



City and County of San Francisco

Meeting Minutes

Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee

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Thursday, March 12, 2026

10:00 AM

City Hall, Legislative Chamber, Room 250

Regular Meeting

Present: 3 - Matt Dorsey, Bilal Mahmood, and Alan Wong

The Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee met in regular session on Thursday, March 12, 2026, with Chair Matt Dorsey presiding. Chair Dorsey called the meeting to order at 10:02 a.m.

ROLL CALL AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

On the call of the roll, Chair Dorsey, Vice Chair Mahmood, and Member Wong were noted present. A quorum was present.

COMMUNICATIONS

Monique Crayton, Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee Clerk, instructed members of the public that public comment is taken on each item on the agenda. Alternatively, written comments may be submitted through email (monique.crayton@sfgov.org) or the U.S. Postal Service at City Hall, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244, San Francisco, CA 94102.

AGENDA CHANGES

There were no agenda changes.

REGULAR AGENDA

251254 [Administrative, Health Codes - Mechanical Street Sweeping Performance; Refuse Receptacles]

Sponsor: Sauter

Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to require the Department of Public Works to perform evaluations and report periodically on mechanical street sweeping operations, including submittal of written performance reports to the Board of Supervisors and the Mayor; amending the Health Code to revise and clarify outdated terms concerning refuse receptacle requirements and authorize a process for the imposition of administrative fines; and affirming the Planning Department's determination under the California Environmental Quality Act.

12/16/25; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee, expires on 1/15/2026.

12/23/25; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to Public Works for informational purposes.

12/23/25; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Department for environmental review.

12/26/25; RESPONSE RECEIVED. Not defined as a project under CEQA Guidelines Sections 15378 and 15060(c)(2) because it would not result in a direct or indirect physical change in the environment.

02/10/26; SUBSTITUTED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee. Supervisor Sauter introduced a substitute Ordinance bearing a new title.

02/17/26; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred substituted Ordinance to Public Works and Department of Public Health for informational purposes.

02/17/26; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred substituted Ordinance to the Planning Department for environmental review.

02/20/26; RESPONSE RECEIVED. Substitute Ordinance not defined as a project under CEQA Guidelines Sections 15378 and 15060(c)(2) because it would not result in a direct or indirect physical change in the environment.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Supervisor Danny Sauter (Board of Supervisors); provided an overview and responded to questions raised throughout the discussion.

Chair Dorsey moved that this Ordinance be AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING NEW TITLE, on Page 1, Lines 3-9, to read 'Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to require the Department of Public Works to perform evaluations and report periodically on mechanical street sweeping operations, including submittal of written performance reports to the Board of Supervisors and the Mayor; amending the Health Code to revise and clarify outdated terms concerning refuse receptacle requirements and affirming the Planning Department's determination under the California Environmental Quality Act'; on Page 2, Lines 20-22, by striking 'In addition, Public Works may benefit from additional enforcement authority under Administrative Code Chapter 100, which creates a process for the issuance of citations and administrative fines for violations of certain provisions of the Municipal Code'; on Page 5, Line 17, to read 'Section 283 of this Article 6 may be enforced using either of the following processes'; on Page 6, Lines 3-6, by striking '(c) Administrative Citations Under Chapter 100 of the Administrative Code. Any violation of Section 283 shall be deemed a public nuisance. Public Works is authorized to issue administrative citations for violations of Section 283 under Administrative Code Chapter 100, which is hereby incorporated in its entirety'; and making conforming and clerical amendments throughout the ordinance text. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Mahmood, Wong

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Chair Dorsey moved that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED AS AMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Mahmood, Wong

251162 [Health Code - Spaying, Neutering, and Sterilizing of Dogs]

Ordinance amending the Health Code to require that every dog in San Francisco, with certain exceptions, be spayed, neutered, or chemically sterilized, rather than requiring such procedures only for pit bulls; to establish a process and fee for applying for an unaltered dog permit, and a process for granting, denying, or revoking such permit, with a hearing following a denial or revocation; to regulate the transfer, sale, and breeding of unaltered dogs; and to establish penalties and conditions of impoundment for violations of the mandatory spay, neuter, or chemical sterilization requirements.
(City Administrator)

11/10/25; RECEIVED FROM DEPARTMENT.

12/02/25; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

12/09/25; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to Animal Care and Control for informational purposes.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Lukas Illa; spoke on various concerns relating to the ordinance matter.

Chair Dorsey moved that this Ordinance be CONTINUED to the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee meeting of April 9, 2026. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Mahmood, Wong

251197 [Hearing - Conditions for Women in Custody at Local Jails - Sheriff's Department Oversight, Policies and Procedures]

Sponsors: Chen; Walton, Chan, Melgar, Fielder and Sauter

Hearing to discuss the conditions for women in custody at local jails, including personal safety, programming, services and resources available; examine the oversight of hiring and assignment process for jail staffing, complaint process for women in custody, and disciplinary policies and procedures for Sheriff's deputies who commit misconduct; and requesting the Sheriff's Department, Mayor's Office of Housing and Community Development, Department of Children, Youth, and Their Families, Human Rights Commission, Mayor's Office of Victim's Rights, Department of Police Accountability, and Office of Sexual Harassment and Assault Response and Prevention to report.

12/02/25; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

12/09/25; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Sheriff's Department, Mayor's Office of Housing and Community Development, Department of Children, Youth, and Their Families, Human Rights Commission, Mayor's Office of Victim's Rights, Department of Police Accountability, and the Office of Sexual Harassment and Assault Response and Prevention for informational purposes.

12/10/25; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Youth Commission for review and comment.

01/07/26; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Youth Commission held a hearing on December 15, 2025, and submitted comments for the file.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Supervisor Chyanne Chen (Board of Supervisors); Julia Arroyo (Young Women's Freedom Center); Zendaya Blossom (TGI Justice Project); Sheriff Paul Miyamoto (Sheriff's Department); Paul Henderson (Department of Police Accountability); Lila Carrillo (Mayor's Office); Angela Chan (Public Defender); provided an overview and responded to questions raised throughout the discussion. Mary; Angel; Rebecca Jackson; Olivia Hoffman; Sammi Reiner; Roma Guy; Lukas Illa; Valerie; Mike; Natalie Ortiz; Maria; Speaker; Lea McGeever; Amanda; Guillermo; Aliana; Jana; Eila; Speaker; Lay; Tumani Drew; Zendaya Blossom; Tanisha Cannon; Speaker; Crystal; Joanna Hernandez; Lily Pickett; Speaker; Lawrence Cox; Melissa Moore; Speaker; Hope; Rachael Doty; Elizabeth Bertolino; Anthony Label; Yolanda Wong; Speaker; Sunny Angulo; Adam; Carmen; Jen Levinson; Ronnie; Speaker; Speaker; Speaker; Donna; Jade; AjaiNicole Duncan; JJ Zinger; Parker; Ruth; Tam; Sydney Simpson; Speaker; spoke on various concerns relating to the hearing matter.

Vice Chair Mahmood was noted not present at 1:56 p.m., and was noted present at 1:59 p.m.

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

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Mahmood, Wong

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee adjourned at the hour of 2:01 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.