



City and County of San Francisco
Meeting Minutes
Land Use and Transportation Committee

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Members: Mark Farrell, Aaron Peskin, Katy Tang

Clerk: Erica Major (415) 554-4441

Monday, September 25, 2017

1:30 PM

City Hall, Legislative Chamber, Room 250

Regular Meeting

President London Breed appointed Supervisor Jeff Sheehy, in place of Supervisor Mark Farrell, to the Land Use and Transportation Committee for the regular meeting of September 25, 2017.

Present: 3 - Aaron Peskin, Katy Tang, and Jeff Sheehy

Excused: 1 - Mark Farrell

The Land Use and Transportation Committee met in regular session on Monday, September 25, 2017, with Vice Chair Aaron Peskin presiding.

ROLL CALL AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Vice Chair Peskin called the meeting to order at 1:36 p.m. On the call of the roll, Vice Chair Peskin, Member Tang, and Member Sheehy were noted present. Chair Farrell was noted not present. There was a quorum.

Supervisor Farrell Excused from Attendance

Member Tang moved that Chair Farrell be excused from the Land Use and Transportation Committee meeting of September 25, 2017. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Peskin, Tang, Sheehy

Excused: 1 - Farrell

AGENDA CHANGES

There were no agenda changes.

REGULAR AGENDA

170829 [Hearing - Traffic Congestion Downtown and in Our Neighborhoods]

Sponsor: Sheehy

Hearing to address increased traffic congestion downtown and in our neighborhoods, consider increases in traffic caused by increased development and the prevalence of transportation network companies; and requesting the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency, Planning Department, and Police Department to report.

07/11/17; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

07/17/17; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency, Planning Department, and Police Department for informational purposes.

09/18/17; TRANSFERRED to Land Use and Transportation Committee. President Breed transferred this matter from the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee to the Land Use and Transportation Committee.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Tom Maguire (Municipal Transportation Agency); Jeff Hobson (San Francisco County Transportation Authority); Commander Robert O'Sullivan (Police Department); Doug Johnson (Planning Department); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion. Jim Lazarus (San Francisco Chamber of Commerce); Male Speaker; Matt Rizino; Male Speaker; Tom Ludavich; spoke on various concerns relating to the hearing matter.

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

Ayes: 3 - Peskin, Tang, Sheehy

Excused: 1 - Farrell

170209 [Public Works Code - Bicycle Chop Shops]**Sponsor: Sheehy**

Ordinance amending the Police Code to prohibit the assembly, disassembly, sale, offer of sale, distribution, offer of distribution, or storage of bicycles and bicycle parts on the public right-of-ways, under certain conditions and with certain exceptions; authorize Department of Public Works to remove and seize bicycles and bicycle parts following issuance of a notice of violations; and allow either the recipient of the notice or any other person who can demonstrate lawful ownership to retrieve seized items from Public Works after 30 days.

(Supervisor Peskin dissented in committee.)

02/28/17; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Land Use and Transportation Committee, expires on 3/30/2017.

03/08/17; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to Small Business Commission for comment and recommendation; and to Police Department for informational purposes.

07/10/17; RECOMMENDED. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Supervisor Jeff Sheehy (Board of Supervisors); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion. Carolyn Thomas; Daniel Bergeraz; Fred Roberman; Nancy Hammer; Alex Post; Bob Planthold; spoke in support of the hearing matter. Dave; Sophilas Kami; Jamie Undone (Coalition on Homelessness); Simon Ma; Dale Smith and Evan Mowsky (Democratic Socialist of America); Matthew Sepley; Frank Giraffe; Jennifer Fieber; Lena Wolly; Rusco Leonard; Darby Thomas (Democratic Socialist of America); Brian Wheatonmyer; Female Speaker; Amy Farah-Weiss; James White; Jennifer Friedenbach and Kelly Kutler (Coalition on Homelessness); Justin Height; Sharon Noel; Sam; spoke in opposition of the hearing matter. Brandon Alvarado; spoke on various concerns relating to the hearing matter.

07/18/17; CONTINUED ON FIRST READING.

07/25/17; AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING NEW TITLE. Privilege of the floor was granted unanimously to Jon Givner (Office of the City Attorney) who responded to questions raised throughout the discussion.

07/25/17; RE-REFERRED AS AMENDED to Land Use and Transportation Committee.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Larry Stringer (Public Works); Jon Givner (Office of the City Attorney); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion. Fred Ringer; Brian Wedeinmeyer; Matt Rizino; Carolyn Thomas; Jim Lazarus (San Francisco Chamber of Commerce); spoke in support of the hearing matter. Dale Smith (Coalition of Homelessness); Dave Andrews; Alex Post; Lianne Rims; Evan Howsky; Jennifer Friedenbach, Director, and Kelly Cutler (Coalition on Homelessness); spoke in opposition of the hearing matter.

Member Tang moved that this Ordinance be AMENDED, AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING NEW TITLE, on Page 1, Line 1, by striking 'Police' and replacing it with 'Public Works'; on Page 1, Line 3, by striking 'Police' and replacing it with 'Public Works'; and making other clarifying and confirming changes. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Peskin, Tang, Sheehy

Excused: 1 - Farrell

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RECOMMENDED AS AMENDED by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Peskin, Tang, Sheehy

Excused: 1 - Farrell

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the Land Use and Transportation Committee adjourned at the hour of 3:21 p.m.

N.B. The Minutes of this meeting set forth all actions taken by the Land Use and Transportation Committee on the matters stated, but not necessarily in the chronological sequence in which the matters were taken up.