

Real Time Investigation Center



CITY & COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

Police Department

Overview of the Real Time Investigation Center (RTIC)

In March 2024, San Francisco voters approved Proposition E, authorizing the San Francisco Police Department (SFPD) to use new technologies to prevent crime and improve public safety. In response, the department launched the Real Time Investigation Center (RTIC)—a modern hub that brings together cutting-edge tools to support officers in the field.

When paired with the Drone as First Responder (DFR) program, this initiative marks a major step forward in how we protect and serve our neighborhoods. Together, RTIC and DFR help officers respond faster, stay safer, and make smarter decisions in critical moments.

This program reflects our ongoing commitment to public safety, transparency, and the responsible use of technology to serve the people of San Francisco.



*“The Real-Time Investigation Center shows how strategic investments in technology can improve public safety. By providing our officers with real-time data and analytics, we’re enhancing their ability to respond swiftly and effectively, freeing up staff resources and ensuring safer neighborhoods for all San Franciscans,” said **Board of Supervisors President Rafael Mandelman**.*

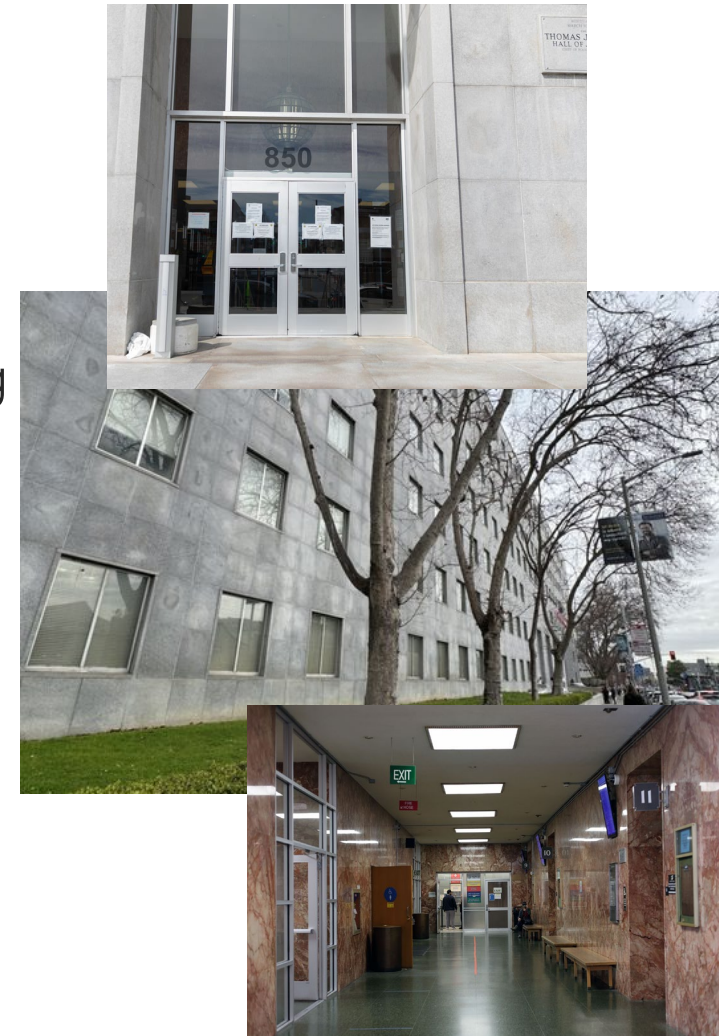
Real Time Investigation Center: Potential Sites

Criteria for RTIC Sites:

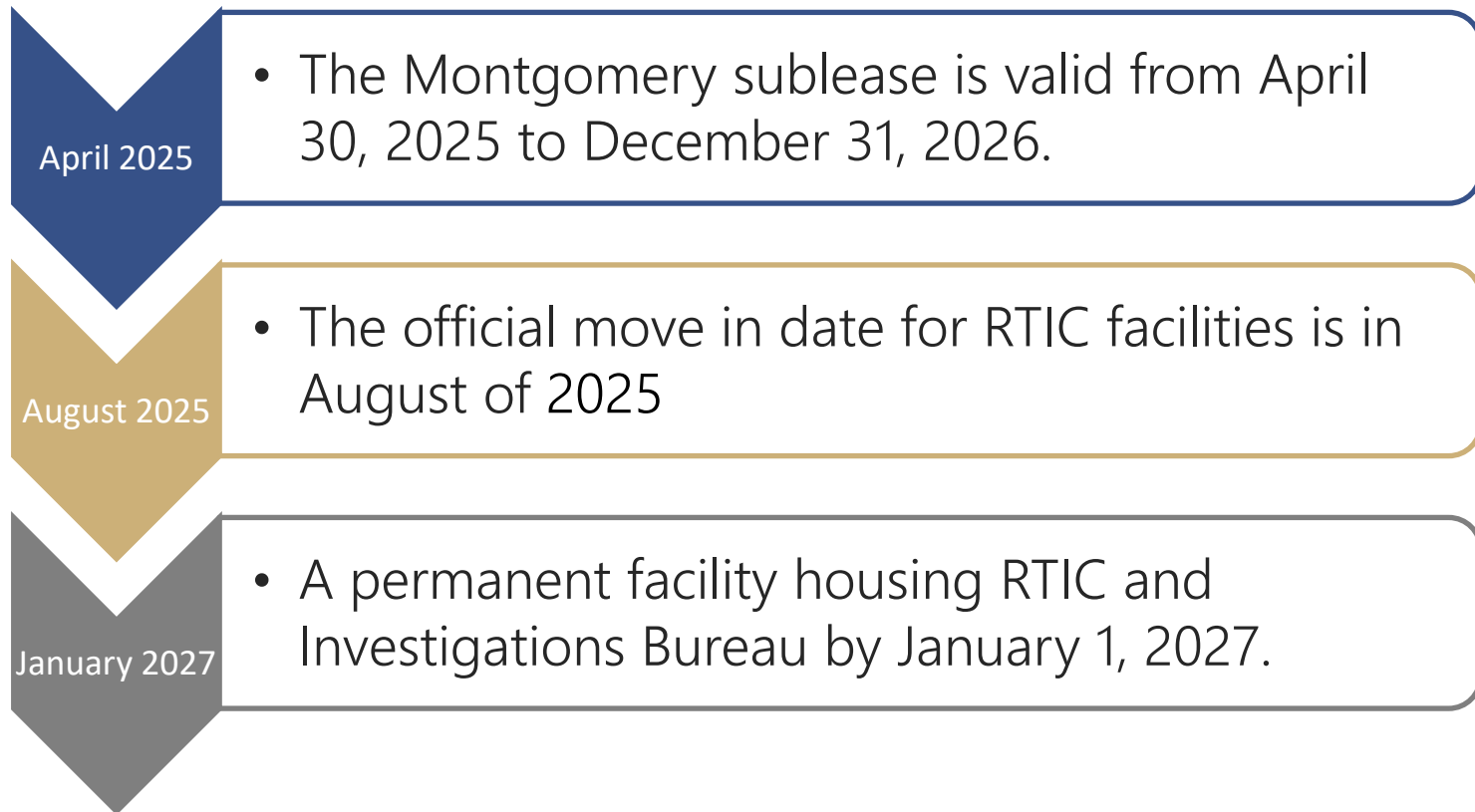
- Financial feasibility and cost of rental agreements
- Technology capabilities and capacity
- Electrical & building set-up
- Minimal infrastructure support
- Adequate space allocation for staffing and equipment

Sites Assessed:

- 850 Bryant Street
- 101 Utah Street
- 1455 Market Street
- 731 Market Street
- 150 Hayes Street
- 840 Battery Street



RTIC Implementation Timeline



Montgomery is a bridge facility that allows RTIC to expand and function at a high level during the search for a permanent location by 2027. SFPD will work with City Administrator's Real Estate Division to identify, build out, and move into an adequate site.

Occupancy of the Real Time Investigation Center



Montgomery facility occupied by
40 members of:

- RTIC
- Strategic Investigations Unit
- Phoenix Drone Unit

Long term facility (not yet identified):

- Goal is to relocate the entire Investigations Bureau
- Target operational date of January 1, 2027
- Real Estate/SFPD search begins now



Thank you.

Any questions?