

REVISED LEGISLATIVE DIGEST
(Amended in Committee, 12/10/2025)

[Planning, Administrative Codes - Surcharges for Appeals to the Board of Supervisors]

Ordinance amending the Planning Code and the Administrative Code by superseding certain provisions of Ordinance No. 149-16 to increase the surcharges on certain Planning Department fees to compensate the City for appeals of Planning Department actions to the Board of Supervisors; affirming the Planning Department's determination under the California Environmental Quality Act; and making findings of consistency with the General Plan, and the eight priority policies of Planning Code, Section 101.1; and making public necessity, convenience, and welfare findings under Planning Code, Section 302.

Existing Law

The City assesses surcharges on fees for some types of Planning Department decisions in order to compensate the Planning Department for appeals of such decisions to the Board of Supervisors. The surcharges are currently \$120.

Amendments to Current Law

The proposed ordinance would increase to \$240 the surcharges the City assesses on certain Planning Department actions for appeals to the Board of Supervisors.