

[Police Code - Allowing Dogs to be Fastened to Lamp Post, Hydrant, or Tree; Repealing Outdated Code Provisions]

Ordinance amending the San Francisco Police Code by: 1) repealing Sections 875, 876, 924 through 929, 973, 1500, and 1501; and 2) amending Section 585 to exempt dogs on a leash from the prohibition against fastening an animal to a lamp post, hydrant or growing tree.

NOTE: Additions are *single-underline italics Times New Roman*; deletions are *strike-through italics Times New Roman*. Board amendment additions are double-underlined; Board amendment deletions are ~~strikethrough-normal~~.

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

Section 1. The San Francisco Police Code is hereby amended by repealing Sections 875, 876, 924 through 929, 973, 1500 and 1501, to read as follows:

~~SEC. 875. REQUIRING MOVERS TO NOTIFY LANDLORDS.~~

~~It shall be unlawful for any person who is operating or in charge of any moving van, furniture ear, transfer wagon, express wagon, delivery wagon, or any other vehicle engaged in moving for hire, to remove any furniture, household goods, trunks, baggage or other personal effects from any furnished apartment house where there is on the premises a landlord, landlady, manager, or other person in charge of such apartment house without first notifying such landlord, landlady, manager or other person in charge of such apartment house that such furniture, household goods, trunks, baggage or any personal effects are about to be removed from such premises.~~

~~SEC. 876. PENALTY.~~

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1           ~~Any person violating any of the provisions of Section 875 of this Article shall be guilty of a~~  
2 ~~misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be subject to a fine not exceeding \$100, or by~~  
3 ~~imprisonment in the County Jail for not more than 30 days.~~

4 ~~SEC. 924. FIXING RATES, TO BE CHARGED FOR TRANSPORTATION OF PERSONAL~~  
5 ~~BAGGAGE.~~

6           ~~No person, firm or corporation shall demand, collect, charge or receive a higher rate for~~  
7 ~~transportation of personal baggage than is herein specified:~~

8           ~~To and from The Embarcadero, or railroad depot at Third and Townsend Streets, to or from~~  
9 ~~any point within the following described districts of San Francisco:~~

10           ~~ZONE 1.~~

11           ~~Starting at Fillmore Street and the Bay, thence southerly along Fillmore Street and Church~~  
12 ~~Street to Army Street; thence easterly to Potrero Avenue; thence northerly to Division Street; thence~~  
13 ~~easterly to Channel Street; thence to the Bay.~~

14           ~~RATES-~~

15           ~~Trunks \_\_\_\_\_ \$1.00 each~~

16           ~~Small pieces with trunks \_\_\_\_\_ .25 "~~

17           ~~All single suitcases or other small pieces \_\_\_\_\_ .50 "~~

18           ~~Each additional trunk \_\_\_\_\_ .75 "~~

19           ~~ZONE 2.~~

20           ~~District bounded on the east by Fillmore and Church Streets; on the west by First Avenue and~~  
21 ~~Burnett Avenue; on the south by Thirtieth Street, and on the north by the Presidio and Bay.~~

22           ~~RATES-~~

23           ~~Trunks \_\_\_\_\_ \$1.00 each~~

24           ~~Small pieces with trunks \_\_\_\_\_ .25 "~~

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1 ~~All single suitcases or other small pieces .50 "~~

2 ~~Each additional trunk 1.00 "~~

3 ~~ZONE 3.~~

4 ~~Between First and Fifteenth Avenues, the Presidio and Santiago Street. Also district bounded on~~  
5 ~~the north by Channel and Division Street; on the west by Potrero Avenue; on the south by Army Street~~  
6 ~~and the east by the Bay. Also district bounded on the north by Army Street; on the west by Mission and~~  
7 ~~Chenery Streets; on the south by Silver Avenue, and on the east by San Bruno Avenue.~~

8 ~~RATES-~~

9 ~~Trunks \$1.25 each~~

10 ~~Small pieces with trunks .25 "~~

11 ~~All single suitcases or other small pieces .50 "~~

12 ~~Each additional trunk 1.00 "~~

13 ~~ZONE 4.~~

14 ~~District between Fifteenth and Thirtieth Avenues from the Presidio and Ocean to Santiago~~  
15 ~~Street. Also district bounded by Army Street on the north; San Bruno Avenue on the west; Oakdale~~  
16 ~~Avenue on the south. Also district bounded by Thirtieth Street on the north; Chenery Street on the east;~~  
17 ~~Bosworth Street on the south and Congo Street on the west.~~

18 ~~RATES-~~

19 ~~Trunks \$1.50 each~~

20 ~~Small pieces with trunks .25 "~~

21 ~~All single suitcases or other small pieces .50 "~~

22 ~~Each additional trunk 1.00 "~~

23 ~~ZONE 5.~~

1 ~~District bounded by Thirtieth Avenue and Fortieth Avenue, the Ocean and Lincoln Park on the~~  
2 ~~north and Santiago Street on the south. Also district bounded by Clipper Street on the north; Burnett~~  
3 ~~Avenue on the east; Bosworth Street, San Jose and Ocean Avenues on the south and Phelan Avenue,~~  
4 ~~and Hamburg Street on the west.~~

5 ~~RATES-~~

6 ~~Trunks \_\_\_\_\_ \$1.75 each~~

7 ~~Small pieces with trunks \_\_\_\_\_ .25 "~~

8 ~~All single suitcases or other small pieces \_\_\_\_\_ .50 "~~

9 ~~Each additional trunk \_\_\_\_\_ 1.00 "~~

10 ~~ZONE 6.~~

11 ~~From Fortieth Avenue to the Ocean to Santiago Street. From the Ocean easterly to Hamburg~~  
12 ~~Street (including St. Francis Wood, Forest Hill, Almshouse Tract and Westwood Park not otherwise~~  
13 ~~provided for) Ocean Avenue, Madrid Street, Silver Avenue, San Bruno Avenue to Oakdale Avenue to~~  
14 ~~the Bay; thence to the City and County line.~~

15 ~~RATES~~

16 ~~Trunks \_\_\_\_\_ \$2.00 each~~

17 ~~Small pieces with trunks \_\_\_\_\_ .25 "~~

18 ~~All single suitcases or other small pieces \_\_\_\_\_ .50 "~~

19 ~~Each additional trunk \_\_\_\_\_ 1.00 "~~

20 ~~Any point on a street that is a division line between any of the above described districts shall be~~  
21 ~~entitled to the lowest rate specified in either one of the districts.~~

22 ~~SEC. 925. EXCLUDED TERRITORY - RATES.~~

1           ~~The rate for the transportation of personal baggage between points in San Francisco, other~~  
2 ~~than those mentioned in Section 924 of this Article, shall be that agreed upon between the owner of the~~  
3 ~~baggage and the person, firm or corporation transporting the same.~~

4 ~~SEC. 926. RECEIVERS TO GIVE CHECK FOR BAGGAGE.~~

5           ~~Upon the receipt of any baggage for delivery, the person receiving the same shall give to the~~  
6 ~~owner a check or tag, upon which shall be plainly printed the name of the owner of the vehicle used,~~  
7 ~~with his place of business and telephone number, and, if not an incorporated transfer company, the~~  
8 ~~number of his license. The person receiving said baggage shall write upon said check or tag a short~~  
9 ~~description of the baggage and its destination.~~

10 ~~SEC. 927. DELIVERY WITHIN REASONABLE TIME.~~

11           ~~All baggage received shall be delivered to its destination within a reasonable time of its receipt.~~

12 ~~SEC. 928. PRINCIPALS RESPONSIBLE.~~

13           ~~Every person, firm or corporation is responsible for all acts and representations of any person~~  
14 ~~using the name and acting as agent for such person, firm or corporation.~~

15 ~~SEC. 929. PERSONAL BAGGAGE DEFINED.~~

16           ~~Personal baggage within the meaning of Sections 924 to 929, inclusive, of this Article, shall~~  
17 ~~include all trunks, suitcases and valises, telescope baskets, hampers, rolls of blankets or clothing,~~  
18 ~~provided that any bundle or package weighing 35 pounds or more, or three or more feet long, shall be~~  
19 ~~classed as trunks, and all other bundles or packages as valises.~~

20 ~~SEC. 973. PROHIBITING SOLICITATION OF PURCHASES OF FOOD AND DRINK; DECLARING~~  
21 ~~PENALTIES.~~

22           ~~(a) It shall be unlawful in any place of business where food or drink is sold to be consumed~~  
23 ~~upon the premises, for any person who loafs or loiters about such place, or who is employed therein, to~~  
24 ~~solicit or beg any patron, customer or visitor in such establishment to purchase any food or drink for~~

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1 ~~the one so soliciting or begging or for any other person frequenting or loafing or loitering about such~~  
2 ~~establishment; and no person shall enter upon such place of business, or remain therein, for the~~  
3 ~~purpose of so soliciting or begging any patron, customer or visitor to purchase any food or drink for~~  
4 ~~the one so entering or remaining or for any other person.~~

5 ~~(b) It shall be unlawful for any person who owns, manages or otherwise exercises control over~~  
6 ~~any such place of business as described in Subdivision (a) of this Section to permit or allow any person~~  
7 ~~to solicit or beg any patron, customer or visitor therein to purchase any food or drink for the one so~~  
8 ~~soliciting or begging or for any other person frequenting or loafing or loitering about such~~  
9 ~~establishment. In addition to the penalties prescribed in Subdivision (d) of this Section, any person~~  
10 ~~owning, managing or otherwise controlling such place of business who permits or allows any violation~~  
11 ~~of this Section shall be deemed guilty of maintaining a nuisance.~~

12 ~~(c) For the purposes of this Section, the word "drink" is hereby defined to mean any~~  
13 ~~nonalcoholic beverage, or any alcoholic beverage which contains less than one half of one percent of~~  
14 ~~alcohol by volume and which is fit for beverage purposes either alone or when diluted, mixed, or~~  
15 ~~combined with other substances.~~

16 ~~(d) The violation of any provision of this Section shall constitute a misdemeanor, punishable by~~  
17 ~~fine not exceeding \$500, or by imprisonment in the County Jail for a period not exceeding 90 days, or~~  
18 ~~by both such fine and imprisonment.~~

19 ~~SEC. 1500. AIR TRAVEL TICKET BUSINESS, BOND.~~

20 ~~It shall be unlawful for any person to conduct, operate or engage in the business of selling to~~  
21 ~~the public, or taking orders for, air travel passenger tickets or reservations for air passenger space to~~  
22 ~~be honored for travel on airplanes neither owned nor operated by such person, unless he shall have on~~  
23 ~~file with the Chief of Police of the City and County of San Francisco an approved surety bond executed~~  
24 ~~by him as principal and a corporation duly authorized and licensed to do a general surety business in~~

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1 ~~the State of California as surety. Said bond shall be in the amount of \$10,000, and shall inure to the~~  
2 ~~benefit of all persons who shall suffer loss covered by said bond. The bond shall be conditioned that~~  
3 ~~the said principal shall indemnify any person for loss suffered by dishonesty, misrepresentation, fraud~~  
4 ~~or breach of contract on the part of the principal acting in the scope or course of said business, or by~~  
5 ~~any official, agent or employee of said principal acting in the course and scope of his employment or~~  
6 ~~agency.~~

7 ~~Such bond shall not be required from duly authorized salaried employees of an approved~~  
8 ~~bonded employer.~~

9 ~~SEC. 1501. PENALTY.~~

10 ~~Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a~~  
11 ~~misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$500 or by imprisonment in the County~~  
12 ~~Jail for a period of not longer than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.~~

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14 Section 2. The San Francisco Police Code is hereby amended by amending section  
15 585, to read as follows:

16 **SEC. 585. HITCHING ANIMALS TO OR INJURING LAMPPOSTS, HYDRANTS, ETC.,**  
17 **PROHIBITED.**

18 It shall be unlawful for any person to hitch or fasten any animal to, or to place any  
19 placard or notice upon, or in anywise to injure any lamp post or hydrant, or any growing tree,  
20 upon any public street, or, without authority, to extinguish any public light. This Section shall not  
21 prohibit any person from fastening any dog on a leash to any lamp post, hydrant or growing tree.

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23 Section 3. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective 30 days from the  
24 date of passage.

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1 Section 4. This section is uncodified. In enacting this Ordinance, the Board intends to  
2 amend only those words, phrases, paragraphs, subsections, sections, articles, numbers,  
3 punctuation, charts, diagrams, or any other constituent part of the Police Code that are  
4 explicitly shown in this legislation as additions, deletions, Board amendment additions, and  
5 Board amendment deletions in accordance with the "Note" that appears under the official title  
6 of the legislation.

7 APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
8 DENNIS J. HERRERA, City Attorney

9 By:  For  
10 KATHARINE HOBIN PORTER  
11 Deputy City Attorney

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Date Passed: September 11, 2012

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July 30, 2012 Government Audit and Oversight Committee - RECOMMENDED

September 04, 2012 Board of Supervisors - PASSED, ON FIRST READING

Ayes: 11 - Avalos, Campos, Chiu, Chu, Cohen, Elsbernd, Farrell, Kim, Mar, Olague and Wiener

September 11, 2012 Board of Supervisors - FINALLY PASSED

Ayes: 11 - Avalos, Campos, Chiu, Chu, Cohen, Elsbernd, Farrell, Kim, Mar, Olague and Wiener

File No. 120672

I hereby certify that the foregoing  
Ordinance was FINALLY PASSED on  
9/11/2012 by the Board of Supervisors of the  
City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo  
Clerk of the Board

  
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Mayor  
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Date Approved