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City and County of San Francisco

Legislative Chamber - Room 404
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AGENDA

Monday, November 9, 1998

2:00 PM

Regular Meeting

BARBARA KAUFMAN, PRESIDENT
TOM AMMIANO, SUE BIERMAN, AMOS BROWN, LESLIE KATZ,
MARK LENO, JOSE MEDINA, GAVIN NEWSOM, MABEL TENG,
MICHAEL YAKI, LELAND Y. YEE

Gloria L. Young, Clerk of the Board

ROLL CALL AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES

COMMUNICATIONS

CONSENT AGENDA

All matters listed hereunder constitute a Consent Agenda, are considered to be routine by the Board of Supervisors and will be acted upon by a single roll call vote of the Board. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a member of the Board so requests, in which event the matter shall be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered as a separate item.

Items 1 through 2

Recommendations of the Rules Committee

Present: Supervisors Ammiano, Yee, Brown

1. 981486 [Conflict of Interest Code]

Ordinance amending Chapter 58 of the San Francisco Administrative Code by amending various sections; to add, delete, and change titles of designated officials and employees to reflect organizational and staffing changes not previously reflected in the Code, including changes made by the City since the last biennial review of the Conflict of Interest Code; to refine the disclosure requirements applicable to some designated officials and employees; to clearly identify the filing officer for department heads, and to make nonsubstantive technical changes. (City Attorney)

(Amends Sections 58.4, 58.115, 58.125, 58.130, 58.135, 58.145, 58.150, 58.165, 58.180, 58.195, 58.202, 58.207, 58.210, 58.215, 58.220, 58.235, 58.240, 58.255, 58.260, 58.265, 58.270, 58.272, 58.280, 58.285, 58.290, 58.300, 58.310, 58.315, 58.320, 58.323, 58.325, 58.330, 58.340, 58.345, 58.350, 58.370, 58.375, 58.382, 58.383, 58.385, 58.390, and 58.600.)

11/2/1998, PASSED ON FIRST READING.

Question: Shall this Ordinance be FINALLY PASSED?

2. 981650 [Theodore Philibosian v. CCSF]

Ordinance authorizing settlement of litigation of Theodore Philibosian against the City and County of San Francisco by payment of \$30,000. (City Attorney)

(S.F. Superior Court No. 985-604.)

11/2/1998, PASSED, ON FIRST READING.

Question: Shall this Ordinance be FINALLY PASSED?

Questions on the Consent Calendar are on final passage, first reading, or adoption, as indicated: _____

REGULAR AGENDA

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Recommendation of Economic Development, Transportation and Technology Committee

Present: Supervisors Yaki, Leno

3. 980564 [Bicycle Transit Enhancement Plan] Supervisors Katz, Bierman, Medina, Ammiano, Yaki, Leno, Newsom, Brown

Ordinance amending Traffic Code by adding Article 5B, Section 110 to protect the integrity of existing bicycle facilities and Section 38N to prohibit parking in bicycle lanes, by amending Section 3.14 to conform to the State Vehicle Code definition of bicycle and Section 4 to conform to State Vehicle Code provisions regarding the rights and duties of bicycle riders; amending Administrative Code by adding Section 2.76 to authorize monitored bicycle parking at large public events; amending Planning Code Section 155 to clarify that any bicycle parking requirements under that section will not conflict with Sections 155.1 and 155.2, amending Planning Code Section 155.1 to clarify definition and obligations of responsible City official and landlord and deleting obsolete implementation schedule provisions, by adding Section 155.2 to require bicycle parking in city-owned parking facilities and privately-owned parking garages and adding Section 155.3 to require shower and locker facilities in new buildings and buildings undergoing major renovations, and by making findings of consistency with the priority policies of Planning Code Section 101.1; and repealing Traffic Code Sections 97 and 99.

(Adds Traffic Code Article 5B, Sections 110, 38N; amends Sections 3.14, 4; repeals Sections 97 and 99; adds Administrative Code Section 2.76; amends Planning Code Sections 155, 155.1; adds Sections 155.2 and 155.3.) (General Rule exclusion from environmental review.)

10/26/1998, PASSED ON FIRST READING.

11/2/1998, AMENDED. Supervisor Katz moved to amend page three, Section 38N, lines 11 through 14, by deleting "All fines collected for violations of this Section shall be deposited with the Department of Parking and Traffic for expenditure by and for the Department's Bicycle Program."

11/2/1998, PASSED ON FIRST READING AS AMENDED. Supervisors Newsom, Brown requested to be added as co-sponsors.

Question: Shall this Ordinance be FINALLY PASSED?

Recommendation of Rules Committee

Present: Supervisors Ammiano, Yee, Brown

4. 981379 [Purchaser's Solicitation Request] Supervisor Katz

Ordinance amending Administrative Code by adding Section 21.55 to allow the purchaser to use requests for proposals to solicit contracts for combined commodities and services, and for general services.

(Adds Section 21.55.)

11/2/1998, PASSED ON FIRST READING.

Question: Shall this Ordinance be FINALLY PASSED?

NEW BUSINESS

Recommendations of the Economic Development, Transportation, and Technology Committee

Present: Supervisors Yaki, Katz, Leno

5. 981776 [Contract for Electric Service, Treasure Island]

Ordinance approving the contract between the City and County of San Francisco and the United States, through the Department of Energy Western Area Power Administration, for the delivery of low cost electric power for use at Treasure Island on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 981776; and approving indemnifying and holding harmless United States against claims arising from the activities of the City under the contract; and waiving requirement of Section 6.57 of the San Francisco Administrative Code that every contract contain a statement regarding liability of claimants for submitting false claims; and waiving requirement of Section 21.10-1 of the San Francisco Administrative Code that every contract contain a statement regarding guaranteed maximum costs. (Public Utilities Commission)

Question: Shall this Ordinance be FINALLY PASSED?

6. 981475 [Contract Modification - Municipal Railway]

Resolution authorizing the Municipal Railway, through the Purchaser, to enter into Contract Modification No. 7 with Breda Costruzioni Ferroviarie, S.p.A. for design changes not to exceed \$2,953,707. (Public Transportation Commission)

Question: Shall this Resolution be ADOPTED?

7. 981720 [Street Artist Selling Spaces]

Supervisors Teng, Bierman, Katz, Yaki

Resolution designating temporary selling spaces in the downtown area and at Harvey Milk Plaza for street artists certified by the Art Commission, for the winter holiday season, 1998, beginning on November 15, 1998 and ending on January 15, 1999.

Question: Shall this Resolution be ADOPTED?

8. 981751 [Treasure Island Development Authority]

Mayor

Resolution approving and authorizing, retroactively, the Treasure Island Development Authority to enter into a Cooperative Agreement with the Navy whereby the Treasure Island Development Authority will assume certain responsibilities regarding the operation and maintenance of Treasure Island, and the Navy will reimburse the Authority for the costs therefor.

Question: Shall this Resolution be ADOPTED?

9. 981765 [Intent to Vacate and Sell - Portion of 23rd Street]

Resolution declaring intention of the Board of Supervisors to vacate and sell a portion of 23rd Street located on the west side of Pennsylvania Avenue, setting the hearing date (of December 7, 1998, at 3:00 p.m.) for all persons interested in the proposed vacation and sale, making findings of general plan conformance and consistency with Planning Code Section 101.1, and authorizing other official actions in connection therewith. (Real Estate Department)

(Companion measure to File 981766.)

Question: Shall this Resolution be ADOPTED?

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Reports from committees, if any, recommending emergency or urgent measures.

Recommendation of Finance Committee

The following item will be considered by the committee at a Special meeting on Monday, November 9, 1998 at 11 AM. The Chair intends to request the committee to send the following item to the Board as a committee report.

10. 981503 [Campaign Consultant Fees]

Ordinance amending Administrative Code by amending Section 16.543(c) to add a fee schedule for campaign consultants and to require the Ethics Commission to evaluate the fee schedule in 1999 and propose any amendments to the fee schedule to the Board of Supervisors for approval by December 1, 1999. (Ethics Commission)

(Amends Section 16.543(c).)

Question: Shall this Ordinance be FINALLY PASSED?

11. ROLL CALL FOR INTRODUCTIONS

Roll call for introduction of ordinances, resolutions, charter amendments, requests for hearings, letters of inquiry, and letters of request to the City Attorney.

12. PUBLIC COMMENT

An opportunity for members of the public to directly address the Board on items of interest to the public that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board, including items being considered today which have not been considered by a Board committee and excluding items which have been considered by a Board committee. Members of the public may address the Board for up to three minutes. Each member of the public will be allotted the same number of minutes to speak. The President or the Board may limit the total testimony to 30 minutes.

FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE

These measures are introduced for adoption without committee reference. A unanimous vote is required for adoption of a resolution today. Any Supervisor may require any resolution to go to committee.

Items 13 through 24

13. 981853 [Golden Gate Transit Bicycle Racks-on-Buses Program] Supervisors Newsom, Katz, Leno, Medina
Resolution urging the Golden Gate Bridge, Highway and Transportation District to immediately fund its
Bicycle Racks-on-Buses Program.
- 11/2/1998, REFERRED FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA AT THE
NEXT BOARD MEETING.
- Question: Shall this Resolution be ADOPTED?
14. 981854 [Anti-Semitic Graffiti] Supervisors Teng, Katz, Leno, Brown, Yaki, Bierman, Ammiano, Yee, Newsom
Resolution condemning the anti-semitic graffiti directed against Marin County Assembly candidate Russ
Weiner and commending and supporting the efforts of the Anti-Defamation League in search of
information leading to the arrest and conviction of the perpetrators.
- 11/2/1998, REFERRED FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA AT THE
NEXT BOARD MEETING.
- Question: Shall this Resolution be ADOPTED?
15. 981855 [Zimbabwe Homophobia] Supervisors Ammiano, Brown, Yaki, Katz, Leno, Medina, Bierman
Resolution condemning the homophobic and repressive government of President Robert Mugabe in
Zimbabwe and expressing San Francisco's support for the Gays and Lesbians of Zimbabwe (GALZ) and
their drop-in center.
- 11/2/1998, REFERRED FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA AT THE
NEXT BOARD MEETING.
- Question: Shall this Resolution be ADOPTED?
16. 981856 [Headwaters Redwood Forest Pepper Spray Incident] Supervisors Leno, Katz, Medina, Newsom, Bierman
Resolution deploring the United States District Court ruling that the dabbing of pepper spray directly into
the eyes of nonviolent protesters constitutes reasonable force.
- 11/2/1998, REFERRED FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA AT THE
NEXT BOARD MEETING.
- Question: Shall this Resolution be ADOPTED?
17. 981857 [Commendation] Supervisors Yee, Yaki, Medina
Resolution commending Tomasita Medal for her commitment to keeping the indigenous sacred
ceremonial and burial objects which are housed at the de Young Museum in their current Golden Gate
Park location.
- 11/2/1998, REFERRED FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA AT THE
NEXT BOARD MEETING.
- Question: Shall this Resolution be ADOPTED?
18. 981858 [Commendation] Supervisor Yee
Resolution commending the Knights of Columbus Golden Gate Council No. 2507, for celebrating its 75th
Anniversary.
- 11/2/1998, REFERRED FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA AT THE

NEXT BOARD MEETING.

Question: Shall this Resolution be ADOPTED?

19. 981859 [Commendation] Supervisor Yee
Resolution commending William Theodore Brantz on being awarded the honor of Eagle Scout.

11/2/1998, REFERRED FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA AT THE NEXT BOARD MEETING.

Question: Shall this Resolution be ADOPTED?

20. 981860 [Proclamation] Supervisors Ammiano, Yaki, Katz, Medina, Bierman
Resolution declaring October 30, 1998, Fran and Gil Bagot Day.

11/2/1998, REFERRED FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA AT THE NEXT BOARD MEETING.

Question: Shall this Resolution be ADOPTED?

21. 981861 [Commendation] Supervisors Brown, Katz, Teng, Medina, Bierman
Resolution commending the Interfaith Council and the United Educators.

11/2/1998, REFERRED FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA AT THE NEXT BOARD MEETING.

Question: Shall this Resolution be ADOPTED?

22. 981862 [Proclamation] Supervisor Katz
Resolution proclaiming December 3, 1998 Cyberfest '98 Day.

11/2/1998, REFERRED FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA AT THE NEXT BOARD MEETING.

Question: Shall this Resolution be ADOPTED?

23. 981863 [Commendation] Supervisors Leno, Brown, Katz, Ammiano, Yaki, Teng, Medina, Newsom, Bierman
Resolution commending the Clinton Administration for launching a \$156 million program to fight AIDS among African Americans and Hispanics.

11/2/1998, REFERRED FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA AT THE NEXT BOARD MEETING.

Question: Shall this Resolution be ADOPTED?

24. 981867 [Needle Exchange Program] Supervisors Bierman, Teng, Ammiano, Yaki, Kaufman, Katz, Brown, Newsom, Medina, Yee, Leno

Motion concurring in the determination of the Mayor for the continued need for the declaration of emergency in connection with the needle exchange program.

11/2/1998, REFERRED FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA AT THE NEXT BOARD MEETING.

Question: Shall this Motion be ADOPTED?

Questions on the For Adoption Without Committee Reference Calendar:_____

25. IMPERATIVE AGENDA

Resolution(s), if any, to be adopted within limits imposed by the Sunshine Ordinance and the Ralph M. Brown Act, introduced today, not on the printed agenda. For such resolutions to be considered, the Board must first adopt the Serious Injury Finding or the Purely Commendatory Finding and the Brown Act Finding. Each motion requires 8 votes or a unanimous 6 or 7. A unanimous vote is required for the resolution(s).

[Serious Injury Finding]

Motion that the Board find that for the resolution(s) being considered at this time "the need to take action is so imperative as to threaten serious injury to the public interest if action is deferred to a later meeting."

[Purely Commendatory Finding]

Motion that the Board find that the resolution(s) being considered at this time are purely commendatory.

[Brown Act Finding]

Motion that the Board find by roll call vote that for the resolutions being considered at this time there is a need to take immediate action and the need to take action came to the attention of the City and County of San Francisco after the agenda was posted.

[Imperative Resolutions, if any]

OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION

PROPOSED ORDINANCES

Proposed ordinances received October 28 through November 4 , for reference by President to appropriate committee on November 9, 1998.

981873 [Appropriation, Port Commission]

Ordinance appropriating \$6,434,954, Port Commission, from San Francisco Harbor Operating Fund Balance to fund the cost of various capital improvement projects (lease property improvements, cargo berth dredging, preventive maintenance, Ferry building and terminal projects, China Basin shoreline stabilization) for fiscal year 1998-1999. (Controller)

(Fiscal impact.)

11/4/1998, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Finance Committee.

981874 [Appropriation, Juvenile Probation]

Ordinance appropriating \$572,586, Juvenile Probation Department, of Federal Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) for salaries, training, professional services, materials and supplies, facilities maintenance and repairs, equipment and services of other departments, for fiscal year 1998-1999.

(Controller)

(Fiscal impact.)

11/4/1998, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Finance Committee.

981875 [Appropriation, Juvenile Probation]

Ordinance appropriating \$389,513, and rescinding \$119,762, from Overhead-Budget and \$137,045 from Professional Services to provide funds for salaries, fringe benefits, equipment, services of other departments and the creation of one (1) position for the Department of Juvenile Probation for fiscal year 1998-1999.

(Controller)

(Fiscal impact; companion measure to File 981882.)

11/4/1998, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Finance Committee.

981876 [Amendment to Municipal Executives Association MOU]

Ordinance implementing the provisions of an amendment to the Memorandum of Understanding between the Municipal Executive Association and the City and County of San Francisco pursuant to Article III.E.3, Subsections (B.1) and (E) of the Memorandum of Understanding, to provide internal adjustments for the time period beginning July 1, 1998 through June 30, 2001. (Human Services Department)

11/4/1998, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Finance Committee.

981882 [Annual Salary Ordinance Amendment, Juvenile Probation]

Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 243-98 (Annual Salary Ordinance, 1998-1999), Juvenile Probation Department, reflecting the creation of one position (Class 1372 Special Assistant XIII). (Human Resources Department)

(Companion measure to File 981875.)

11/4/1998, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Finance Committee.

PROPOSED RESOLUTIONS

Proposed resolutions received October 28 through November 4, for reference by President to appropriate committee on November 9, 1998.

981841 [Quitclaim Deed, Assessor's Block 3593, Lot 40]

Resolution authorizing and directing the execution of a Quitclaim Deed from the City and County of San Francisco to the San Francisco Unified School District, a political subdivision of the State of California, for a portion of Assessor's Block 3593, Lot 40, formerly Treat Avenue north of 20th Street and adopting findings pursuant to Planning Code Section 101.1. (Real Estate Department)

10/28/1998, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Finance Committee.

981843 [Prop J Contract, Victim Witness Services]

Resolution concurring with the Controller's certification that assistance to certain victims of crime and education in community anti-street violence can be practically performed for the District Attorney's Victim Witness Assistance Program by a private contract for a lower cost than similar work services performed by City and County employees retroactively effective July 1, 1998. (District Attorney)

10/30/1998, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Finance Committee.

981868 [Airport Lease Agreement for Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)]

Resolution approving lease agreement for operation of Runway End Identification Lights (REIL), RWY 01L between the United States of America and the City and County of San Francisco, acting by and through its Airport Commission; retroactive to October 1, 1998. (Airport Commission)

11/3/1998, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Finance Committee.

981869 [Airport Lease Agreement for Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)]

Resolution approving lease agreement for Precision Approach Path Indicator (PAPI) between the United States of America and the City and County of San Francisco, acting by and through its Airport Commission; retroactive to October 1, 1998. (Airport Commission)

11/3/1998, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Finance Committee.

981877 [Healthcare for Indigents Program]

Resolution authorizing adoption of the County Description of Proposed Expenditure of California Healthcare for Indigents (CHIP) funds for fiscal year 1998-1999 and that the President or duly authorized representative of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco can certify the County Description of Proposed Expenditure of CHIP Funds for fiscal year 1998-1999. (Public Health Department)

11/4/1998, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Finance Committee.

981878 [EPA Water Quality Grant]

Resolution authorizing the General Manager of Public Utilities Commission to apply for, accept and expend a grant of up to \$150,000 from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency for Wet Weather and Point Source Pollution Control Projects. (Public Utilities Commission)

11/4/1998, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Health, Family, and Environment Committee.

981879 [Emergency Repair, 19th Street Sewer]

Resolution approving the expenditure of funds for the emergency work to replace the structurally inadequate sewer on 19th Street from Guerrero to Dolores Streets - \$132,602. (Public Utilities Commission)

11/4/1998, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Finance Committee.

981880 [Emergency Repairs, Moccasin Newark Tower Footings/Corral Hollow Access Roads]

Resolution authorizing expenditure of funds for emergency restoration of supporting soil around Moccasin Newark Transmission Line Tower footings and repair to access roads in Corral Hollow - \$750,000. (Public Utilities Commission)

(Fiscal impact.)

11/4/1998, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Finance Committee.

981881 [Transfer to General Fund - PUC/Hetch Hetchy Surplus Funds]

Resolution concurring with the Public Utilities Commission's fact finding that a fund surplus (\$42,703,273) exists in the utilities which can be transferred to the General Fund. (Public Utilities Commission)

(Fiscal impact.)

11/4/1998, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Finance Committee.

981883 [Petitions and Communications]

Petitions and communications received October 28 and November 4 for reference by the President to the Committee considering related matters or to be ordered filed by the Clerk November 9, 1998.

From various departments, submitting statement regarding adequacy of Budget for 1998-99:
Department of Human Resources
Juvenile Probation Department (1)

From Controller's Audits Division, submitting report concerning the concession audit of Franceschi Corporation. (2)

From Department of Building Inspection, responding to inquiry regarding safe crane operations in San Francisco. (3)

From Mayor's Office of Housing, responding to James C. Fabris of Greater San Francisco Association of Realtors regarding citywide homeownership opportunities. File 98-1718 (4)

From Juvenile Probation Department, responding to Supervisor Ammiano's request that City departments acquire clean air vehicles. Copy: Supervisor Ammiano (5)

From Ethics Commission, submitting press release on Lobbyist Activity for Third Quarter of 1998. Copy: Each Supervisor (6)

From Public Utilities Commission, submitting "Feasibility Evaluation of Alternatives to Raise Lake Merced" Draft, October 19, 1998. Copy: Each Supervisor (7)

From Civil Service Commission, submitting report prepared by the Department of Human Resource regarding the General Prevailing Wage Determinations for the Crafts/Classifications below the Federal Minimum Wage. (8)

From Smart & Final, requesting approval for a public convenience and necessity determination for a beer

and wine license located at 880 Harrison Street. Housing and Neighborhood Services Committee (9)

From The Real Food Company, requesting approval for a public convenience and necessity determination for a transfer of Type 20 license from 1240 Sutter Street to 3060 Fillmore Street. Housing and Neighborhood Services Committee (10)

From Shawna Lee and Jean Paul Billault, requesting approval for a public convenience and necessity determination for replacement for Type 42 on-sale beer and wine license located at 853 Valencia Street. Housing and Neighborhood Services Committee (11)

From International Federation Professional and Technical Engineers, Local 21, opposing the Provisional Job Announcement for Class 1814 Benefits Supervisor. Health, Family and Environment Committee (12)

From American College of Emergency Physicians State Chapter of California, Inc., regarding recommendation that each county alter its current Emergency Medical Services Fund disbursement rules to provide that physicians be reimbursed up to 50% of charges. (13)

From Carriage Charter, regarding horse drawn vehicle ordinance and the Mayor's State of the City speech. Copy: Each Supervisor (14)

From Rincon Tenants Association, submitting "report card" on responsiveness of officials to issues important to their association. (15)

From Joanna Pearlstein, expressing concern regarding the homeless problem. (16)

From David L. Chittenden, M.D., opposing the huge Coca-Cola flashing sign at the new stadium. (17)

From Emad J. Hasan, expressing concern regarding obtaining a parking permit. Housing and Neighborhood Services Committee (18)

From Jeff Hirsch, expressing concern regarding the lack of bicycle lanes in the City. File 98-0564 (19)

From Stanton Lee, expressing concern regarding Muni's poor service. (20)

From Charles Wehrenberg, opposing the South of Market Nighttime Entertainment Zone. File 98-1122 (21)

From John B. deCastro, opposing Supervisor Brown's shopping cart proposal. (22)

From Diane E. Clark, responding to Assessor Doris Ward's letter regarding property assessment. (23)

From Kim Gilgenberg, opposing the zoning of the 3700 block of 20th Street as residential permit parking. (24)

From various signators, submitting petition for residential U parking permit on Stillman Street. (46 signatures) (25)

From various signators, opposing the development of low-income housing project at Church and Duboce Streets. (4 signatures) (26)

From various signators, regarding appreciation for the support from American Airlines concerning their gay/lesbians rights policies. (123 signatures) (27)

From various signators, supporting the development of a frisbee golf course. Park and Recreation Committee. File 98-1579 (6 letters received) (28)

From The San Francisco Senators, Incorporated, submitting Annual Economic Statement for CDBG Funding for 1998 Program. Finance Committee (29)

From Art Commission, regarding request for six-month designation of six spaces on Grant Avenue for street artists. (30)

From State of California, Department of Corrections, submitting State Building Notification regarding leasing a building located at 10 United Nations Plaza. (31)

From TCI, submitting Quarterly Franchise Fee for July 1, 1998 thru September 30, 1998. (32)

From Red & White Ferries, Inc., submitting application filed with the California Public Utilities Commission for authority to provide scheduled vessel common carrier service between San Francisco, the Alameda Gateway area and the Port of Oakland. (33)

From Cindy Highsmith, regarding live animal market. (34)

From various signators, opposing the plan to house homeless in the Presidio. (2 letters received). File 98-1803 (35)

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