



City and County of San Francisco

Meeting Minutes

Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee

City Hall
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San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

Members: Gordon Mar, Catherine Stefani, Matt Haney

Clerk: John Carroll (415) 554-4445

Thursday, February 11, 2021

10:00 AM

Regular Meeting

Present: 3 - Gordon Mar, Catherine Stefani, and Matt Haney

The Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee met in regular session through videoconferencing, and provided public comment through teleconferencing, on Thursday, February 11, 2021, with Chair Gordon Mar presiding. Chair Mar called the meeting to order at 10:00 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) to stream the live meetings, or to watch meetings on demand.

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ROLL CALL AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

On the call of the roll, Chair Mar and Vice Chair Stefani were noted present.

Member Haney was noted not present.

A quorum was present.

Member Haney was noted present at 10:01 a.m.

AGENDA CHANGES

There were no agenda changes.

REGULAR AGENDA

201232 [Hearing - Findings of the San Francisco Recovery Summit Working Group]

Sponsors: Stefani; Safai

Hearing on the San Francisco Recovery Summit Working Group report and findings; and requesting the Adult Probation Department and Department of Public Health to report.

10/27/20; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

11/04/20; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to Adult Probation and the Department of Public Health for informational purposes.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Steve Adami (Adult Probation Department); Adrian Maldonado, Cregg Johnson, Jeris Woodson, Cedric Akbar, Geoffrea Morris, Rico Hamilton, Tom Wolf, Richard Beal, Jabari Jackson, and Victoria Westbrook (San Francisco Recovery Summit Working Group); Judith Martin (Department of Public Health); Supervisor Rafael Mandelman (Board of Supervisors); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion. James; Rebecca Jackson (Center on Juvenile and Criminal Justice); Malik Washington, Editor (The San Francisco Bay View National Black Newspaper); Wesley Saver (GLIDE Foundation); Laura Thomas (San Francisco AIDS Foundation); Taylor Rosa; Paul Aguilar; James McGee; spoke on various concerns related to the hearing matter.

Vice Chair Stefani moved that this Hearing be CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Mar, Stefani, Haney

200133 [Hearing - San Francisco Housing Conservatorship Preliminary Evaluation Report]**Sponsor: Mandelman**

Hearing to discuss the San Francisco Housing Conservatorship Preliminary Evaluation Report; and requesting the Department of Public Health and Office of the Public Conservator to report.

02/04/20; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

02/12/20; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Department of Public Health and the Office of the Public Conservator, care of the Human Services Agency, for informational purposes.

06/25/20; CONTINUED. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Dr. Angelica Almeida (Department of Public Health); Jill Nielsen (Department of Aging and Adult Services); Anne Pearson (Office of the City Attorney); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion. Jennifer Esteen (Housing Conservatorship Working Group); Gabby Ruiz (Tenderloin Community Development Corporation); Zach Carlson; Michael Lyon (Senior and Disability Action); Juliana Morris (Do No Harm Coalition); Sherry Park; Tom Metz; Carolyn Kennedy; Chelsea (Coalition on Homelessness); Lauren; Dr. Allen Cooper; Ashley; Raia Small (Senior and Disability Action); Gracie; Rachel Rodriguez (Housing Conservatorship Working Group); David Brighton; Fred Winograd; Carolyn Thomas; David Mauroff (San Francisco Pretrial Diversion Project); Jennifer; Jessica Lehman, Executive Director (Senior and Disability Action); spoke on various concerns related to the hearing matter.

07/23/20; CONTINUED. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Dr. Angelica Almeida (Department of Public Health); Jill Nielsen (Human Services Agency); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion. Paulina Fayer; Michael Lyon (Senior and Disability Action); Justin; Michael Godwin; Reya Small; Linda Chapman; Carolyn Thomas; Darby Morris; Carolyn Kennedy; Marlayne Morgan (Cathedral Hill Neighborhood Association); Ben Bleiman (Discover Polk Community Benefit District); Jennifer; Curtis Bradford (Tenderloin People's Congress); Cheryl Travers (Rescue SF); Gabby Ruiz (Tenderloin Community Development Corporation); Francis Gorman (Rescue SF); Anakh Sul Rama (Community Housing Partnership); George Wooding; Lauren; Raul de la Rosa; spoke on various concerns related to the hearing matter.

09/24/20; CONTINUED. Heard in Committee. Speaker: Dr. Angelica Almeida (Department of Public Health); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion.

11/12/20; CONTINUED. Heard in Committee. Speakers: None.

12/10/20; CONTINUED. Heard in Committee. Speakers: None.

Heard in Committee. Speaker: Supervisor Rafael Mandelman (Board of Supervisors); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion.

Chair Mar moved that this Hearing be CONTINUED to the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee meeting of March 11, 2021. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Mar, Stefani, Haney

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee adjourned at the hour of 1:55 p.m.

N.B. The Minutes of this meeting set forth all actions taken by the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee on the matters stated, but not necessarily in the chronological sequence in which the matters were taken up.