, and not wastes his time quibbling over rhetorical intellectual subtle debates on who is right or wrong on these social subjects of social psychology on a immediate community level - such intellectual debates are just to time consuming and to many dead end streets - anybody can be an intellectual.

Now my dear surrogate family, lets start dealing with reality together, there will be no more inculcation of Ivan, Ivan is entirely to awhere of what he has to do and is doing it. Lets, in order that we may start respecting each other, leave off from playing the manipulative suggestive psychology games and become more objective for the sake of creating intelligent reciprocal dialogue - which means that extrapolation as a means of communication is a poor way to communicate and is more of a habitual addiction with a premise of phobia more then an actual solution to creating community rehabilitation - Ivan must assume that rehabilitation is the premise goal of environments like San Francisco's Tenderloin district six - just to mention a few communities with deep social psychological problems, like for example Libya.

Game playing with people minds is a total waste of time with people who already exhibit enough intelligence to create some premise for they're convictions of life - Ivan's convictions of life happen to be Buddhist, and I am awhere that there are certain individuals who have a bigoted indifference to such concepts as Buddhism (I've heard some racial overtures directed toward the social segregation of the Chinese and Latin people in the community, just to mention a few) - I am very awhere of the prejudicial causes and effects against Ivan being Buddhist. If you donot see me as often as you have in the past, it's because I am busy attempting to live that life, which I've already explained. If I think I am not going to get any support in support of these endeavors based in sustainable systems environmental ecology, you simply will not see me, I will be very busy, and am busy - all I

need from you is not your discouragement, but your encouragement and support as my surrogate family.

Sciences Directly Appropriate for Environmental Studies/Social Advocation:

Yahoo Group: Buddha Virtue Within: Sustainable Ecology Exclamation And Forum,
WebPage: <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/buddhavirtuewithin/>
Nichiren Daishonin's Buddhism,
WebPage: NichirenDaishoninsBuddhism@yahoogroups.com

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Merritt College Ecology Department & Matriculations,
WebPage: <http://www.ecomeritt.org/>,
Social psychology, WebPage: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Social_psychology
Sierra Club Membership, WebPage: <http://www.sierraclub.org>,
Geophysics, WebPage: <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Geophysics> ,
Astrophysics, WebPage: <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Astrophysics> ,
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WebPage: <http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/journal/03781127>

Re: BOARD OF SUPERVISORS INQUIRY - DUE NOTICE - Reference 20110125-008

Jim Soos to: Barbara Garcia

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Cc: barbara.garcia, Board of Supervisors, Faye DeGuzman

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	Barbara Garcia	<i>jim pls. respond w/ copy sent to Supervisor</i>
	Jim Soos	<i>To the Clerk of the Board: The response attached below was sent</i>

To the Clerk of the Board:

The response attached below was sent to Supervisor Avalos on February 25, 2011.



Response to Reference Number 20110125-008.pdf

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Subject Re: BOARD OF SUPERVISORS INQUIRY - DUE NOTICE 

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS INQUIRY - DUE NOTICE

If you have already responded, please disregard this notice.

For any questions, call (415) 554-7708.

TO: Barbara Garcia
Health

FROM: Clerk of the Board
DATE: 3/10/2011
REFERENCE: 20110125-008
FILE NO:

Due Date: 2/27/2011
Reminder Sent: 3/2/2011

The inquiry referenced above from Supervisor Avalos was made at the Board meeting on 1/25/2011 and a response was requested by the due date shown above.

Please indicate the reference number shown above in your response, direct the original via email to Board.of.Supervisors@sfgov.org and send a copy to the Supervisor(s) noted above.

For your convenience, the original inquiry is repeated below.

Requesting the Department of Public Health to allocate resources to programs serving the constituents of District 11.

Please provide a line item summary of the resources allocated to District 11 by the Department of Public Health, for the fiscal years of 2008-2009 2009-2010, and 2010-2011, including, but not limited to:

Direct Services

Grants

Technical services to Community-Based Organizations

Please provide information for services provided directly City personnel as well as

those contracted through community-based organizations. Please also indicate which of these services are provided within the boundaries of District 11.



City and County of San Francisco

San Francisco Department of Public Health

Barbara A. Garcia, MPA
Director of Health

February 25, 2011

To: The Honorable John Avalos, Supervisor
Cc: Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board
From: Barbara A. Garcia, MPA, Director of Health
Re: Reference Number 20110125-008

Dear Supervisor Avalos:

Thank you for your inquiry of January 28, 2011 regarding Department of Public Health (DPH) resources allocated to residents of District 11. Attached is a summary of DPH services provided to residents of District 11 for the three fiscal years requested (2008-09, 2009-10, and the first half of 2010-11). Also attached is a copy of the Department's most recent organizational chart.

I hope you find this information useful and responsive to your request. Should you have questions or require additional information, please contact me at 554-2525 or barbara.garcia@sfdph.org.

Attachments: Summary of DPH Services Provided in District 11 and DPH Organization Chart

The mission of the San Francisco Department of Public Health is to protect and promote the health of all San Franciscans.

We shall ~ Assess and research the health of the community ~ Develop and enforce health policy ~ Prevent disease and injury ~
~ Educate the public and train health care providers ~ Provide quality, comprehensive, culturally-proficient health services ~ Ensure equal access to all ~

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Summary of DPH Services Provided to Residents of District 11 (Fiscal Years 2008-09, 2009-10, and 2010-11)

Prepared by the San Francisco Department of Public Health
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February 22, 2011

Overview of the San Francisco Department of Public Health (DPH)

The mission of the San Francisco Department of Public Health (DPH) is to protect and promote the health of all San Franciscans. To meet this goal, the Department is empowered to:

- Employ a systematic approach to identify the health conditions and needs of communities throughout the City.
- Develop and enforce health policy.
- Prevent disease and injury.
- Educate the public and train health care providers.
- Assure that quality, comprehensive, culturally proficient health resources services are available.
- Ensure equal access to all.

In order to best serve the needs of the diverse San Francisco community, DPH provides many services directly, contracts with a variety of different community-based organizations, and relies upon strong interdepartmental relations. All practices and efforts are made in the best interest of the public, in order to promote the health of individuals and the vitality of the community in which they reside.

In the current fiscal year (2010-11), DPH has an operating budget of \$1.461 billion, including \$1.206 billion in revenue and \$255 million in San Francisco General Fund. The Department provides a range of services to all San Franciscans including direct clinical care and population-based public health services through:

- San Francisco General Hospital and Trauma Center (SFGH), including Health at Home, the Department's Medicare-certified home health agency
- Laguna Honda Hospital and Rehabilitation Center (LHH)
- Community Programs including:
 - Community Health Care Services (Community-Oriented Primary Care and Community Behavioral Health Services)
 - HIV Health Services (HHS)
 - Maternal, Child, and Adolescent Health (MCAH)
 - Housing
 - Placement
- Jail Health Services in County Jails
- Population Health and Prevention including:
 - HIV Prevention
 - HIV Research
 - HIV Seroepidemiology
 - HIV Surveillance
 - TB Control
 - Community Disease Control and Prevention
 - Public Health Laboratory
 - Environmental Health Services (EHS)
 - STD Prevention and Control
 - Emergency Medical Services
 - Community Health Promotion and Prevention
- Healthy San Francisco, the City's health care access program for uninsured residents

San Francisco General Hospital (SFGH)

San Francisco General Hospital (SFGH) provides inpatient, outpatient, emergency, skilled nursing, diagnostic, mental health, rehabilitation, and home health services for adults and children. Additionally, it is the largest acute inpatient and rehabilitation hospital for psychiatric patients in the City, and the only hospital that provides 24-hour psychiatric emergency services. SFGH also operates the only Level I Trauma Center in San Francisco and is the designated Trauma Center for San Francisco and northern San Mateo counties, serving a total of 1.5 million residents. One-third of SFGH's patients are uninsured, while an additional 40 percent are on Medi-Cal.

In FY 2008-09, SFGH treated 1,327 (11% of total) inpatient, 3,558 (11% of total) emergency department, and 99 (9% of total) home health patients who were residents of District 11.

In FY 2009-10, SFGH treated 1,480 (12% of total) inpatient, 3,734 (11% of total) emergency department, and 90 (8% of total) home health patients who were residents of District 11.

In the first half of FY 2010-11 (July 1, 2010 through December 31, 2010), SFGH treated 766 (11% of total) inpatient, 1,963 (11% of total) emergency department, and 55 (9% of total) home health patients who were residents of District 11.

Laguna Honda Hospital (LHH)

Laguna Honda Hospital and Rehabilitation Center (LHH) is dedicated to providing high quality, culturally competent rehabilitation and skilled nursing services to adult residents of San Francisco, who are disabled or chronically ill. LHH provides specialized care for those with wounds, head trauma, stroke, spinal cord injuries, orthopedic injuries, AIDS, and dementia. The hospital also has a hospice program. A licensed acute-care hospital, LHH is a skilled nursing and a rehabilitation-care facility that is owned and operated by DPH. It is the largest single-site municipally owned and operated skilled nursing care facility in the country. On December 6 and 7, 2010, the 750 residents of LHH moved into the new state-of-the-art facility.

In FY 2008-09, a total of 19 (3% of total) LHH patients came from District 11.

In FY 2009-10, a total of 17 (3% of total) LHH patients came from District 11.

In the first half of FY 2010-11 (July 1, 2010 through December 31, 2010), a total of 6 (2% of total) LHH patients came from District 11.

Community-Oriented Primary Care (COPC)

Community-Oriented Primary Care is comprised of 17 health centers and clinics located throughout San Francisco. Six clinics are located on the campus of SFGH, and 11 are in community locations across the City. Combined, these centers provide more than 300,000 primary care patient visits and care for more than 65,000 patients annually. All 17 have been designated as Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC), and as such receive cost-based reimbursement for Medi-Cal visits.

Additionally, DPH partners with a variety of community affiliates throughout the City. Through its involvement with the member clinics of the San Francisco Community Consortium, DPH is able to meet the various primary care needs of the diverse San Francisco population. The guiding philosophy is

community-oriented primary care, which is a synthesis of primary care, community medicine, and public health. The staff is committed to a broad definition of health (physical, psychological, social, and spiritual) and to multidisciplinary services. Additionally, COPC is currently undergoing an integration effort with Community Behavioral Health Services (CBHS) to form a new unit, Community Health Care Services, to better treat the medical and behavioral needs of individuals in the community setting.

While some health centers and clinics aim to serve the communities directly surrounding them, many patients are seen at primary care sites throughout the City, regardless of place of residence. In District 11, there are two COPC sites, which focus on the primary care and behavioral health needs of youth, and one SF Community Clinic Consortium member site:

Balboa Teen Health Center (DPH)
1000 Cayuga Ave.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Hip Hop to Health Clinic (DPH)
446 Randolph St.
San Francisco, CA 94132

Mission Neighborhood Health Center – Excelsior Clinic (SFCCC)
4434 Mission St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

In FY 2008-09, a total of 13,057 (13% of total) COPC patients came from District 11.

In FY 2009-10, a total of 14,155 (14% of total) COPC patients came from District 11.

In the first half of FY 2010-11 (July 1, 2010 through December 31, 2010), a total of 10,237 (14% of total) COPC patients came from District 11.

Community Behavioral Health Services (CBHS)

Community Behavioral Health Services, (CBHS) funds and operates a system of care that strives to provide integrated substance abuse and mental health services to eligible San Francisco residents with substance abuse challenges and mental health needs. CBHS provides outreach and prevention, assessment, placement, outpatient care, day treatment, case management, residential, and support services to people throughout San Francisco. Additionally CBHS ensures access to peer and wellness centers, provides detoxification services, and medication management. In order to provide these services, CBHS relies on a variety of programs, including: the Treatment Access Program (TAP), the San Francisco Mental Health Plan (SFMHP), Healthy Workers, Healthy Families/Healthy Kids, Medi-Cal (Short-Doyle, Mental Health, and Drug Medi-Cal), as well as funding from Prop 36 and the Mental Health Services Act (Prop 63).

The CBHS System includes both civil service clinics and contract providers of mental health and substance abuse services. A key goal of integration is for providers to welcome all clients and family members seeking assistance, and provide screening to determine the most appropriate substance abuse and/or mental health services. As noted above, CBHS is currently undergoing an integration effort with

Community-Oriented Primary Care to form the new Community Health Care Services section in order to provide more holistic treatment for individuals seeking clinical services through DPH.

A number of CBHS sites, both civil service and contract providers operate in District 11, including:

Mental Health Outpatient:

OMI Family Center (DPH)
1701 Ocean Ave.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Mental Health Inpatient Respite:

Aurora Homes (Contract)
1255 and 1821-1831 Silliman St.
San Francisco, CA 94134

Bestudio's Resident Care Home (Contract)
51 De Long St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

CRL Adult Care Home (Contract)
2130 Alemany Blvd.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Crossroads Residential Care (Contract)
9 Crystal St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Crystal Home (Contract)
2 Crystal St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Francis Residential Care Home (Contract)
45 Francis St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Golden Residential Care Home (Contract)
166 Foote Ave.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Gubatina Care Home (Contract)
2393 Alemany Blvd.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Herring Residential Care Home (Contract)
272 Lee Ave.
San Francisco, CA 94112

J & L Home (Contract)
1596 Alemany Blvd.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Lina's Rest Homes (Contract)
393 Silver Ave. and 84 Norton St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Morning Star Home (Contract)
337 Ashton Ave.
San Francisco, CA 94127

Naniola Home (Contract)
798 Huron St.
San Francisco, CA 94112
Veal's Residential Care Homes (Contract)
65-67 Lobos St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Warm Heart Residential Care Home (Contract)
490 Edinburgh St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Substance Abuse Treatment:

YMCA OMI/Excelsior Youth Center (Contract)
241 Oneida St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Substance Abuse Residential:

LC Casa Quetzal and LC OLLIN (Contract)
635-637 Brunswick St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

HIV Health Services (HHS)

The mission of HIV Health Services (HHS) is to maintain and improve the health and quality of life for those infected and affected by HIV/AIDS. This is accomplished in collaboration with various public agencies and San Francisco's diverse communities by assessing community needs; conducting strategic and comprehensive planning; securing funding; implementing coordinated, client-centered, innovative and effective community-based programs; evaluating services; and facilitating the development of responsible public policy.

HIV Health Services contracts with over 60 agencies, which range from large hospitals to community health clinics and from multi-county social service providers to very specialized or neighborhood-focused agencies. HHS works closely with the San Francisco HIV Health Services Planning Council, which conducts prioritization and allocation processes to manage and administer Ryan White Funds.

In FY 2008-09, a total of 252 (3% of total) HHS clients came from District 11.

In FY 2009-10, a total of 271 (3% of total) HHS clients came from District 11.

In the first half of FY 2010-11 (July 1, 2010 through December 31, 2010), a total of 220 (3% of total) HHS clients came from District 11.

Maternal, Child, and Adolescent Health (MCAH)

The mission of the Maternal, Child, and Adolescent Health Section (MCAH) is to promote the health and well-being of women of childbearing age, infants, children, and adolescents residing in San Francisco. MCAH programs work to increase access to health care services, and meet the needs of those who are at increased risk of adverse health outcomes by virtue of financial, language or cultural barriers, or mental or physical disabilities. These efforts include community assessment, planning, evaluation, outreach, advocacy, education, training, and policy development.

Many MCAH programs services are integrated into schools, hospitals, health centers, and child care centers throughout the City. These programs establish strong community partnerships, enabling them to outreach to and work with both clients and community members. They also work hard not only to ensure the health of current clients, but also the future health status of mothers and their children across San Francisco. Many of these programs are federally funded, and thus bring revenue into the City and County of San Francisco.

MCAH works in 15 child care provider sites in District 11 for the Child Care Health project to provide child care education, technical consultation, in addition to hearing, vision, dental, and BMI screenings:

Angela Castro Family Childcare
262 Maynard St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Barbara Manzanares Family Child Care
287 South Hill Blvd.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Economic Opportunity Council – OMI Child Care Center
205 Victoria St.
San Francisco, CA 94132

Estradas Family Childcare
251 Madrid St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Excelsior Family Resource Center
49 Ocean Ave.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Guidry's Earlycare & Education Program
289 Farallones St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Lutheran Church of Our Savior
1011 Garfield St.
San Francisco, CA 94132

Mio Pre-School
4377 Mission St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

Mission Childcare Consortium
4750 Mission St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

OMI Head Start
1701 Ocean Ave.
San Francisco, CA 94112

SFUSD – Excelsior Child Development Center at Guadalupe
859 Prague St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

SFUSD – Excelsior Child Development Center at Monroe
260 Madrid St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

SFUSD – San Miguel Child Development Center
300 Seneca Ave.
San Francisco, CA 94112

SFUSD – Sheridan Elementary School
431 Capitol Ave.
San Francisco, CA 94112

YMCA Mission Branch Preschool
4080 Mission St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

MCAH also provides the California Children's Services (CCS) program, which annually serves over 2,800 low-income children in San Francisco with eligible long-term disabling neuromuscular problems. This program provides therapy services at no cost to families at public school sites throughout the City as well as authorizes hospitalizations, medications, specialty services, and diagnostic tests.

In FY 2008-09, 403 children (14% of total) in District 11 received CCS services through MCAH.

In FY 2009-10, 438 children (16% of total) in District 11 received CCS services through MCAH.

For the first half of FY 2010-11 (July 1, 2010 through December 31, 2010), 461 children (16% of total) in District 11 received CCS services through MCAH.

Environmental Health Services (EHS)

The mission of Environmental Health Section (EHS) is to ensure safe and healthy living and working conditions for all San Franciscans.

EHS provides services to City departments and to the entire San Francisco community through five major program divisions:

- Environmental Health Regulatory Programs
- Noise and Air Quality Programs
- Children's Environmental Health Program (CEHP)
- Program on Health Equity and Sustainability (PHES)
- County Agriculture/Weights and Measures

EHS programs serve city residents, public and private organizations, businesses, and governmental agencies in San Francisco. These programs seek to ensure:

- Sanitary food facilities and safe retail food
- Safe drinking and recreational water
- Minimize public health nuisances
- Safe use of hazardous materials in private enterprises
- Appropriate disposal of hazardous and medical wastes
- Adequate clean-up of environmentally contaminated property
- Timely environmental health assessments and interventions

Routine inspections of permitted establishments (e.g., restaurants) are conducted on a standard frequency for each establishment type. Variation of routine inspections reflects only the variation in the number of permitted establishments in the district.

In calendar year 2008, EHS responded to 467 (7% of total) environmental health complaints in District 11, including 373 public health nuisance complaints, 57 consumer protection complaints, 2 hotel/emergency shelter complaints, 34 lead complaints, and 1 smoking complaint.

In calendar year 2009, EHS responded to 522 (8% of total) environmental health complaints in District 11, including 417 public health nuisance complaints, 61 consumer protection complaints, 1 laundry complaint, 31 lead complaints, and 1 tattoo parlor complaint.

In calendar year 2010, EHS responded to 461 (7% of total) environmental health complaints in District 11, including 400 public nuisance complaints, 33 consumer protection complaints, 27 lead complaints, and 1 smoking complaint.

Healthy San Francisco

In July 2007, DPH and City and County of San Francisco launched Healthy San Francisco, a pioneering health access program designed to provide quality, affordable, ongoing, personalized health care to the all uninsured residents of San Francisco. While Healthy San Francisco is not insurance, it does enable participants to access preventative, primary, specialty, and behavioral health care, immunizations, hospitalization, laboratory testing, prescription drugs, and urgent and emergency services. This program is meant to provide comprehensive health care access to promote the health of individuals throughout the City.

The "medical home" model is the primary mechanism for providing services. A medical home is the first place a Healthy San Francisco participant will call when care is needed and are intended to ensure that individuals are able to receive a consistent continuum of care and see medical providers who are familiar with their particular health care needs. The medical home model is designed to empower individuals to take charge of their health, go to a provider for regular, routine check ups, and address any health concerns.

In District 11, there is one medical home, providing primary care services to Healthy San Francisco participants:

Mission Neighborhood Health Center – Excelsior Clinic (SFCCC)
4434 Mission St.
San Francisco, CA 94112

In FY 2008-09, a total of 6,368 (15% of total) Healthy San Francisco participants came from District 11.

In FY 2009-10, a total of 7,803 (15% of total) Healthy San Francisco participants came from District 11.

In the first half of FY 2010-11 (July 1, 2010 through December 31, 2010), a total of 8,197 (15% of total) Healthy San Francisco participants came from District 11.



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Change in Parking Meter Fees

Anne Miller to: MTABoard, Gavin.Newson, Board.of.Supervisors

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Anne Miller

Change in Parking Meter Fees

I strongly disagree with plans to increase street parking fees in San Francisco. The existing fees are already significant.

Anne Miller
Marina Dist.


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Letter from Barbara Garcia, Director of Health re File No. 110256

Jim Soos to: Board of Supervisors

03/11/2011 01:44 PM

Cc: Mayor Edwin Lee, Anne Hinton, molisteinert

	Jim Soos	Letter from Barbara Garcia, Director of Health re <u>File No. 110256</u>

To the Members of the Board of Supervisors:

Attached below please find a letter from Barbara Garcia, Director of Health in support of File No. 110256, a Resolution opposing the proposed elimination of Medi-Cal funding for Adult Day Health Center programs in the State of California.



Garcia Letter re State ADHC Cuts 030911.pdf

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Dear Supervisors:

On behalf of the San Francisco Department of Public Health, I am writing in support of the Resolution "Opposing Elimination of Adult Day Health Care Programs" sponsored by Supervisors Kim and Avalos. Eliminating this health program makes no sense from a fiscal, policy, or humane point of view.

Adult Day Health Care (ADHC) is a cost-effective, community-based program that is a critical component in the continuum of long-term care for low-income frail and disabled adults. San Francisco was one of the first cities in California to establish ADHC over 30 years ago, and it has successfully achieved its purpose of preventing or avoiding the use of institutional medical services at one-fifth the cost.

Currently there are 1,800 individuals enrolled in ADHC in San Francisco. It is not uncommon for ADHC patients to be impacted not only by multiple chronic illnesses, but also mental health conditions compounded by dementia. Many of these individuals live alone without a primary caregiver. If ADHC centers close, we can expect immediate and repeated visits to emergency rooms and hospitalizations. This will put stress on our hospitals, including SFGH, and cost the City and County more money. It is estimated that as many as 40 percent of these individuals will need to be admitted to skilled nursing facilities within six months. This would present a public health crisis since there are so few skilled nursing beds available in San Francisco, thereby forcing these individuals to leave San Francisco and be displaced from their community.

The State invested \$3.5 million 30 years ago in a program designed to reduce long-term care costs. Restarting these programs should funding be restored at a future date would be prohibitive because of significant bureaucratic and regulatory barriers and unreimbursed costly start-up expenses estimated to be \$1 million per site.

The ADHC model of multi-disciplinary team care is widely touted as the solution to management of chronic conditions and rising health care costs. Cutting the program will result in unintended and irreversible consequences for seniors, families, workers, businesses, and the state as a whole.

Thank you for your consideration of this important issue.

Sincerely,

Barbara A. Garcia, MPA
Director of Health

The mission of the San Francisco Department of Public Health is to protect and promote the health of all San Franciscans.

We shall ~ Assess and research the health of the community ~ Develop and enforce health policy ~ Prevent disease and injury ~

~ Educate the public and train health care providers ~ Provide quality, comprehensive, culturally-proficient health services ~ Ensure equal access to all ~

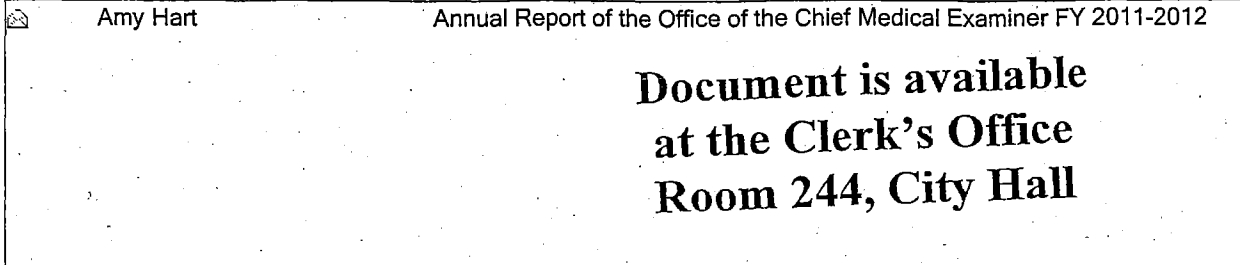
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Annual Report of the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner FY 2011-2012

Amy Hart to: Edwin Lee

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Cc: Amy Brown, Board of Supervisors, Linda Yeung



I am pleased to present the annual report for the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner. The data compilation and analysis was completed ahead of the original projected schedule and the report is being issued now to make the information available to interested parties. This annual report is electronically posted on the OCME website (<http://sfgsa.org/index.aspx?page=943>) and at the San Francisco Public Library.

On behalf of the over 30 dedicated OCME staff, I invite you to review our annual report.



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Your questions and comments are welcome.

Respectfully,

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Subject: Form 700

This is to inform you that the following individuals have submitted a Form 700 Statement:

Madeleine Licavoli – Annual
Alexander Volberding – Annual
Katy Tang – Annual
Lin Shao Chin – Annual
Hillary Ronen – Annual