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## \*\*\*STATEMENT ON SUPERVISOR WALTON'S TWITTER ACCOUNT HACKED\*\*\*

**SAN FRANCISCO, CA** – On November 22, 2022, San Francisco Board of Supervisors, Board President Supervisor Shamann Walton was alerted by the community that his Twitter account was hacked as his profile picture and bio were changed on the account. Supervisor Walton has not had access to his Twitter account since Twitter's leadership change in October, and has tried logging on numerous times prior to November 22 but has failed every time. Multiple attempts to try to retrieve his account from Twitter have not been answered.

"I have told family and friends that my Twitter account has been hacked and I have not had access to my account since the leadership change," said Supervisor Walton. "No tweets are coming from me. If my community and followers want to continue to report the account, they may do so but I don't feel the need to waste energy on Twitter."

Supervisor Walton is still active on <u>Instagram</u> and Facebook. Community members who wish to follow his work may also subscribe to his newsletter by emailing <u>waltonstaff@sfgov.org</u> or tune in every Tuesday at 2:00 p.m. (except if there is a holiday on Monday). on <u>www.sfgovtv.org</u> or cable Channel 26 to watch the live Board of Supervisors meetings.

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