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SUPERVISOR SHAMANN WALTON'S STATEMENT ON THE POTENTIAL ICE INCIDENT THAT OCCURRED ON 1/23/25 IN DISTRICT 10

SAN FRANCISCO, CA – On Thursday, January 23, 2025, our office was alerted about a potential ICE raid targeting individuals on the 29 bus. We immediately contacted multiple agencies to verify the situation. At this time, we have not been able to confirm that the raid occurred.

If you are concerned about immigration enforcement or encounter such situations, remember:

- You have rights. Stay calm and remain silent. You are not required to answer questions about your immigration status or where you were born.
- **Do not open the door without a warrant.** ICE agents must have a signed judicial warrant to enter private spaces.
- **Document the incident.** Record what you see, but do so safely without interfering.
- Ask for a lawyer. If you are detained, exercise your right to legal representation.

If you or someone you know needs immediate assistance, contact the **San Francisco Rapid Response Network**: (415) 200-1548

This 24/7 hotline connects you to trained volunteers who can provide legal support, witness documentation, and assistance during immigration enforcement actions.

We are closely monitoring this issue and are here to support the community. If you have concerns or firsthand information, please contact our office at <u>waltonstaff@sfgov.org</u>. Let's stand together to protect everyone's rights in our community.

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