

# BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

## MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, August 13, 2020 - 10:00 AM

Held via Videoconference  
(remote public access provided via teleconference)

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### Special Meeting

Members: Sandra Lee Fewer, Shamann Walton, Rafael Mandelman, Norman Yee, Hillary Ronen

Clerk: Linda Wong (415) 554-7719

*Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board*

### BOARD COMMITTEES

#### Committee Membership

#### Meeting Days

<b>Budget and Appropriations Committee</b> Supervisors Fewer, Walton, Mandelman, Yee, Ronen	Wednesday 1:00 PM
<b>Budget and Finance Committee</b> Supervisors Fewer, Walton, Mandelman	Wednesday 10:30 AM
<b>Government Audit and Oversight Committee</b> Supervisors Mar, Peskin, Haney	1st and 3rd Thursday 10:00 AM
<b>Joint City, School District, and City College Select Committee</b> Supervisors Haney, Fewer, Mar (Alt), Commissioners Moliga, Collins, Cook (Alt), Trustees Randolph, Williams, Selby (Alt)	2nd Friday 10:00 AM
<b>Land Use and Transportation Committee</b> Supervisors Peskin, Safai, Preston	Monday 1:30 PM
<b>Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee</b> Supervisors Mandelman, Stefani, Walton	2nd and 4th Thursday 10:00 AM
<b>Rules Committee</b> Supervisors Ronen, Stefani, Mar	Monday 10:00 AM

First-named Supervisor is Chair, Second-named Supervisor is Vice-Chair of the Committee.

**Members Present:** Sandra Lee Fewer, Shamann Walton, Rafael Mandelman, Norman Yee, and Hillary Ronen

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*The Budget and Appropriations Committee met in special session through videoconferencing, and provided public comment through teleconferencing, on Thursday, August 13, 2020, with Chair Sandra Lee Fewer presiding. Chair Fewer called the meeting to order at 10:14 a.m.*

## **Remote Access to Information and Participation**

*In accordance with Governor Newsom's Executive Order No. N-33-20 declaring a State of Emergency regarding the COVID-19 outbreak and Mayor London N. Breed's Proclamation declaring a Local Emergency issued on February 25, 2020, including the guidance for gatherings issued by the San Francisco Department of Public Health Officer, aggressive directives were issued to reduce the spread of COVID-19. On March 17, 2020, the Board of Supervisors authorized their Board and Committee meetings to convene remotely (via Microsoft Teams) and will allow remote public comment via teleconference. Visit the SFGovTV website at ([www.sfgovtv.org](http://www.sfgovtv.org)) to stream the live meetings, or to watch meetings on demand. Members of the public are encouraged to participate remotely via detailed instructions on participating via teleconference available at: <https://sfbos.org/remote-meeting-call>.*

*Members of the public may participate by phone or may submit their comments by email to: [linda.wong@sfgov.org](mailto:linda.wong@sfgov.org); all comments received will be made a part of the official record. Regularly-scheduled Budget and Appropriations Committee Meetings begin at 1:00 p.m. every Wednesday of each month. Committee agendas and their associated documents are available at <https://sfbos.org/committees>.*

## **ROLL CALL AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

*On the call of the roll, Chair Fewer, Vice Chair Walton, Member Mandelman, Member Yee, and Member Ronen were noted present. A quorum was present.*

## **AGENDA CHANGES**

*There were no agenda changes.*

## **REGULAR AGENDA**

*Chair Fewer requested File Nos. 200567 and 200568 be called together.*

**200567 [Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for Departments - FYs 2020-2021 and 2021-2022]**

**Sponsor: Mayor**

Budget and Appropriation Ordinance appropriating all estimated receipts and all estimated expenditures for Departments of the City and County of San Francisco as of July 31, 2020, for the FYs ending June 30, 2021, and June 30, 2022.

(Fiscal Impact)

*Heard in Committee. Speakers: Ashley Groffenberger, Deputy Budget Director (Office of the Mayor); Ben Rosenfield, City Controller (Office of the Controller); Abbie Yant, Executive Director (Health Service System); Eric Sandler and Juliet Ellis (Public Utilities Commission); Jose Cisneros, Treasurer-Tax Collector, and Tajel Shah (Office of the Treasurer-Tax Collector); Joaquin Torres, Director, and Merrick Pasqual (Office of Economic and Workforce Development); Rich Hillis, Director of Planning, and Deborah Landis (Planning Department); Theresa Zighera, Interim Executive Director (Children and Families Commission); Maria Su, Director, and Denise Payton (Department of Children, Youth, and Their Families); Dr. Grant Colfax, Director, Greg Wagner, Jenny Louie, Dr. Hali Hammer, Marlo Simmons, and Dr. Ayanna Bennett (Department of Public Health); Abigail Stewart-Kahn, Interim Director and Gigi Whitley (Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing); Supervisor Matt Haney (Board of Supervisors); Trent Rhorer, Executive Director (Human Services Agency); Supervisor Dean Preston (Board of Supervisors); Ingrid Mezquita, Director, (Office of Early Care and Education); Emily Gibbs and Shireen McSpadden, Executive Director, (Human Services Agency); Jeffrey Tumlin, Director of Transportation, and Jonathan Rewers (Municipal Transportation Agency); Ivar Satero, Director, and Kevin Kone (Airport Department); Elaine Forbes, Executive Director, and Nate Cruz (Port); provided an overview and responded to questions raised throughout the discussion. Theresa Rutherford, Leslie Kupper, and Maria Luz Torre (Parent Voices); Karl Kramer (SF Living Wage Coalition); Moses Corrette (IFPTE Local 21); Speaker (SEIU Local 1021); Amy Wong, Sarah Larson, Valerie Barber, and Lucy Arellano (IFPTE Local 21); Alexa Grinke; Nikki Santana (IFPTE Local 21); Anita Yao; Cynthia Allman and Ashley Renick (IFPTE Local 21); Dorothy Park; Janet Ng (IFPTE Local 21); Tan Lam and Kimberly Cox (SEIU Local 1021); Laurene Chan (Cameron House); Bijon; J.M. Jaffe; Matt Pemberton; Robin Matchall (SEIU Local 1021); Rachel Ng; Jenny (IFPTE Local 21); Shannon Amitin (Castro LGBTQ Cultural District); Chris Tsukida (Richmond Neighborhood Center); Theresa Arriaga (Parents for Public Schools); Greg Bailey; Nicole Christian (SEIU Local 1021); April Leung and Elia Fernandez (Parent Voices); Nancy Auyoung, on behalf of Andy Clark; Beckett Maya Bellius; Speaker; Lizzie Velten (Shape Up San Francisco); Monina Boracas (Parent Voices); Monique LeSarre (Rafiki Coalition); Christina Flounder and Naj Daniels (IFPTE Local 21); Schuman Lee; Hanna Forsberg; Megan; Gabriel Varcamo; Darren Wong; Speaker; Gwendolyn Brown, Director (Inner City Youth Space); Lily Marquez (Parent Voices); Speaker; Francisco Da Costa; Hector Jimenez Cardinas; Lourdes Alarcon; Vayez (Parent Voices); Joi Jackson-Morgan; Maria Chandres; Jorge; Speaker; Majeid Crawford (New Community Leadership Foundation); Thomas Robert Simpson (AfroSolo Theatre Company); spoke on various concerns regarding the hearing matter.*

**Chair Fewer, seconded by Member Yee, moved that this Ordinance be CONTINUED to the Budget and Appropriations Committee meeting of August 14, 2020. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Ayes: 5 - Fewer, Walton, Mandelman, Yee, Ronen

*Chair Fewer recessed the meeting at 1:08 p.m. and reconvened the meeting at 1:42 p.m.*

*SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS*

*Supervisors Haney and Preston were noted present at 4:01 p.m.; thereby constituting a quorum of the Board of Supervisors. A Special Meeting of the Board of Supervisors was convened at 4:01 p.m.; although, the meeting was conducted in all respects as a committee meeting for items on the agenda and any substantive decisions constitute a recommendation of the committee and not action taken by the Board.*

*Present: Supervisors Fewer, Haney Mandelman, Preston, Ronen, Walton, and Yee*

*Vice Chair Walton noted absent at 5:29 p.m.*

*Vice Chair Walton was noted present at 7:17 p.m., and for the remainder of the meeting.*

**200568 [Annual Salary Ordinance - FYs 2020-2021 and 2021-2022]**

**Sponsor: Mayor**

Annual Salary Ordinance enumerating positions in the Annual Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for the FYs ending June 30, 2021, and June 30, 2022, continuing, creating, or establishing these positions; enumerating and including therein all positions created by Charter or State law for which compensations are paid from City and County funds and appropriated in the Annual Appropriation Ordinance; authorizing appointments or continuation of appointments thereto; specifying and fixing the compensations and work schedules thereof; and authorizing appointments to temporary positions and fixing compensations therefore.

(Fiscal Impact)

*Heard in Committee. Speakers: Ashley Groffenberger, Deputy Budget Director (Office of the Mayor); Ben Rosenfield, City Controller (Office of the Controller); Abbie Yant, Executive Director (Health Service System); Eric Sandler and Juliet Ellis (Public Utilities Commission); Jose Cisneros, Treasurer-Tax Collector, and Tajel Shah (Office of the Treasurer-Tax Collector); Joaquin Torres, Director, and Merrick Pasqual (Office of Economic and Workforce Development); Rich Hillis, Director of Planning, and Deborah Landis (Planning Department); Theresa Zighera, Interim Executive Director (Children and Families Commission); Maria Su, Director, and Denise Payton (Department of Children, Youth, and Their Families); Dr. Grant Colfax, Director, Greg Wagner, Jenny Louie, Dr. Hali Hammer, Marlo Simmons, and Dr. Ayanna Bennett (Department of Public Health); Abigail Stewart-Kahn, Interim Director and Gigi Whitley (Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing); Supervisor Matt Haney (Board of Supervisors); Trent Rhorer, Executive Director (Human Services Agency); Supervisor Dean Preston (Board of Supervisors); Ingrid Mezquita, Director, (Office of Early Care and Education); Emily Gibbs and Shireen McSpadden, Executive Director, (Human Services Agency); Jeffrey Tumlin, Director of Transportation, and Jonathan Rewers (Municipal Transportation Agency); Ivar Satero, Director, and Kevin Kone (Airport Department); Elaine Forbes, Executive Director, and Nate Cruz (Port); provided an overview and responded to questions raised throughout the discussion. Theresa Rutherford, Leslie Kupper, and Maria Luz Torre (Parent Voices); Karl Kramer (SF Living Wage Coalition); Moses Corrette (IFPTE Local 21); Speaker (SEIU Local 1021); Amy Wong, Sarah Larson, Valerie Barber, and Lucy Arellano (IFPTE Local 21); Alexa Grinke; Nikki Santana (IFPTE Local 21); Anita Yao; Cynthia Allman and Ashley Renick (IFPTE Local 21); Dorothy Park; Janet Ng (IFPTE Local 21); Tan Lam and Kimberly Cox (SEIU Local 1021); Laurene Chan (Cameron House); Bijon; J.M. Jaffe; Matt Pemberton; Robin Matchall (SEIU Local 1021); Rachel Ng; Jenny (IFPTE Local 21); Shannon Amitin (Castro LGBTQ Cultural District); Chris Tsukida (Richmond Neighborhood Center); Theresa Arriaga (Parents for Public Schools); Greg Bailey; Nicole Christian (SEIU Local 1021); April Leung and Elia Fernandez (Parent Voices); Nancy Auyoung, on behalf of Andy Clark; Beckett Maya Bellius; Speaker; Lizzie Velten (Shape Up San Francisco); Monina Boracas (Parent Voices); Monique LeSarre (Rafiki Coalition); Christina Flounder and Naj Daniels (IFPTE Local 21); Schuman Lee; Hanna Forsberg; Megan; Gabriel Varcamo; Darren Wong; Speaker; Gwendolyn Brown, Director (Inner City Youth Space); Lily Marquez (Parent Voices); Speaker; Francisco Da Costa; Hector Jimenez Cardinas; Lourdes Alarcon; Vayez (Parent Voices); Joi Jackson-Morgan; Maria Chandres; Jorge; Speaker; Majeid Crawford (New Community Leadership Foundation); Thomas Robert Simpson (AfroSolo Theatre Company); spoke on various concerns regarding the hearing matter.*

**Chair Fewer, seconded by Member Yee, moved that this Ordinance be CONTINUED to the Budget and Appropriations Committee meeting of August 14, 2020. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Ayes: 5 - Fewer, Walton, Mandelman, Yee, Ronen

**200844 [Health Code - Patient Rates for FYs 2020-2021 and 2021-2022]**

**Sponsor: Mayor**

Ordinance amending the Health Code to set patient rates and rates for other services provided by the Department of Public Health, for Fiscal Years 2020-2021 and 2021-2022, starting July 1, 2020, through June 30, 2022.

*Heard in Committee. Speaker: Greg Wagner (Department of Public Health); provided an overview and responded to questions raised throughout the discussion.*

**Chair Fewer, seconded by Vice Chair Walton, moved that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED to the Board of Supervisors meeting of September 15, 2020. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Ayes: 5 - Fewer, Walton, Mandelman, Yee, Ronen

**200846 [Homelessness and Supportive Housing Fund - FYs 2020-2021 and 2021-2022 Expenditure Plan]**

**Sponsor: Mayor**

Resolution approving the Fiscal Years 2020-2021 and 2021-2022 Expenditure Plan for the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing Fund.

*Heard in Committee. Speakers: Abigail Stewart-Kahn and Gigi Whitley (Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing); provided an overview and responded to questions raised throughout the discussion. Francisco Da Costa; spoke neither in support nor opposition to the hearing matter. Marnee Regan, spoke in support of the hearing matter.*

**Chair Fewer, seconded by Vice Chair Walton, moved that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED to the Board of Supervisors meeting of September 15, 2020. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Ayes: 5 - Fewer, Walton, Mandelman, Yee, Ronen

*Chair Fewer requested File Nos. 200834, 200835, 200832, 200833, 200836, 200837, and 200838 be called together.*

**200834 [Appropriation - Proceeds from Revenue Bonds, Hetch Hetchy Revenue, Low Carbon Fuel Standard, Cap and Trade Allowance - \$260,351,806; De- and Re-Appropriation - Capital Projects - Hetch Hetchy Water/Power Capital Improvements - \$341,001 - FYs 2020-2022]**

**Sponsor: Mayor**

Ordinance appropriating a total of \$260,351,806 of Hetch Hetchy revenue, Low Carbon Fuel Standard, Cap and Trade Revenue and Power and Water Revenue Bonds for the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (SFPUC) Hetch Hetchy Capital Improvement Program for Fiscal Year (FY) 2020-2021 at \$94,380,451 and for FY2021-2022 at \$165,971,355; and placing \$142,970,073 of Power Bonds and \$108,626,733 of Water Bonds by project on Controller's Reserve subject to the Controller's certification of funds availability, including proceeds of indebtedness, and for construction related expenditures (excluding program management, planning and design) for these projects, as applicable, is also subject to the prior occurrence of the SFPUC's and the Board of Supervisors' discretionary adoption of California Environmental Quality Act findings for projects, following review and consideration of completed project related environmental analysis, where required.

(Fiscal Impact)

*Heard in Committee. Speakers: None.*

**Chair Fewer, seconded by Vice Chair Walton, moved that this Ordinance be CONTINUED to the Budget and Appropriations Committee meeting of August 21, 2020. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Ayes: 5 - Fewer, Walton, Mandelman, Yee, Ronen

**200835 [Appropriation - Proceeds from CleanPowerSF Revenue - CleanPowerSF Capital Improvements - \$4,331,326 - FY2020-2021 and FY2021-2022]**

**Sponsor: Mayor**

Ordinance appropriating \$4,331,326 CleanPowerSF revenue for the CleanPowerSF Capital Improvement Program for FY2020-2021 at \$1,898,497 and for FY2021-2022 at \$2,432,829. (Fiscal Impact)

*Heard in Committee. Speakers: None.*

**Chair Fewer, seconded by Vice Chair Walton, moved that this Ordinance be CONTINUED to the Budget and Appropriations Committee meeting of August 21, 2020. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Ayes: 5 - Fewer, Walton, Mandelman, Yee, Ronen

**200832 [Appropriation - Proceeds from Revenue Bonds, State Loans/Grants, Wastewater Revenues/Capacity Fees - \$579,185,142; De-Appropriation and Re-Appropriation - Wastewater Capital Improvements - SFPUC - \$391,415,748 - FY2020-2021 and FY2021-2022]**

**Sponsor: Mayor**

Ordinance appropriating a total of \$579,185,142 of proceeds from revenue bonds, State of California Water Resources Control Board's revolving loan funds (State Loan Funds) or grant funds (State Grant Funds), wastewater revenue and capacity fees for the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (SFPUC) Wastewater Enterprise's Capital Improvement Program for FY2020-2021 at \$170,869,066 and for FY2021-2022 at \$408,316,076, deappropriating and reappropriating \$391,415,748, and placing \$349,919,252 in Revenue Bonds or State Loan or Grant Funds by project on Controller's Reserve subject to the Controller's certification of funds availability, including proceeds of indebtedness, and for construction related expenditures (excluding program management, planning and design) for these projects, as applicable, is also subject to the prior occurrence of the SFPUC's and the Board of Supervisors' discretionary adoption of California Environmental Quality Act Findings for projects, following review and consideration of completed project related environmental analysis, where required. (Fiscal Impact)

*Heard in Committee. Speakers: None.*

**Chair Fewer, seconded by Vice Chair Walton, moved that this Ordinance be CONTINUED to the Budget and Appropriations Committee meeting of August 21, 2020. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Ayes: 5 - Fewer, Walton, Mandelman, Yee, Ronen

**200833 [Appropriation - Proceeds from Revenue Bonds, State Loan/Grant Funds, Water Revenues/Capacity Fees - \$344,846,164; De- and Re-Appropriation - Capital Improvement Projects - \$14,413,167; De-appropriation - Capital Projects - \$3,528,113 - FYs 2020-2022]**

**Sponsor: Mayor**

Ordinance appropriating a total of \$344,846,164 of proceeds from Revenue Bonds, State of California Water Resources Control Board's revolving loan funds (State Loan Funds) or grant funds (State Grant Funds), water revenues, and water capacity fees for the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (SFPUC) Water Enterprise's Capital Improvement Program for Fiscal Year (FY) 2020-2021 at \$132,133,926 and for FY2021-2022 at \$212,712,238; and de-appropriating \$3,528,113 Water Capital Project funding to Water's Fund balance in FY2020-2021; and de-appropriating and re-appropriating Water Capital Project appropriations of \$14,413,167 in FY2020-2021 and placing \$238,514,485 of Revenue Bond and State Loan Funds or State Grant Funds proceeds by project on Controller's Reserve subject to the Controller's certification of funds availability, including proceeds of indebtedness, and for construction related expenditures (excluding program management, planning and design) for these projects, as applicable, is also subject to the prior occurrence of the SFPUC's and the Board of Supervisors' discretionary adoption of California Environmental Quality Act findings for projects, following review and consideration of completed project related environmental analysis, where required.  
(Fiscal Impact)

*Heard in Committee. Speakers: None.*

**Chair Fewer, seconded by Vice Chair Walton, moved that this Ordinance be CONTINUED to the Budget and Appropriations Committee meeting of August 21, 2020. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Ayes: 5 - Fewer, Walton, Mandelman, Yee, Ronen

**200836 [San Francisco Public Utilities Commission Power Revenue Bond Issuance - Various Capital Projects Benefitting the Power Enterprise - Not to Exceed \$142,970,073]**

**Sponsor: Mayor**

Ordinance authorizing the issuance and sale of tax-exempt or taxable Power Revenue Bonds and other forms of indebtedness by the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$142,970,073 to finance the costs of various capital projects benefitting the Power Enterprise pursuant to Charter, Sections 9.107(6) and 9.107(8); authorization to issue Refunding Power Revenue Bonds and the retirement of outstanding Power Enterprise Commercial Paper; declaring the Official Intent of the Commission to Reimburse Itself with one or more issues of tax-exempt bonds; and ratifying previous actions taken in connection therewith, as defined herein.  
(Fiscal Impact)

*Heard in Committee. Speakers: None.*

**Chair Fewer, seconded by Vice Chair Walton, moved that this Ordinance be CONTINUED to the Budget and Appropriations Committee meeting of August 21, 2020. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Ayes: 5 - Fewer, Walton, Mandelman, Yee, Ronen



**200837 [San Francisco Public Utilities Commission Wastewater Revenue Bond Issuance - Various Capital Wastewater Projects Benefitting the Wastewater Enterprise - Not to Exceed \$349,919,252]**

**Sponsor: Mayor**

Ordinance authorizing the issuance and sale of tax-exempt or taxable Wastewater Revenue Bonds and other forms of indebtedness, as defined herein, by the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (Commission) in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$349,919,252 to finance the costs of various capital wastewater projects benefitting the Wastewater Enterprise pursuant to amendments to the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco enacted by the voters on November 5, 2002, as Proposition E; authorizing the issuance of Wastewater Revenue Refunding Bonds and the retirement of outstanding Wastewater Enterprise Commercial Paper; declaring the Official Intent of the Commission to reimburse itself with one or more issues of tax-exempt bonds or other forms of indebtedness, as defined herein; and ratifying previous actions taken in connection therewith, as defined herein.

(Fiscal Impact)

*Heard in Committee. Speakers: None.*

**Chair Fewer, seconded by Vice Chair Walton, moved that this Ordinance be CONTINUED to the Budget and Appropriations Committee meeting of August 21, 2020. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Ayes: 5 - Fewer, Walton, Mandelman, Yee, Ronen

**200838 [San Francisco Public Utilities Commission Water Revenue Bond and Other Forms of Indebtedness Issuance - Various Capital Water Projects Benefitting the Water Enterprise - Not to Exceed \$347,141,218]**

**Sponsor: Mayor**

Ordinance authorizing the issuance and sale of tax-exempt or taxable Water Revenue Bonds and other forms of indebtedness, as defined herein, by the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (Commission) in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$347,141,218 to finance the costs of various capital water projects benefitting the Water Enterprise pursuant to amendments to the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco enacted by the voters on November 5, 2002, as Proposition E; authorizing the issuance of Water Revenue Refunding Bonds and the retirement of outstanding Water Enterprise Commercial Paper; declaring the Official Intent of the Commission to reimburse itself with one or more issues of tax-exempt bonds or other forms of indebtedness, as defined herein; and ratifying previous actions taken in connection therewith, as defined herein.

(Fiscal Impact)

*Heard in Committee. Speakers: None.*

**Chair Fewer, seconded by Vice Chair Walton, moved that this Ordinance be CONTINUED to the Budget and Appropriations Committee meeting of August 21, 2020. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Ayes: 5 - Fewer, Walton, Mandelman, Yee, Ronen

## **ADJOURNMENT**

*There being no further business, the Budget and Appropriations Committee and the Special Board of Supervisors adjourned at the hour of 10:44 p.m.*

*N.B. The Minutes of this meeting set forth all actions taken by the Budget and Appropriations Committee and the Special Board of Supervisors on the matters stated, but not necessarily in the chronological sequence in which the matters were taken up.*

*Approved by the Board of Supervisors on September 22, 2020.*

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Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board