

[Administrative Code - Legacy Business Assistance Program]

Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to create the Legacy Business Assistance Program.

NOTE: **Unchanged Code text and uncodified text** are in plain Arial font. **Additions to Codes** are in *single-underline italics Times New Roman font*. **Deletions to Codes** are in ~~*strikethrough italics Times New Roman font*~~. **Board amendment additions** are in double-underlined Arial font. **Board amendment deletions** are in ~~strikethrough Arial font~~. **Asterisks (* * * *)** indicate the omission of unchanged Code subsections or parts of tables.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

Section 1. Article XVI of Chapter 2A of the Administrative Code is hereby amended by adding Section 2A.246, to read as follows:

SEC. 2A.246. LEGACY BUSINESS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

(a) Definitions.

For purposes of this Section 2A.246, the following terms have the following meanings:

(1) "Legacy Business" has the meaning set forth in Section 2A.242(b) of this Code.

(2) "Program" means the Legacy Business Assistance Program.

(3) "Fund" means the Legacy Business Assistance Program Fund.

(b) Legacy Business Assistance Program Fund.

(1) Funds for the Program shall be deposited in the Legacy Business Assistance Program Fund, which shall be used for grants and assistance to Legacy Businesses and landlords of Legacy Businesses, as well as marketing, promotions, branding, and programmatic expenses to support Legacy Businesses.

1 (2) The Fund shall be a category 4 fund, as that term is defined in Administrative Code
2 Section 10.100-1.

3 **(c) Oversight and Management.**

4 (1) The Small Business Commission shall provide oversight of the Office of Small
5 Business's management of the Program.

6 (2) The Office of Small Business shall report annually to the Small Business
7 Commission on the activities and expenditures of the Program.

8 (3) The Office of Small Business shall manage the Program, including but not limited to
9 the approval of grants, assistance, marketing, promotions, branding, and programmatic expenses.

10 **(d) Operation of the Program.**

11 (1) **Grants to Legacy Businesses.** To promote the long-term stability of Legacy
12 Businesses and to help Legacy Businesses remain in San Francisco, the Fund may be used to fund
13 grants to Legacy Businesses, as defined in Section 2A.242, consistent with any rules and regulations
14 approved by the Small Business Commission.

15 (2) **Financial and Business Assistance to Legacy Businesses.** To promote the long-
16 term stability of Legacy Businesses and to help Legacy Businesses remain in San Francisco, the Fund
17 may be used to provide other financial assistance, business assistance, incentives, and programs to
18 Legacy Businesses, consistent with any rules and regulations approved by the Small Business
19 Commission.

20 (3) **Grants to Landlords of Legacy Businesses.** To provide incentives for landlords to
21 enter into long-term leases with Legacy Businesses and secure the future stability of San Francisco's
22 long-operating businesses, the Fund may be used to provide grants to landlords who enter into
23 agreements with Legacy Businesses that lease real property in San Francisco, consistent with any rules
24 and regulations approved by the Small Business Commission.

1 (4) **Financial and Business Assistance to Landlords of Legacy Businesses.** To
2 provide incentives for landlords to enter into long-term leases with Legacy Businesses and secure the
3 future stability of San Francisco's long-operating businesses, the Fund may be used to provide other
4 financial assistance, business assistance, incentives, and programs to landlords of Legacy Businesses,
5 consistent with any rules and regulations approved by the Small Business Commission.

6 (5) **Marketing, Promotions, Branding, and Programmatic Expenses.** To maintain San
7 Francisco's cultural identity and to foster civic engagement and pride, the Fund may be used to fund
8 marketing, promotions, branding, and programmatic expenses to support Legacy Businesses and
9 landlords of Legacy Businesses and other related programmatic expenses, with management by the
10 Office of Small Business.

11 (e) **Rules and Regulations.**

12 (1) Within six months of the effective date of the ordinance in Board of Supervisors File
13 No. 240088 enacting this Section 2A.246, and before the disbursement of any monies from the Fund,
14 the Small Business Commission shall, after a noticed hearing, adopt such rules and regulations
15 necessary to implement this Section 2A.246 and achieve the purposes identified in subsection (d),
16 including but not limited to eligibility criteria and application procedures for grants from the Fund.
17 Rules and regulations shall become final in accordance with subsection (e)(2).

18 (2) Any rules and regulations adopted under the authority of subsection (e)(1) shall be
19 subject to disapproval of the Board of Supervisors by ordinance. The Small Business Commission shall
20 provide written notice to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of its adoption of any rule or regulation
21 under subsection (a), along with a copy of said rule or regulation. If a Member of the Board of
22 Supervisors does not introduce an ordinance to disapprove the rule or regulation within 30 days of the
23 date of delivery of such notice to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, or if such an ordinance is
24 introduced within the 30-day period but the ordinance is not enacted by the City within 90 days of the
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1 date of the Commission's delivery of notice to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, the rule or
2 regulation shall become final.

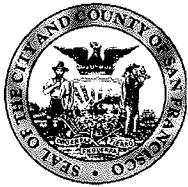
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4 Section 2. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective 30 days after
5 enactment. Enactment occurs when the Mayor signs the ordinance, the Mayor returns the
6 ordinance unsigned or does not sign the ordinance within ten days of receiving it, or the Board
7 of Supervisors overrides the Mayor's veto of the ordinance.

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9 Section 3. Scope of Ordinance. In enacting this ordinance, the Board of Supervisors
10 intends to amend only those words, phrases, paragraphs, subsections, sections, articles,
11 numbers, punctuation marks, charts, diagrams, or any other constituent parts of the Municipal
12 Code that are explicitly shown in this ordinance as additions, deletions, Board amendment
13 additions, and Board amendment deletions in accordance with the "Note" that appears under
14 the official title of the ordinance.

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16 APPROVED AS TO FORM:
17 DAVID CHIU, City Attorney

18 By: /s/ Victoria Wong
19 VICTORIA WONG
20 Deputy City Attorney

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March 04, 2024 Rules Committee - RECOMMENDED

March 12, 2024 Board of Supervisors - PASSED ON FIRST READING


Ayes: 10 - Chan, Dorsey, Engardio, Mandelman, Melgar, Peskin, Preston, Safai,
Stefani and Walton
Excused: 1 - Ronen

March 19, 2024 Board of Supervisors - FINALLY PASSED

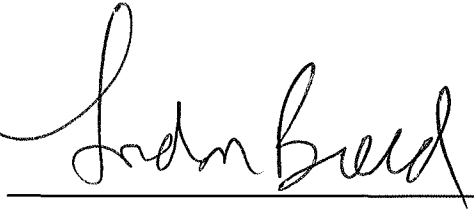
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I hereby certify that the foregoing
Ordinance was **FINALLY PASSED** on
3/19/2024 by the Board of Supervisors of the
City and County of San Francisco.



Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board



London N. Breed
Mayor

3/28/24

Date Approved