

City and County of San Francisco Meeting Agenda

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Land Use and Economic Development Committee

Members: Eric Mar, Malia Cohen, Scott Wiener

Clerk: Alisa Somera (415) 554-4447

Tuesday, May 24, 2011

9:00 AM Special Meeting

City Hall, Committee Room 263

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- 1) Legislation
- 2) Budget and Legislative Analyst report
- 3) Department or Agency cover letter and/or report
- 4) Public correspondence

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Each member of the public will be allotted the same maximum number of minutes to speak as set by the Chair at the beginning of each item, excluding City representatives, except that public speakers using translation assistance will be allowed to testify for twice the amount of the public testimony time limit. If simultaneous translation services are used, speakers will be governed by the public testimony time limit applied to speakers not requesting translation assistance. Members of the public who want a document placed on the overhead for display should clearly state such and subsequently remove the document when they want the screen to return to live coverage of the meeting.

AGENDA CHANGES

REGULAR AGENDA

1. 110564 [Transfer Agreement - Alice Griffith Public Housing Opportunity Center] Sponsor: Mayor

Resolution approving and authorizing the transfer of a modular structure located at 2525 Griffith Street, commonly known as the Alice Griffith Opportunity Center, by the City and County of San Francisco, acting by and through the Mayor's Office of Housing to the Housing Authority of the City and County of San Francisco, for the purpose of continuing resident and community events and the provision of resident services benefitting Alice Griffith Public Housing residents.

5/3/11; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

2. 110300 [Development Agreement - Parkmerced] Sponsor: Elsbernd

Ordinance approving a Development Agreement between the City and County of San Francisco and Parkmerced Investors, LLC, for certain real property located in the Lake Merced District of San Francisco, commonly referred to as Parkmerced, generally bounded by Vidal Drive, Font Boulevard, Pinto Avenue and Serrano Drive to the north, 19th Avenue and Junipero Serra Boulevard to the east, Brotherhood Way to the south, and Lake Merced Boulevard to the west; making findings under the California Environmental Quality Act, findings of conformity with the City's General Plan and with the eight priority policies of Planning Code Section 101.1(b); and waiving certain provisions of Administrative Code Chapter 56. (Planning Department)

(Economic Impact.)

3/15/11; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

4/6/11; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Controller for review and report.

5/16/11; CONTINUED. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Supervisor Sean Elsbernd (Board of Supervisors; Michael Yarne (Economic and Workforce Development); Marlena Byrne (City Attorney's Office); presented information concerning the matter and answered questions raised throughout the hearing. John Huang; Arne Larsen; James Ruigomez; Jeanie Scott; Bruce Kennedy; Mike Smith; Elizabeth Keith; Jim Cook; Bill Blackwell; Adrian Simi; Matt Chamberlain; Nicolo Barozzi; Tim Colen; Carol Koppel; Catherine Wong; Anna-Marie Bratton; Danny Campbell; Javier Flores; Jeff Rock; Manuel Flores; spoke in support of the matter. Aaron Goodman; Lora Traveler; Joey Foyin; Kathy Lims; Michael Russom; Bernie Choden; Healani Ting; Hiroshi Fukuda; Dean Preston; George Wooding; Ted Gullickson; Larry Jones; Mitchell Omerberg; spoke in opposition to the matter.

Continued to May 24, 2011.

The Chair will entertain a motion to send this item forward as a Committee Report to the full Board on May 24, 2011.

3. 110301 [Planning Code - Special Use District - Parkmerced] Sponsor: Elsbernd

Ordinance amending the San Francisco Planning Code by amending Sections 102.5 and 201 to include the Parkmerced Zoning Districts; adding Section 249.64 to establish the Parkmerced Special Use District; amending Planning Code Section 270 to refer to the Parkmerced Special Use District; and adopting findings, including environmental findings, Planning Code Section 302 findings, and findings of consistency with the General Plan and the priority policies of Planning Code Section 101.1. (Planning Commission)

(Economic Impact.)

3/4/11; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

4/6/11; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Controller for review and report.

5/16/11; AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING NEW TITLE. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Supervisor Sean Elsbernd (Board of Supervisors; Michael Yarne (Economic and Workforce Development); Marlena Byrne (City Attorney's Office); presented information concerning the matter and answered questions raised throughout the hearing. John Huang; Arne Larsen; James Ruigomez; Jeanie Scott; Bruce Kennedy; Mike Smith; Elizabeth Keith; Jim Cook; Bill Blackwell; Adrian Simi; Matt Chamberlain; Nicolo Barozzi; Tim Colen; Carol Koppel; Catherine Wong; Anna- Marie Bratton; Danny Campbell; Javier Flores; Jeff Rock; Manuel Flores; spoke in support of the matter. Aaron Goodman; Lora Traveler; Joey Foyin; Kathy Lims; Michael Russom; Bernie Choden; Healani Ting; Hiroshi Fukuda; Dean Preston; George Wooding; Ted Gullickson; Larry Jones; Mitchell Omerberg; spoke in opposition to the matter.

5/16/11; CONTINUED AS AMENDED. Continued to May 24, 2011.

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4. 110302 [Planning Code - Zoning Map Amendments - Parkmerced] Sponsor: Elsbernd

Ordinance amending the San Francisco Planning Code by amending Sectional Maps ZN13, HT13, and SU13 of the Zoning Map of the City and County of San Francisco to reflect the Parkmerced Special Use District; adopting findings, including environmental findings, Section 302 findings, and findings of consistency with the General Plan and the priority policies of Planning Code Section 101.1. (Planning Commission)

(Economic Impact.)

3/4/11; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee. 5/6/2011 - Notice was mailed.

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5/16/11; CONTINUED AS AMENDED. Continued to May 24, 2011.

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5. 110303 [General Plan Amendment - Parkmerced]

Sponsor: Elsbernd

Ordinance amending the San Francisco General Plan by amending the Urban Design Element Height Map with respect to the Parkmerced site; adopting findings, including environmental findings and findings of consistency with the General Plan and Planning Code Section 101.1. (Planning Commission)

(Economic Impact.)

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ADJOURNMENT

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

NOTE: Persons unable to attend the meeting may submit to the City, by the time the proceedings begin, written comments regarding the agenda items above. These comments will be made a part of the official public record and shall be brought to the attention of the Board of Supervisors. Any written comments should be sent to: Committee Clerk of the Land Use Committee, San Francisco Board of Supervisors, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244, San Francisco, CA 94102 by 5:00 p.m. on the day prior to the hearing. Comments which cannot be delivered to the committee clerk by that time may be taken directly to the hearing at the location above.

NOTE:

Pursuant to Government Code Section 65009, the following notice is hereby given: if you challenge, in court, the general plan amendments or planning code and zoning map amendments described above, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Board of Supervisors at, or prior to, the public hearing.

LEGISLATION UNDER THE 30-DAY RULE

(Not to be considered at this meeting)

Rule 5.40 provides that when an ordinance or resolution is introduced which would CREATE OR REVISE MAJOR CITY POLICY, the committee to which the legislation is assigned shall not consider the legislation until at least thirty days after the date of introduction. The provisions of this rule shall not apply to the routine operations of the departments of the City or when a legal time limit controls the hearing timing. In general, the rule shall not apply to hearings to consider subject matter when no legislation has been presented, nor shall the rule apply to resolutions which simply URGE action to be taken.

110482 [Planning Code - Miscellaneous Technical Amendments]

Ordinance amending the San Francisco Planning Code to: 1) correct clerical errors, make language revisions and update Sections 121.2, 134, 136.1, 142, 185, 201, 204.1, 204.2, 205, 205.1, 205.3, 207.2, 209.3, 217, 243, 303, 309, 311, 312, 317, 602.25, 602.26, 607.1, and various Sections and Tables in Articles 7 and 8; and 2) adopting findings, including findings under the California Environmental Quality Act, Planning Code Section 302 findings, and findings of consistency with the General Plan and Planning Code Section 101.1. (Planning Commission)

4/28/11; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

110547 [Zoning Map Amendments - Washington-Broadway Special Use District 1; Waterfront Special Use Districts 2 and 3; Special Districts for Sign Illumination; and Special Districts for Scenic Streets]

Sponsor: Chiu

Ordinance amending Sheets SU01, SS01, and SS02 of the San Francisco Zoning Map to: 1) add blocks and lots to the Washington-Broadway Special Use District 1; 2) add blocks to the Waterfront Special Use District 2; 3) delete blocks and add lots to the Waterfront Special Use District 3; 4) make the boundaries of the Special District for Sign Illumination on Broadway co-extensive with the Broadway Neighborhood Commercial District; 5) delete the Van Ness Special District for Sign Illumination; and 6) add The Embarcadero from Taylor Street to Second Street to the Special District for Scenic Streets; adopting findings, including environmental findings, Planning Code Section 302 findings, and findings of consistency with the General Plan and the Priority Policies of Planning Code Section 101.1.

5/3/11; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

5/12/11; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Department for environmental review; Planning Commission for public hearing and recommendation; and Small Business Commission for review and recommendation

110548 [Planning Code - Zoning - Uses, Signs, Building Features, Floor Area Ratio, Parking, and Compliance in Specified Use Districts] Sponsor: Chiu

Ordinance amending the San Francisco Planning Code by repealing Sections 136.2. 136.3, 158, 187, 249.15, 263.2, 263.3, 602.25, 602.26, 607.3, and 607.4 and amending various other Sections to: 1) increase the amount of principally permitted parking spaces for dwellings in RC-4 and C-3 Districts; 2) make off-street parking requirements in the Van Ness Special Use District and RC-3 Districts consistent with those of RC-4 Districts; 3) eliminate minimum parking requirements for the Chinatown Mixed Use Districts and North Beach Neighborhood Commercial Districts; 4) allow exceptions from required parking under specified circumstances: 5) amend the restrictions on off-street parking rates and extend them to additional zoning districts; 6) revise sign, awning, canopy and marquee controls in specified zoning districts; 7) increase the permitted use size for limited corner commercial uses in RTO and RM districts, and allow reactivation of lapsed limited commercial uses in R Districts; 8) revise the boundaries of and modify parking and screening requirements in the Washington-Broadway and Waterfront Special Use Districts: 9) modify controls for uses and accessory uses in Commercial and Residential-Commercial Districts; 10) permit certain exceptions from exposure and open space requirements for historic buildings; and 11) modify conformity requirements in various use districts; adopting findings, including environmental findings, Section 302 findings, and findings of consistency with the General Plan and the Priority Policies of Planning Code Section 101.1.

5/3/11; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

5/12/11; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Department for environmental review; Planning Commission for public hearing and recommendation; and Small Business Commission for review and recommendation.

110624 [General Plan Amendments - Executive Park Subarea Plan]

Ordinance amending the San Francisco General Plan by amending the Executive Park Subarea Plan of the Bayview Hunters Point Area Plan, the Land Use Index and maps and figures in various elements and adopting findings, including environmental findings and findings of consistency with the General Plan and Planning Code Section 101.1. (Planning Commission)

5/11/11; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

110625 [Zoning - Establishment of the Executive Park Special Use District and Special Height and Bulk Provisions and Permit Review Procedures for the Special Use District]

Ordinance amending the San Francisco Planning Code by adding Section 249.54 to establish the Executive Park Special Use District; adding Section 263.27 to establish Special Height Provisions for the Executive Park Special Use District and the 65/240 EP Height and Bulk District; amending Table 270 to provide that the Table is not applicable to the Executive Park Special Use District; and adding Section 309.2 to establish Permit Review Procedures in the Executive Park Special Use District; adopting findings, including environmental findings, Section 302 findings, and findings of consistency with the General Plan and the Priority Policies of Planning Code Section 101.1. (Planning Commission)

5/11/11; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

110626 [Zoning Map Amendments - Executive Park Subarea Plan Area]

Ordinance amending the San Francisco Planning Code by amending Sectional Maps SU10 of the Zoning Map of the City and County of San Francisco to establish the Executive Park Special Use District; amending Sectional Map HT10 to establish the 65/240-EP Height and Bulk District; amending Sectional Map ZN09 to change certain Executive Park parcels from C-2(Community Business) and M-1(Light Industrial) to RC-3(Residential-Commercial Combined, Medium Density); adopting findings, including environmental findings, Planning Code Section 302 findings, and findings of consistency with the General Plan and the Priority Policies of Planning Code Section 101.1. (Planning Commission)

5/11/11; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

110627 [General Plan Amendment - Community Safety Element]

Ordinance amending the San Francisco General Plan by amending the Community Safety Element to reference the most recent Hazard Mitigation Plan; and making findings, including findings of consistency with the General Plan and the eight priority policies of Planning Code Section 101.1, and environmental findings. (Planning Department)

110657 [Building Code - Permit Exemption for Cartouches] Sponsor: Wiener

Ordinance amending the Building Code of the City and County of San Francisco Section 106A.2 to exempt cartouches from permit requirements; and adopting environmental findings.

5/17/11; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

Meeting Procedures

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AGENDA PACKET: Available for review in Clerk's Office, Room 244, City Hall, and on the internet at http://www.sfbos.org/meetings. Meetings are cablecast on SF Cable 26. For DVD copies and scheduling call (415) 554-4188.

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