

1 [Preparation of Proponent/Opponent Ballot Arguments and Rebuttal Ballot Arguments -  
2 November 8, 2022, Consolidated General Election]

3 **Motion authorizing preparation of written Proponent and Opponent ballot arguments**  
4 **and rebuttal ballot arguments for submittal to the voters for the November 8, 2022,**  
5 **Consolidated General Election.**

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7 WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors wishes to authorize the listed Board Member(s)  
8 or sponsor, supporting the following ballot measure(s), to prepare and submit a written  
9 proponent ballot argument(s) and proponent rebuttal argument(s) for submittal to the Director  
10 of Elections:

- 11       ▪ Charter Amendment (Third Draft) to amend the Charter of the City and County of  
12       San Francisco to create the Homelessness Oversight Commission (“Commission”)  
13       to oversee the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing; to provide  
14       that the Commission lacks jurisdiction to approve or disapprove criteria used to  
15       ascertain eligibility or priority for programs and services, where such criteria are  
16       required as a condition of funding; to require the Board of Supervisors to adopt an  
17       ordinance amending the Municipal Code to provide that the Commission shall  
18       appoint the members of the Local Homeless Coordinating Board, to require the  
19       Local Homeless Coordinating Board and the Shelter Monitoring Committee to  
20       advise the Commission, and to require the Our City, Our Home Oversight  
21       Committee to advise the Commission and the Health Commission, in addition to  
22       advising the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors, on administration of the Our City,  
23       Our Home Fund and on monies appropriated from the Fund; and to specify that  
24       services relating to homelessness are subject to audit by the Controller; at an  
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- 1 election to be held on November 8, 2022. (Board File No. 220535) (Supervisor  
2 Safai)
- 3 ■ Charter Amendment (Second Draft) to amend the Charter of the City and County of  
4 San Francisco to extend the Library Preservation Fund for an additional 25 years,  
5 through June 2048, to set aside funds to provide library services and materials and  
6 operate library facilities at the main library and branch libraries; at an election to be  
7 held on November 8, 2022. (Board File No. 220626) (Mayor Breed)
  - 8 ■ Charter Amendment (Fourth Draft) to amend the Charter of the City and County of  
9 San Francisco to provide for accelerated review and approval of eligible 100%  
10 affordable housing projects, educator housing projects, and market-rate projects  
11 that provide significant increased affordability, and providing for Planning  
12 Department ministerial review in lieu of approvals by or certain appeals to City  
13 boards and commissions; to make corresponding amendments to the Planning  
14 Code and the Business and Tax Regulations Code; to amend the Administrative  
15 Code to provide for an Annual Affordable Housing Allocation Report as part of the  
16 City's budget deliberation process; and to declare as City policy the need to  
17 accelerate approval of 100% affordable housing projects, educator housing  
18 projects, and market-rate projects that provide significant increased affordability; to  
19 make findings of compliance with the General Plan and Planning Code, Section  
20 101.1 and findings of public necessity, convenience, and welfare under Planning  
21 Code, Section 302; and affirming the Planning Department's determination under  
22 the California Environmental Quality Act; at an election to be held on November 8,  
23 2022. (Board File No. 220631) (Supervisor Chan)
  - 24 ■ Charter Amendment (Second Draft) to amend the Charter of the City and County of  
25 San Francisco to eliminate the Department of Sanitation and Streets and transfer its

1 responsibilities to the Department of Public Works; to remove special qualifications  
2 for members of the Sanitation and Streets Commission and Public Works  
3 Commission and for the Director of Public Works; to limit the duties of the Sanitation  
4 and Streets Commission to holding hearings, reviewing data, and setting policies for  
5 the Department of Public Works regarding sanitation standards and protocols and  
6 maintenance of the public right of way; and to provide that the Public Works  
7 Commission shall oversee all other aspects of the Department of Public Works; at  
8 an election to be held on November 8, 2022. (Board File No. 220635) (Supervisor  
9 Peskin)

- 10 ■ Charter Amendment (Second Draft) to amend the Charter of the City and County of  
11 San Francisco to change the election cycle for the offices of Mayor, Sheriff, District  
12 Attorney, City Attorney and Treasurer so that these offices will be elected in even-  
13 numbered years; to provide that the current term for the aforementioned offices will  
14 end on January 8, 2025 rather than January 8, 2024; to amend the definition of  
15 general municipal election so that such elections occur only in even-numbered  
16 years; and to change the signature threshold for initiative ordinances to two percent  
17 of the number of registered voters in San Francisco; at an election to be held on  
18 November 8, 2022. (Board File No. 220638) (Supervisor Preston)

- 19 ■ Charter Amendment (Third Draft) to amend the Charter of the City and County of  
20 San Francisco to establish the Student Success Fund under which the Department  
21 of Children, Youth, and Their Families will provide grants to the San Francisco  
22 Unified School District and schools in the District to implement programs that  
23 improve academic achievement and social/emotional wellness of students; and to  
24 require an annual appropriation in a designated amount to the Fund for 15 years  
25 based on a calculation of the City's excess Educational Revenue Augmentation

1 Fund allocation in specified fiscal years; at an election to be held on November 8,  
2 2022. (Board File No. 220639) (Supervisor Ronen)

- 3 ■ Charter Amendment (First Draft) to amend the Charter of the City and County of  
4 San Francisco to eliminate the full funding requirement for supplemental cost of  
5 living benefit payments to members of the San Francisco Employees' Retirement  
6 System who retired before November 6, 1996, subject to a monthly monetary cap  
7 for retirees and their qualified survivors and beneficiaries in years that the  
8 Retirement System is not fully funded; adjust the base retirement allowance for  
9 these retirees, or their qualified survivors and beneficiaries, to account for  
10 supplemental cost of living adjustments not received in the years 2013, 2014, 2017,  
11 2018 and 2019; and authorize the Retirement Board to enter into an individual  
12 contract with any Retirement System executive director hired on or after January 1,  
13 2023; at an election to be held on November 8, 2022. (Board File No. 220640)  
14 (Supervisor Safai)

- 15 ■ (Initiative Ordinance, Board Proposed) Ordinance approving a new 2022  
16 Transportation Expenditure Plan for the County Transportation Authority and  
17 submitting to the voters at an election to be held on November 8, 2022, an  
18 Ordinance amending the Business and Tax Regulations Code to continue in effect  
19 the existing local transactions and use tax at the existing rate of 0.5% for 30 years  
20 to fund transportation improvements under the 2022 Transportation Expenditure  
21 Plan; increasing the Transportation Authority's appropriations limit by the amount  
22 collected under the transactions and use tax for four years from November 8, 2022;  
23 authorizing the Transportation Authority to issue limited tax bonds secured by  
24 transactions and use tax revenues; affirming the Transportation Authority's  
25 determination under the California Environmental Quality Act; and making findings

1 of consistency with the General Plan, and the eight priority policies of Planning  
2 Code, Section 101.1. (Board File No. 220536) (Supervisor Mandelman)

- 3 ■ (Initiative Ordinance, Mayor Proposed) Initiative Ordinance submitted by the Mayor  
4 to the voters for the November 8, 2022, Election, entitled "Ordinance amending the  
5 Campaign and Governmental Conduct Code to modify the rules concerning  
6 behested payment solicitations, by 1) exempting payments less than \$1,000; 2)  
7 providing that a person does not become an interested party due to the City issuing  
8 them a license, permit, or other entitlement for use, if the issuance was ministerial  
9 and in certain other situations; 3) providing that a person does not become an  
10 interested party by attempting to influence a legislative or administrative action; 4)  
11 authorizing the solicitation of payments directly to City departments, and from  
12 nonprofits with agreements approved by the City Attorney and Controller; 5)  
13 authorizing departments to solicit payments pursuant to their approved Racial  
14 Equity Action Plans; 6) establishing that certain solicitations from tenants,  
15 contractors, and parties to development agreements are not prohibited; and 7)  
16 making other clarifying changes." (Board File No. 220748) (Mayor Breed)
- 17 ■ (Initiative Ordinance, Mayor Proposed) Initiative Ordinance submitted by the Mayor  
18 to the voters for the November 8, 2022, Election, entitled "Ordinance amending the  
19 Golden Gate Park Revitalization Act of 1998 ("Proposition J") to state that the City  
20 may use public funds to acquire, operate, or subsidize public parking in the Golden  
21 Gate Park Concourse Underground Parking Facility ("Parking Facility"); directing  
22 the Golden Gate Park Concourse Authority ("Concourse Authority") to commence  
23 dissolution proceedings; and, upon said dissolution, transferring jurisdiction of the  
24 Parking Facility and certain other property from the Concourse Authority to the  
25 Recreation and Park Department, repealing Proposition J in its entirety, and

1 deleting references to the Concourse Authority from the Municipal Code." (Board  
2 File No. 220749) (Mayor Breed)

- 3 ■ (Initiative Ordinance, 4+ Supervisors) Initiative Ordinance submitted by four or more  
4 Supervisors to the voters for the November 8, 2022, Election, entitled "Ordinance  
5 amending the Park Code to repeal and reauthorize the Golden Gate Park Access  
6 and Safety Program, which includes establishing new recreation and open space by  
7 limiting private vehicles on certain street segments in Golden Gate Park including  
8 on JFK Drive, making certain street segments one-way, establishing bicycle lanes,  
9 and urging additional changes to improve public access to Golden Gate Park; and  
10 making associated findings under the California Vehicle Code." (Board File No.  
11 220750) (Supervisor Mandelman)

12 WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors wishes to authorize the listed Board Member(s)  
13 opposed to the following ballot measure(s) to prepare and submit a written opponent ballot  
14 argument(s) and opponent rebuttal ballot argument(s) for submittal to the Director of  
15 Elections:

- 16 ■ (Initiative Ordinance, Mayor Proposed) Initiative Ordinance submitted by the Mayor  
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23 interested party by attempting to influence a legislative or administrative action; 4)  
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25 nonprofits with agreements approved by the City Attorney and Controller; 5)

1 authorizing departments to solicit payments pursuant to their approved Racial  
2 Equity Action Plans; 6) establishing that certain solicitations from tenants,  
3 contractors, and parties to development agreements are not prohibited; and 7)  
4 making other clarifying changes." (Board File No. 220748) (Supervisor Peskin)

- 5 ■ (Charter Amendment, Initiative Petition) City Approval of Affordable Housing  
6 "Affordable Homes Now Initiative" (Supervisor Chan)

7 WHEREAS, The Board Member(s) or sponsor authorized by this Motion to submit the  
8 ballot argument(s) will submit the proponent/opponent argument(s) to the Director of Elections  
9 no later than the deadline of noon, August 18, 2022, and the respective rebuttal  
10 proponent/opponent ballot argument(s) no later than noon, August 22, 2022; now, therefore,  
11 be it

12 MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Board Member(s) or  
13 sponsor listed above, under Municipal Elections Code, Sections 530 and 550, to prepare and  
14 submit written proponent/opponent ballot argument(s) and respective rebuttal  
15 proponent/opponent ballot argument(s) on the listed measures as referenced; and, be it

16 FURTHER MOVED, That the Board Member(s) or sponsor who are authorized by this  
17 Motion to prepare and submit proponent/opponent ballot argument(s), may authorize or  
18 assign to any other person(s) under Municipal Elections Code, Section 550(c) and (d), to  
19 prepare and submit the proponent/opponent's ballot argument(s) and/or respective rebuttal  
20 argument(s).