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1 [Street Artist Spaces - Post Street, Northwest Corner, at Stockton Street]

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3 **Resolution approving for six (6) months designation of two (2) temporary selling**  
4 **spaces on Post Street, northwest corner, at Stockton Street, for street artists certified**  
5 **by the Arts Commission.**

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7 WHEREAS, The Street Artists Ordinance adopted by the voters of San Francisco as  
8 Proposition "L" at the election held on November 4, 1975, authorizes the Board of  
9 Supervisors, by resolution, to designate sales areas where any street artist or craftsperson  
10 previously certified may sell art or craft items; and

11 WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors in Resolution No. 572-77 designated seven (7)  
12 street artist spaces on the south side of Geary Street, Stockton Street to Grant Avenue; and

13 WHEREAS, The Arts Commission has determined that the business potential of the  
14 seven (7) spaces on the south side of Geary Street, Stockton Street to Grant Avenue, has  
15 been adversely impacted by the construction of the Central Subway project, and that it is  
16 necessary to relocate the street artists to temporary spaces; and

17 WHEREAS, The Arts Commission on May 2, 2011 unanimously voted to request the  
18 Board of Supervisors for six (6) months designation of two (2) temporary spaces on the  
19 northwest corner of Post Street, at Stockton Street, subject to possible future request, if  
20 necessary, for continued designation during the Central Subway project; and

21 WHEREAS, The proposed two (2) temporary spaces on the northwest corner of Post  
22 Street, at Stockton Street, would fulfill the public safety regulations of Ordinance No. 41-83,  
23 Section 2405; now, therefore, be it

24 RESOLVED, That the following temporary selling spaces are hereby designated for six  
25 (6) months for street artists certified by the Arts Commission:

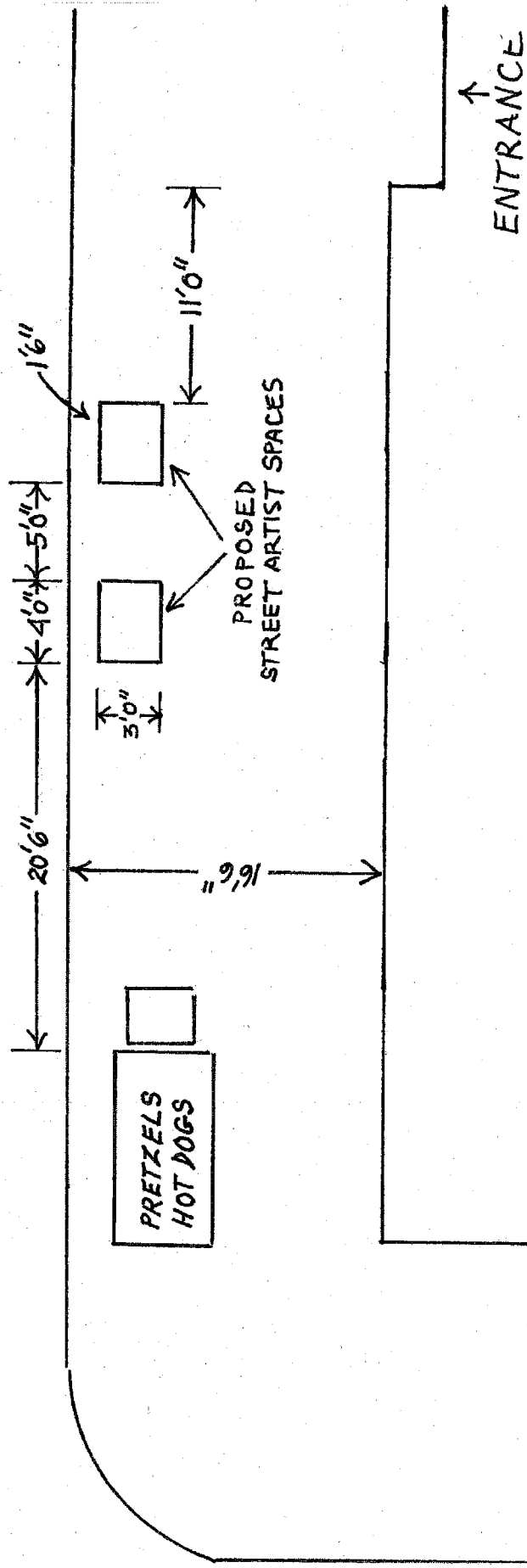
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Spaces:

2 – Post Street, northwest corner, at Stockton Street.

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Subject: Resolution approving for six (6) months designation of two (2) temporary selling spaces on Post Street, northwest corner, at Stockton Street, for street artists certified by Arts Commission

Dear Ms. Calvillo:

On behalf of the Arts Commission and its licensed street artists, we are respectfully requesting that you please submit to the Board the enclosed resolution approving for six (6) months designation of two (2) temporary selling spaces on Post Street, northwest corner, at Stockton Street, for street artists certified by the Arts Commission.

This resolution reflects the unanimous approval of the full Arts Commission on May 2, 2011 to request the Board of Supervisors for designation of the temporary spaces.

After conducting a public hearing, the Arts Commission determined that the construction of the Central Subway project has adversely impacted the business potential of seven permanently designated street artist spaces on Geary Street, and that it is necessary to relocate the artists to the proposed two temporary spaces on the northwest corner of Post Street at Stockton Street (please see the enclosed map of the proposed spaces). At the recommendation of staff, the Arts Commission is requesting that the designation be for six months subject to future request for continued designation during the Central Subway project, if necessary.



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We wish to assure the Supervisors that the proposed two spaces would meet all of the public safety requirements of the Street Artists Ordinance (Ord. 41-83). For example, the ordinance requires a street

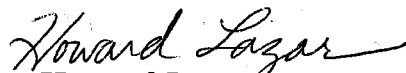
artist space to be not within ten feet of the edge of an entrance and to allow a minimum of eight feet of pedestrian passageway from the edge of an artist's display to an adjacent building. The nearest of the two proposed spaces to an entrance of the Levi's building would be not ten but eleven feet from the entrance. Similarly, both proposed spaces would allow not eight but twelve feet for a pedestrian passageway.

We would greatly appreciate your submitting the enclosed resolution for a committee hearing.

An electronic version of this legislation is also being sent to you.

If you have questions, please call me: 252-2583.

Sincerely,



Howard Lazar

Street Artists Program Director

Enclosures: (a) Original resolution draft with map of proposed spaces; 4 copies

Cc: Arts Commissioners Greg Chew, John Calloway, Amy Chuang,  
Sherene Melania, Jessica Silverman – Street Artists Program  
Committee

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