



City and County of San Francisco

Meeting Minutes

Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee

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Thursday, July 9, 2026

10:00 AM

City Hall, Legislative Chamber, Room 250

Regular Meeting

Present: 3 - Matt Dorsey, Danny Sauter, and Alan Wong

The Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee met in regular session on Thursday, July 9, 2026, with Chair Matt Dorsey presiding. Chair Dorsey called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

ROLL CALL AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

On the call of the roll, Chair Dorsey, Vice Chair Sauter, and Member Wong were noted present. A quorum was present.

COMMUNICATIONS

Monique Crayton, Assistant Clerk, instructed members of the public that public comment is taken on each item on the agenda. Alternatively, written comments may be submitted through email (monique.crayton@sfgov.org) or the U.S. Postal Service at City Hall, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244, San Francisco, CA 94102.

AGENDA CHANGES

There were no agenda changes.

REGULAR AGENDA

251003 [Administrative Code - Expanding Drug-Free Permanent Supportive Housing]

Sponsors: Dorsey; Mandelman, Sherrill, Sauter, Mahmood and Wong

Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to state that it is City policy to expand the availability of Site-Based Permanent Supportive Housing ("PSH") that prohibits on-site illicit drug use among residents ("Drug-Free PSH") to meet the demand of people experiencing homelessness who prefer such a residential option; require that City funding for new Site-Based PSH for people experiencing homelessness be used for Drug-Free PSH except where operation of the housing as Drug-Free PSH would conflict with standards imposed by law or by a condition of other funding, where the funding is for new construction, or the Board of Supervisors has waived the funding requirement based on specific findings; require the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing ("HSH") to survey residents of Site-Based PSH to assess their interest in living in either Drug-Tolerant PSH or Drug-Free PSH and report on the survey findings and HSH's strategies to meet PSH residents' demands; and require HSH to adopt rules and regulations establishing standards and protocols for evictions from City-funded Drug-Free Housing.
(Racial Equity Impact)

10/07/25; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Land Use and Transportation Committee, expires on 11/6/2025.

10/29/25; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing and the Department of Public Health for informational purposes.

11/03/25; TRANSFERRED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee. President Mandelman transferred this ordinance from the Land Use and Transportation committee to the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services committee.

03/17/26; SUBSTITUTED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.
3/17/26 - Supervisor Dorsey introduced a substitute Ordinance bearing a new title.

03/24/26; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing and the Department of Public Health for informational purposes.

04/01/26; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Youth Commission for review and comment.

04/23/26; RECOMMENDED. Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Michael Fisher; Bill; Justice Allred; Speaker; Speaker; Lukas Illa; Adam Francis; Griffin Lee; Apple; Ray; Anthony Prater; Speaker; Anthony; Laura; Speaker; Speaker; Jordan; Ray; Amber; Speaker; Justice Rollins; Marie Hurabiell; Sean Ellis; Bill Maher; Cody; Lauren Hall; Junebug; Laquan; Erica; Speaker; Speaker; Speaker; Paul; Miguel; spoke on various concerns relating to the ordinance matter.

05/05/26; CONTINUED ON FIRST READING.

05/06/26; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Youth Commission held a hearing on May 4, 2026, and submitted comments for the file.

05/12/26; RE-REFERRED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

05/28/26; AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING NEW TITLE. Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Maxine; Lea McGeever; Jennifer Friedenbach; Speaker; Chelsea Kaplan; Sara; Zack Manuel; Shakema; Jordan; Mateo; Speaker; Lukas; Cody Keene; spoke on various concerns relating to the ordinance matter.

05/28/26; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR AS AMENDED.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Speaker; Speaker; Lucas Illa; Richard Beal; Marquise Allen; Elizabeth; Tom Wolf; Justice; Jordan; Speaker; Lanier Coles; Shakema; Speaker; Speaker; Glenn; Speaker; David Lewis; Christopher; Jason; Speaker; Speaker; Richard; Lloyd Banks; Derrick; Amber; Marie; Linda; Kevin; June-Bug; Jamar; Curtis; Jennifer Friedenbach; Brittini

Chicuata; Speaker; spoke on various concerns relating to the ordinance matter.

Chair Dorsey moved that this Ordinance be AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING SAME TITLE, on Page 4, Lines 5-12, by inserting, 'g) Although evictions from site-based PSH are relatively rare, they do occur, due to nonpayment of rent and lease violations. According to the Annual Tenant Eviction Reports, which San Francisco Administrative Code Article XIV requires HSH to publish annually, in Fiscal Year 2023-24, 106 households were evicted from PSH that did not prohibit onsite illicit drug use (representing 1.17% of PSH households), and in Fiscal Year 2024-25, 156 households were evicted from the same category of PSH (representing 1.8% of PSH households). By contrast, HSH has operated a drug-free PSH site at 1174 Folsom Street since early 2025 that has not seen a single eviction since it opened'; on Page 4, Line 19, by striking 'where good faith relocation offers are refused'; on Page 7, Line 25, through Page 8, Line 1, to read '(2) Prohibit eviction for Illicit Drug Use based solely on a single relapse or instance of Illicit Drug Use'; on Page 8, Lines 8-16, to read '(3) Provide that an operator may seek to terminate a resident's tenancy when a participant's behavior substantially disrupts or impacts the welfare of the community in which the resident resides or is otherwise in violation of their lease; and (4) Provide that before an operator may evict a resident who has engaged in Illicit Drug Use but is otherwise in compliance with all lease terms, the operator must receive confirmation from HSH that the resident has been offered alternative housing or shelter to ensure that they are not evicted into homelessness. (b) Establish agency protocols for providing support to residents facing eviction from Drug-Free Housing solely on the basis of Illicit Drug Use, by'; and making other conforming and clerical amendments throughout the ordinance text. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Sauter, Wong

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Version

(Version 4)

(Racial Equity Impact)

Chair Dorsey moved that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED AS AMENDED AS A COMMITTEE REPORT. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Sauter, Wong

260499 [Affirming San Francisco's Support for the Speed Safety System Pilot Program and Urging the Exploration of Changes to Strengthen the Program]

Sponsors: Dorsey; Melgar, Mandelman, Sherrill, Mahmood, Sauter and Wong

Resolution affirming San Francisco's support for the Speed Safety System Pilot Program and urging the exploration of changes to strengthen the program, including increasing the number of allowable speed camera locations, with priority given to corridors on the High Injury Network and other locations with demonstrated safety need.

05/05/26; REFERRED FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA AT THE NEXT BOARD MEETING.

05/12/26; REFERRED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee. Supervisor Sherrill requested to be added as a co-sponsor.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Speaker; Glinnis; John; Lori; Susan; Speaker; Paul; Speaker; Jodie Medeiros; spoke in support of the resolution matter.

Member Wong requested to be added as a co-sponsor.

Chair Dorsey moved that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED AS COMMITTEE REPORT. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Sauter, Wong

260543 [Police Code - Penalties for Prohibited Discharge of Fireworks]

Sponsors: Wong; Sherrill, Melgar, Sauter and Dorsey

Ordinance amending the Police Code to provide penalties for the prohibited discharge of fireworks, including that a first offense is punishable as an infraction with a fine not less than \$125 or more than \$250, and a second and any subsequent offenses within five years of a prior offense are punishable as misdemeanors with a fine not less than \$250 or more than \$750, or imprisonment in the County Jail of not more than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

05/19/26; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee, expires on 6/18/2026.

05/27/26; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Police Department and Fire Department for informational purposes.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Carl Nicita (Police Department); Pat Rabbitt (Fire Department); Mary Ruiz De La O (SF SPCA); Jenny Perez (Veterans Affairs Council); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion. Speaker; Justice; Speaker; Speaker; spoke on various concerns relating to the ordinance matter.

Chair Dorsey and Vice Chair Sauter requested to be added as co-sponsors.

Supervisor Wong moved that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Sauter, Wong

260544 [Police Code - Lending Books to Individuals Under 21 Years Old]

Sponsors: Wong; Sauter and Sherrill

Ordinance amending the Police Code to repeal the prohibition on certain types of libraries lending or renting any book, magazine, pamphlet, or other printed matter to any person under the age of 21, unless the person has obtained a membership card with the consent of a parent or legal guardian.

05/19/26; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee, expires on 6/18/2026.

05/27/26; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Police Department and Library Department for informational purposes.

06/12/26; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Youth Commission for review and comment.

06/16/26; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Youth Commission held a hearing on June 15, 2026, and submitted comments for the file.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): None.

Supervisor Wong moved that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Sauter, Wong

260545 [Health Code - Code Cleanup]

Sponsors: Wong; Sherrill

Ordinance amending the Health Code to repeal the prohibition on transporting bread in open baskets or containers on City streets, the prohibition on selling unsterilized rags and other types of cloth to be used for cleaning in industrial places of employment and related regulations, and the prohibition on operating a laundry for sterilizing such rags without a permit.

05/19/26; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee, expires on 6/18/2026.

05/27/26; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to Department of Public Health for informational purposes.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): None.

Supervisor Wong moved that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Sauter, Wong

251243 [Liquor License Issuance - 284 Noe Street - The Love Potion Library LLC]

Hearing to consider that the issuance of a Type-42 On-Sale Beer and Wine - Public Premises liquor license to The Love Potion Library LLC, located at 284 Noe Street (District 8), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

12/03/25; RECEIVED. The applicant submitted a request for a determination on the public convenience or necessity of the issuance of a Type-42 on-sale beer and wine - public premises liquor license to The Love Potion Library LLC located at 284 Noe Street (District 8).

12/12/25; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

12/12/25; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Department and Police Department for recommendation.

12/29/25; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Police Department submitted a response recommending approval with the following conditions:

1. Petitioner(s) shall actively monitor the area under their control in an effort to prevent the loitering of persons on any property adjacent to the licensed premises as depicted on the ABC-257.
2. The Petitioner(s) shall be responsible for maintaining free of litter the area adjacent to the premises over which they have control, as depicted on ABC-257.
3. When the said outdoor patio area of the premises is being utilized for the sales, service and consumption of alcoholic beverages, a premise employee shall be in attendance and maintain continuous supervision at all times of said area to ensure orderly conduct of patrons.

05/21/26; RESPONSE RECEIVED. Recommend Approval for ABC Type 42 License per CPC Motion No. 21913 to establish a Bar use per Planning Code Sections 303 and 764. Motion enclosed and subject to Conditions of Approval included within.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Officer Brandon Erickson (Police Department); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion.

Chair Dorsey moved that this Hearing be PREPARED IN COMMITTEE AS A RESOLUTION, making a determination that the issuance of a Type-42 On-Sale Beer and Wine - Public Premises liquor license to the applicant will serve the public convenience or necessity. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Sauter, Wong

Resolution determining that the issuance of a Type-42 On-Sale Beer and Wine - Public Premises liquor license to The Love Potion Library LLC, located at 284 Noe Street (District 8), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco, in accordance with California Business and Professions Code, Section 23958.4; and requesting that the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control impose conditions on the issuance of the license. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

Chair Dorsey moved that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Sauter, Wong

260490 [Liquor License Transfer - 2214 Clement Street - Del Rio Produce Market]

Hearing to consider that the person-to-person, premise-to-premise transfer of a Type-21 off-sale general beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to Del Rio Produce Market Inc., doing business as Del Rio Produce Market located at 2214 Clement Street (District 1), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

04/27/26; RECEIVED. The applicant submitted a request for a determination on the public convenience or necessity of the transfer of a Type-21 off-sale general beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to Del Rio Produce Market Inc., doing business as Del Rio Produce Market, located at 2214 Clement Street.

05/01/26; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

05/05/26; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT.

05/11/26; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Police Department submitted a response recommending approval with the following conditions:

1. Petitioner(s) shall actively monitor the area under their control in an effort to prevent the loitering of persons on any property adjacent to the licensed premises as depicted on the ABC-257.
2. The Petitioner(s) shall be responsible for maintaining free of litter the area adjacent to the premises over which they have control, as depicted on ABC-257.

05/14/26; RESPONSE RECEIVED. Recommend Approval - Type 21 ABC License is permitted for Grocery store DBA Del Rio Produce Market currently operating as a Grocery Store, General within the Zoning Districts NCD- Outer Clement Street Neighborhood Commercial District Zoning District per P.C. Sec. 717. Per P.C. Sec 102, the establishment may provide beer, wine, and/or liquor sales for consumption off the premises with a California Alcoholic Beverage Control Board License Type 21 that occupy less than 15% of the Occupied Floor Area of the establishment (including all areas devoted to the display and sale of alcoholic beverages).

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Officer Brandon Erickson (Police Department); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion.

Chair Dorsey moved that this Hearing be PREPARED IN COMMITTEE AS A RESOLUTION, making a determination that the person-to-person, premise-to-premise transfer of a Type-21 off-sale general beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to the applicant will serve the public convenience or necessity. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Sauter, Wong

Resolution determining that the person-to-person, premise-to-premise transfer of a Type-21 off-sale general beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to Del Rio Produce Market Inc., doing business as Del Rio Produce Market located at 2214 Clement Street (District 1), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco, in accordance with California Business and Professions Code, Section 23958.4; and requesting that the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control impose conditions on the issuance of the license. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

Chair Dorsey moved that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Sauter, Wong

260504 [Liquor License Transfer - 210 Clement Street - Food Folk]

Hearing to consider that the person-to-person, premise-to-premise transfer of a Type-20 off-sale beer and wine liquor license to Food Folk LLC, doing business as Food Folk, located at 210 Clement Street (District 1), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

04/27/26; RECEIVED. The applicant submitted a request for a determination on the public convenience or necessity of the transfer of a Type-20 off-sale general beer and wine liquor license to Food Folk LLC, doing business as Food Folk, located at 210 Clement Street.

05/01/26; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

05/06/26; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Department and Police Department for recommendation.

05/11/26; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Police Department submitted a response recommending approval with the following conditions:

1. Petitioner(s) shall actively monitor the area under their control in an effort to prevent the loitering of persons on any property adjacent to the licensed premises as depicted on the ABC-257.
2. The petitioner(s) shall be responsible for maintaining free of litter the area adjacent to the premises over which they have control, as depicted on ABC-257.

05/21/26; RESPONSE RECEIVED. ABC License Type 20 allowed with a Specialty Retail Grocery use in the Inner Clement St NCD Zoning District.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Officer Brandon Erickson (Police Department); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion.

Chair Dorsey moved that this Hearing be PREPARED IN COMMITTEE AS A RESOLUTION, making a determination that the person-to-person, premise-to-premise transfer of a Type-20 off-sale beer and wine liquor license to the applicant will serve the public convenience or necessity. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Sauter, Wong

Resolution determining that the person-to-person, premise-to-premise transfer of a Type-20 off-sale beer and wine liquor license to Food Folk LLC, doing business as Food Folk, located at 210 Clement Street (District 1), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco, in accordance with California Business and Professions Code, Section 23958.4; and requesting that the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control impose conditions on the issuance of the license. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

Chair Dorsey moved that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Sauter, Wong

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee adjourned at the hour of 11:43 a.m.

N.B. The Minutes of this meeting set forth all actions taken by the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee on the matters stated, but not necessarily in the chronological sequence in which the matters were taken up.