



City and County of San Francisco

Meeting Minutes

Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee

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Members: Hillary Ronen, Jeff Sheehy, Sandra Lee Fewer

Clerk: Erica Major (415) 554-4441

Wednesday, June 28, 2017

10:00 AM

City Hall, Committee Room 263

Regular Meeting

Present: 3 - Hillary Ronen, Jeff Sheehy, and Sandra Lee Fewer

The Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee met in regular session on Wednesday, June 28, 2017, with Chair Hillary Ronen presiding.

ROLL CALL AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chair Ronen called the meeting to order at 10:05 a.m. On the call of the roll, Chair Ronen and Member Fewer were noted present. Vice Chair Sheehy was noted not present. There was a quorum.

Vice Chair Sheehy was noted present at 10:06 a.m.

AGENDA CHANGES

There were no agenda changes.

REGULAR AGENDA

170137 [Hearing - Impact of the Money Bail System]

Sponsor: Ronen

Hearing on the impact of the money bail system on women and families, and to identify opportunities for reform at the local level; and requesting the Sheriff's Department, Office of the Public Defender, Office of the District Attorney, Office of the City Attorney, Office of the Treasurer and Tax Collector, and the Superior Courts to report.

01/31/17; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

02/07/17; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Sheriff's Department, Office of the Public Defender, Office of the District Attorney, Office of the City Attorney, Office of the Treasurer and Tax Collector, and the Superior Courts for informational purposes and requesting the various agencies to report.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Anne Stuhldreher, Christa Brown, and Amanda Fried (Office of the Treasurer/Tax Collector); Sheriff Vicki Hennessy (Sheriff's Department); Allison McCovey (San Francisco Pretrial Diversion Project); Jeff Adachi, Public Defender (Office of the Public Defender); Maria McKee (Office of the District Attorney); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion. Tanea Lunsford (Essie Justice Group); Lucero Herrera (Young Women Freedom Center); Dayton Andrews; Roma Guy (Taxpayers for Public Safety); Detra Thomas; Phoebe Vanderhorst; Cindy Elias and Manohar Raju (Office of the Public Defender); Karen Shain (San Francisco Reentry Council); Miss Precious-Luvlee (TGI Justice Project); Danielle West; Mrs. Singh; Alena Yarnosky; Jason Boudin (Office of the Public Defender); Natalia Marques; Geri Ito-Campana; Brittany Stonesifer (Legal Services for Prisoners With Children); Beverly Upton (San Francisco Domestic Violence Consortium); Emily Friedman (Lawyer's Committee for Civil Rights); Lily Haskell (Critical Resistance); Kate Monico Klein; Jennifer Garcia (United Food and Commercial Workers Local 648); Female Speaker; Sharon Meadows; spoke on various concerns relating to the hearing matter.

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

Ayes: 3 - Ronen, Sheehy, Fewer

170443 [Police Code - Outdoor Amplified Sound Permits]**Sponsor: Sheehy**

Ordinance amending the Police Code to recodify and revamp permit procedures for outdoor amplified sound by providing for distinct permits for Fixed Place Outdoor Amplified Sound, One Time Outdoor Amplified Sound, and Sound Trucks, and establishing fees for those permits, while also providing amplified sound requirements for Place of Entertainment and Limited Live Performance permits; to impose a fee for Sound Monitoring; to increase the fee for One Time Event permits; to declare operation of a business without these various permits (when required) to be a public nuisance; and to strengthen penalties for permit-related violations and noise violations; and making environmental findings.

04/18/17; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee, expires on 5/18/2017.

04/25/17; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Department for environmental review; Small Business Commission for comment and recommendation; Department of Public Health, Police Department, Entertainment Commission, Real Estate Division, Public Works, Recreation and Parks Department, Fire Department, Department of Building Inspection, Library Department, San Francisco Unified School District, Board of Appeals, and the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control for informational purposes.

04/28/17; RESPONSE RECEIVED. Statutorily Exempt under CEQA Guidelines Section 15273 Rates, Tolls, Fares and Charges.

06/02/17; RESPONSE RECEIVED. 5/8/2017 - The Small Business Commission voted to recommend that the Board of Supervisors approve the proposed legislation.

06/18/17; NOTICED. First 10-Day Fee Ad for June 28, 2017 Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee hearing published in the Examiner, pursuant to Government Code, Section 6062(a).

06/23/17; NOTICED. Second 10-Day Fee Ad for June 28, 2017 Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee hearing published in the Examiner, pursuant to Government Code, Section 6062(a).

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Jocelyn Kane (Entertainment Commission); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion.

Vice Chair Sheehy moved that this Ordinance be AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING SAME TITLE, on Page 10, Line 3, by inserting 'and as to activities conducted pursuant to a permit issued by the City'; on Page 30, Line 3, by inserting 'or termination or expiration of the Public Works permit for that Plaza'; and on Page 35, Lines 18-23, by clarifying that no person under 21 years of age shall enter, be, or remain in or on any premises on or in which any exhibition of the human body, as described in the definition of Entertainment in Section 1060, is presented. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Ronen, Sheehy, Fewer

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

Ayes: 3 - Ronen, Sheehy, Fewer

170442 [Public Works Code - Requirements for Surface-Mounted Facility Site Permits]**Sponsor: Cohen**

Ordinance amending the Public Works Code to modify the exceptions to the Surface-Mounted Facility Site Permit requirement; to allow a permittee to choose to pay an "in-lieu" fee instead of installing a street tree; to allow a permittee to choose to pay an "in-lieu" fee instead of permitting the installation of a mural on its Surface-Mounted Facility; to repeal the requirements that a permittee install landscaping or pay an "in-lieu" fee and maintain the required landscaping; to repeal the requirement that an applicant for a Surface-Mounted Facility Site Permit make reasonable efforts to locate the facility on private property before submitting an application; and to amend the requirement that a permittee maintain any required street tree.

04/18/17; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee, expires on 5/18/2017.

04/24/17; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to Public Works, Planning Department, Recreation and Parks Department, and the Arts Commission for informational purposes.

05/30/17; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Urban Forestry Council for informational purposes.

06/02/17; NOTICED. First 10-Day Fee Ad for 6/12/2017 Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee hearing published in the Examiner, pursuant to Government Code Section 6062(a).

06/07/17; NOTICED. Second 10-Day Fee Ad for 6/12/2017 Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee hearing published in the Examiner, pursuant to Government Code Section 6062(a).

06/12/17; CONTINUED. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Catherine Joor; Ted Sullivan; spoke in support of the hearing matter. Paul Slade; spoke on various concerns relating to the hearing matter.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Yoyo Chan (Office of Supervisor Malia Cohen); Andrew Shen (Office of the City Attorney); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion. Marilee Mondehar; Rex Tabora; Jennifer Garcia (United Food and Commercial Workers Local 648); Dimitri Rizos; spoke in support of the hearing matter. Donna Partner; spoke in opposition of the hearing matter.

Member Fewer moved that this Ordinance be AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING SAME TITLE, On Page 5, Line 14, to change the in-lieu fee from \$500 to \$2,000; on Page 7, Line 17, to strike '(D) to screen'; on Page 7, Lines 19-20, to strike 'or camouflage the Surface-Mounted Facility where requested by any City Department'; and making conforming changes. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Ronen, Sheehy, Fewer

Vice Chair Sheehy moved that this Ordinance be CONTINUED AS AMENDED to the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee meeting of July 12, 2017. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Ronen, Sheehy, Fewer

Vice Chair Sheehy moved to rescind the previous vote. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Ronen, Sheehy, Fewer

Vice Chair Sheehy moved that this Ordinance be CONTINUED AS AMENDED to the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee meeting of July 12, 2017. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Ronen, Sheehy, Fewer

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee adjourned at the hour of 12:46 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.