

1 [Administrative Code - Shelter and Permanent Supportive Housing Expansion Program]

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3 **Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to require the Department of**  
4 **Homelessness and Supportive Housing (“HSH”) to submit to the Board of Supervisors**  
5 **and the Mayor a plan to implement a program to provide unsheltered persons in San**  
6 **Francisco with a ~~safe place to sleep overnight~~ access to shelter and permanent**  
7 **supportive housing (“Place for All Program”), including a cost estimate of**  
8 **implementation; requiring HSH to fully implement the Place for All Program; requiring**  
9 **HSH to implement a system to allow individuals experiencing homelessness to register**  
10 **for shelter by telephone; and affirming the Planning Department’s determination under**  
11 **the California Environmental Quality Act.**

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17 **Asterisks (\* \* \* \*)** indicate the omission of unchanged Code  
18 subsections or parts of tables.

18 Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

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20 Section 1. Environmental Findings.

21 The Planning Department has determined that the actions contemplated in this  
22 ordinance comply with the California Environmental Quality Act (California Public Resources  
23 Code Sections 21000 et seq.). Said determination is on file with the Clerk of the Board of  
24 Supervisors in File No. 220281 and is incorporated herein by reference. The Board affirms  
25 this determination.

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2 Section 2. The Administrative Code is hereby amended by adding Chapter 118,  
3 consisting of Sections 118.1 to 118.910, to read as follows:  
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5 **CHAPTER 118:**  
6 **PLACE FOR ALL PROGRAM**  
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8 **SEC. 118.1. TITLE.**

9 This Chapter 118 shall be known as the "Place for All Ordinance."  
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11 **SEC. 118.2 FINDINGS.**

12 (a) San Francisco has struggled with homelessness for at least four decades. Since the  
13 1980's, successive mayoral administrations have implemented different and sometimes divergent  
14 strategies to address the City's most enduring crisis.

15 (1) In 1982, Mayor Dianne Feinstein launched a network of faith-based emergency  
16 winter shelters and soup kitchens.

17 (2) In the late 1980s and early 1990s, Mayor Art Agnos took a different approach,  
18 unveiling the "Beyond Shelter" plan to provide unhoused people access to supportive services and a  
19 pathway to long-term housing. In 1990, Mayor Agnos opened the City's first two Multi-Service Centers,  
20 which were homeless shelters with onsite mental health and substance use disorder services.

21 (3) In 1993, Mayor Frank Jordan instituted the Matrix Program, which tasked  
22 police officers accompanied by social workers or health aides with clearing unhoused people from City  
23 streets and connecting them to services. In the first six months of the program, police issued over 6,000  
24 citations for quality-of-life misdemeanors, such as public inebriation or sleeping in doorways. In 1992,  
25 voters approved Mayor Jordan's Proposition J, which banned aggressive panhandling. Voters also

1 approved Mayor Jordan's 1994 ballot measure, also named Proposition J, which banned loitering  
2 within 30 feet of an automated teller machine for more than one minute.

3 (4) After his election in 1995, Mayor Willie Brown declared homelessness  
4 unsolvable at a local level, and insisted any measurable improvement would require state and federal  
5 dollars to fund the housing and services needed to keep people off the streets. During his two terms in  
6 office, Mayor Brown's administration nonetheless added thousands of units of affordable and  
7 subsidized housing, including leasing and renovating single room occupancy hotels for low-income and  
8 unhoused people.

9 (5) Prior to his election as Mayor in 2003, as a member of the Board of Supervisors,  
10 Gavin Newsom authored a 2002 ballot measure, entitled "Care Not Cash," which reduced City-funded  
11 General Assistance cash payments to unhoused people, and redirected the savings to fund services and  
12 supportive housing. According to a 2008 City Controller's audit, the Care Not Cash program housed  
13 2,127 people between its implementation in 2003 and December 2007. The Department of  
14 Homelessness and Supportive Housing ("HSH") estimates that Care Not Cash led to the creation of  
15 1,300 units of permanent supportive housing.

16 In 2004, Mayor Newsom introduced his "Ten Year Plan to Abolish Chronic  
17 Homelessness," which proposed to create 3,000 units of permanent supportive housing by 2010, and to  
18 replace shelters with 24-hour crisis clinics and sobering centers. By 2014, the City was still 300 units  
19 shy of the 3,000 pledged units, and had reduced the number of shelter beds by a third, from 1,910 beds  
20 in 2004 to 1,145 beds in 2014.

21 Mayor Newsom authored two additional voter-approved ballot measures aimed at  
22 responding to homelessness: Proposition M in 2003, which amended the City's panhandling and  
23 loitering bans, and Proposition L in 2010, which made it illegal to sit or lie on sidewalks citywide from  
24 7am to 11pm.

1                   (6) Mayor Ed Lee oversaw the opening of the City's first Navigation Center in 2015,  
2 and in 2016 sponsored legislation creating HSH, pledging to spend at least \$1 billion over the next four  
3 years to address homelessness. Mayor Lee directed implementation of the City's Coordinated Entry  
4 system, seeking to improve the coordination of services by consolidating the dozens of City-funded  
5 homeless service groups into one system with a shared database. In 2017, shortly before his death,  
6 Mayor Lee pledged to move 1,000 unhoused people off the streets, and open two more Navigation  
7 Centers.

8                   (b) Now, four decades after Mayor Feinstein first attempted to respond to rising  
9 homelessness in San Francisco, the issue continues to vex the City. According to the Homeless Point-  
10 in-Time Count conducted on January 24, 2019, more than 8,035 people were experiencing  
11 homelessness at that time, a 17% increase from 2017. Among those surveyed, 5,180 were unsheltered,  
12 with 86% of unsheltered individuals sleeping outdoors in streets, parks, or tents. According to a  
13 database of homeless individuals who use health care and other services, the number of people  
14 experiencing homelessness over the course of a year is estimated to be much higher than the number of  
15 people who experience homelessness on a given night, with estimates that more than 17,500 people  
16 experience homelessness in San Francisco during a given year.

17                   (c) During those same four decades, San Francisco has earned a national and international  
18 reputation for the severity of its homelessness crisis, with widespread reports of the City's street  
19 conditions appearing in media outlets around the world. In January 2017, Leilani Farha, a United  
20 Nations Special Rapporteur on adequate housing, issued a report finding that San Francisco's  
21 response to its unhoused population constitutes cruel and inhumane treatment, and is a violation of  
22 international human rights law including laws establishing the rights to life, housing, health, and water  
23 and sanitation. Her report further stated "[T]he scope and severity of the living conditions in informal  
24 settlements make them one of the most pervasive violations of the human rights of dignity, security,  
25 health and life worldwide."

1           (d) San Francisco voters expressed their own dissatisfaction with the current state of  
2 homelessness in a Dignity Health CityBeat Poll conducted in May 2021. Eighty percent of San  
3 Francisco voters identified addressing homelessness and street conditions as a high priority for the  
4 City, and 88% stated that homelessness and street behavior had gotten worse in the past few years.

5           (e) The COVID-19 pandemic and the City's Shelter in Place response exacerbated street  
6 conditions and contributed to an increase in the number of tent encampments citywide, with large  
7 numbers of unhoused people seeking shelter in neighborhoods throughout the City. This was at least  
8 partly due to a 75% reduction in available shelter beds, and a halt on new admissions to the shelter  
9 system in the early days of the pandemic, in compliance with guidance from the Centers for Disease  
10 Control requiring social distancing in the City's homeless shelters, thus necessitating a decrease in  
11 shelter capacity.

12           (f) Although encampments increased across the City during Shelter in Place, the increase  
13 and related impacts were felt more severely in neighborhoods where homelessness was most acute  
14 prior to COVID-19. In the Tenderloin, the number of tents increased 285% between January and May  
15 2020.

16           (g) On May 4, 2020, UC Hastings Law School filed a lawsuit on behalf of a group of  
17 Tenderloin residents and business owners over conditions in the neighborhood. As part of a settlement,  
18 the City agreed to achieve a 70% reduction in the number of tents by July 20, 2020. By July 3, 2020,  
19 the number of tents in the Tenderloin had decreased by 65%. By July 10, 2020, the City had reduced  
20 the number of tents in the Tenderloin by over 73%. As of August 18, 2020, the City had moved 87% of  
21 tents from the Tenderloin, and placed more than 600 people into Shelter in Place (SIP) hotels or other  
22 shelter.

23           (h) Following the issuance of new guidance from the Department of Public Health  
24 ("DPH") regarding street encampments, the City's Healthy Streets Operations Center resumed  
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1 resolving encampments in other neighborhoods as well, subject to the availability of alternative  
2 placements.

3 (i) Notwithstanding such efforts, conditions on our streets remain unacceptable. While  
4 some progress has been made in parts of the City, many thousands of people continue to sleep in  
5 unregulated, unsafe encampments without access to basic services such as water, food, sanitation, or  
6 bathrooms.

7 (j) As demonstrated by the summary of mayoral initiatives above, the reality that thousands  
8 of individuals remain without homes or shelter is not for lack of effort or investment in solutions by the  
9 City. Since 2004, San Francisco has helped over 26,000 individuals exit from homelessness. Today, the  
10 City has more than 9,000 units of permanent supportive housing which house over 10,000 formerly  
11 homeless individuals every night who would otherwise be homeless. The City's efforts to resolve  
12 homelessness have proved successful for many individuals. But for many others, and for the City as a  
13 whole, the homelessness problem persists and, in some respects, has worsened.

14 (k) Since 2015, the City's development of the Navigation Center model has represented a  
15 significant expansion of shorter-term shelter as well. Navigation Centers are unlike traditional  
16 emergency shelters because they are service-intensive and low-barrier, and provide case management,  
17 meals, showers, laundry, and 24-hour access, and allow guests to bring their partners, pets, and  
18 belongings.

19 (l) Since 2015, HSH has opened ten Navigation Centers, eight of which are currently  
20 operating. According to HSH, from the launch of Navigation Centers in 2015 through the end of 2019,  
21 48% of Navigation Center exits were either to permanent housing or reunifications with family or  
22 friends through the Homeward Bound program. Over 5,000 clients have been served at Navigation  
23 Centers from 2015 to December 2019.

24 (m) In October 2018, Mayor London Breed announced a commitment to open at least 1,000  
25 additional shelter beds, including Navigation Center beds, by the end of 2020. Prior to the outbreak of

1 the coronavirus pandemic, the City was close to meeting this goal, and opened 880 of the proposed  
2 1,000 beds by March 2021.

3 (n) In November 2018, the voters approved Proposition C ("Prop C"), creating a new gross  
4 receipts tax on high-grossing companies estimated to generate over \$300 million annually for homeless  
5 housing and services. In June 2020, a state appeals court upheld a lower court decision validating  
6 Prop C, and on September 9, 2020, the California Supreme Court denied further legal review, freeing  
7 up nearly \$500 million in revenue that had been collected but remained unspent pending resolution of  
8 the litigation.

9 (o) During Shelter in Place, the City acquired over 2,441 SIP hotel rooms to provide shelter  
10 to homeless individuals determined to be medically vulnerable to COVID-19. The cost of providing a  
11 hotel room is approximately \$260 per person per night, although the City anticipates that 100% of  
12 eligible sheltering costs for hotel residents who meet eligibility criteria set by the Federal Emergency  
13 Management Agency ("FEMA") may be reimbursed by FEMA.

14 (p) On September 29, 2020, the Board of Supervisors enacted the Fiscal Year 2020-21  
15 budget, which included funding for the acquisition or leasing of an additional 1,500 permanent  
16 supportive housing units through Fiscal Year 2022-23, largely funded through Prop C revenue. These  
17 units, proposed in Mayor Breed's Homelessness Recovery Plan, represent the largest one-time  
18 expansion of permanent supportive housing in San Francisco in 20 years. The budget for HSH  
19 increased from \$367,690,818, in Fiscal Year 2019-20, to \$852,100,000, for Fiscal Year 2020-21, and  
20 \$667,800,000 for Fiscal Year 2021-22, with the bulk of the increase paying for Shelter in Place hotel  
21 rooms and new permanent supportive housing units.

22 (q) San Franciscans are justifiably frustrated that after multiple decades and many billions  
23 of dollars of investment in additional shelter bed capacity, hotel placements, and permanent supportive  
24 housing units, thousands of unsheltered people continue to sleep on the streets night after night, and  
25 that the City relies on residential neighborhoods to serve as campsites of last resort for unhoused

1 people, including individuals struggling with significant behavioral health conditions and substance  
2 use disorders.

3 (r) The Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals in a case entitled Martin v. City of Boise, 902 F.3d  
4 1031 (9th Cir. 2018), held that the Eighth Amendment’s prohibition on cruel and unusual punishment  
5 bars a city from criminally prosecuting people for sleeping on public property when those persons have  
6 committed no offenses other than sleeping on public property, and the city has not offered alternative  
7 shelter. The Boise case provides a further impetus – though none is needed – for San Francisco to  
8 provide more shelter options for unhoused people in our midst.

9 (s) Notwithstanding the many investments described above, San Francisco has never  
10 established a comprehensive citywide strategy for meeting the shelter needs of the unhoused.  
11 Additional shelters, safe sleep sites, Safe Overnight Parking Lots, and tiny homes non-congregate  
12 cabins offer a potential multi-pronged strategy for addressing the needs of thousands of people who  
13 continue to suffer outside every night.

14 (t) According to the Bay Area Council’s June 2021 report entitled “Bay Area  
15 Homelessness: New Urgency, New Solutions,” most Bay Area governments have defunded shelter and  
16 interim housing to increase permanent housing production, while remaining “unable to scale  
17 permanent housing faster than the rate at which residents are becoming homeless.”

18 (u) San Francisco’s failure to provide adequate shelter for our unhoused population is  
19 reflected in the fact that the 2019 Point in Time Count found 8,035 total people experiencing  
20 homelessness, 2,855 of whom were unsheltered. As a point of comparison, Boston’s 2019 Point in  
21 Time Count found 6,203 total people experiencing homelessness, only 121 of whom were unsheltered.

22 (v) A February 2021 report by All Home entitled “A Call to Action from the Regional  
23 Impact Council” calls for Bay Area governments to balance homelessness spending using a 1-2-4  
24 framework, under which every \$1 invested in shelter or interim housing should be matched with \$2  
25 invested in permanent housing and \$4 invested in homelessness prevention. As of January 2022, the



1 Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing estimates that to align with the 1-2-4 framework,  
2 San Francisco would need at least 2,000 additional shelter beds.

3 (w) During the COVID-19 pandemic state of emergency, the City acted quickly to establish  
4 thousands of temporary non-congregate shelter placements, including Shelter in Place Hotels, safe  
5 sleep sites, and a ~~tiny home~~non-congregate cabin village.

6 (x) San Francisco is in urgent need of additional non-congregate shelter options for our  
7 unhoused residents, including ~~tiny homes~~non-congregate cabins, Safe Overnight Parking Lots,  
8 and a limited number of safe sleep sites. This is both a humanitarian need, to help unhoused residents  
9 sleeping on our streets and in our public spaces every night, and a quality of life need, to relieve  
10 housed residents who endure the daily quality of life disruptions that result from open-air drug use,  
11 psychosis, and other behavioral health issues exacerbated by unsheltered homelessness.

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13 **SEC. 118.3. DEFINITIONS.**

14 As used in this Chapter 118, the following words or phrases shall mean:

15 “City” means the City and County of San Francisco.

16 “Effective Date” means the effective date of the ordinance in Board File No. 201187, enacting  
17 this Chapter 118.

18 “Homelessness Prevention” means policies, practices, and interventions that reduce  
19 the likelihood that someone will experience homelessness, including but not limited to, rental  
20 assistance and eviction prevention programs.

21 “HSH” means the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing, or any successor  
22 agency.

23 “Permanent Supportive Housing” has the meaning set forth in Section 20.54.3 of  
24 Chapter 20 of the Administrative Code, as may be amended from time to time.

1 “Safe Overnight Parking Lot” has the meaning set forth in Section 119.1 of Chapter 119  
2 of the Administrative Code, as may be amended from time to time.

3 “Safe Sleep Site” means an outdoor lot or facility where Unsheltered individuals may sleep and  
4 may access services.

5 “Shelter” means any facility, the primary purpose of which is to provide temporary shelter for  
6 Unsheltered people, including but not limited to, congregate facilities, non-congregate facilities,  
7 Navigation Centers, Shelter-in-Place hotels, Safe Sleep Sites, Safe Overnight Parking Lots, and tiny  
8 homesnon-congregate cabins.

9 “Shelter Unit” means that portion of a Shelter intended for occupancy by one person. For  
10 example, a congregate facility with a maximum occupancy of 50 guests consists of 50 Shelter Units.

11 “Unsheltered” means having a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not  
12 designed for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings, including a  
13 car, park, abandoned building, bus or train station, airport, or camping ground.

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15 **SEC. 118.4. SHELTER POLICY.**

16 It shall be the policy of the City to offer to every person experiencing homelessness in San  
17 Francisco a safe place to sleep. First and foremost, the City is committed to expanding opportunities  
18 for safe, affordable, and permanent housing for all residents. To supplement permanent  
19 housingensure that the needs of unhoused San Franciscans are met, the City is also committed  
20 to expanding opportunities for people experiencing homelessness to have temporary shelter, including  
21 but not limited to, Navigation Centers, adult emergency shelters, crisis stabilization units, family  
22 shelters, hotel placements, Safe Overnight Parking Lots, tiny homesnon-congregate cabins, Safe  
23 Sleep Sites, other non-congregate shelter, and shelters for transitional aged youth (“TAY”).  
24 Permanent Supportive Housing and Shelter should be envisioned holistically to ensure  
25 efficient use of emergency resources and to establish a pathway out of homelessness.

1 Further, it shall be the policy of the City that Safe Sleep Sites, Safe Overnight Parking Lots,  
2 and Vehicle Navigation Triage Centers be used as short-term options for individuals  
3 experiencing homelessness prior to their being offered another shelter or housing option.

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5 **118.5. IMPLEMENTATION OF TELEPHONIC SHELTER REGISTRATION SYSTEM.**

6 By no later than July 1, 2023, HSH shall implement a system by which people  
7 experiencing homelessness may register for Shelter by telephone (“Telephonic Shelter  
8 Registration System”). Registration through such system shall not entitle an individual to  
9 Shelter, but shall place an individual on a list of people seeking Shelter.

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11 **SEC. 118.56. PLACE FOR ALL IMPLEMENTATION PLAN, SURVEY OF REAL**  
12 **PROPERTY, AND DATA TRACKING.**

13 (a) ~~Within three months of the Effective Date~~By no later than December 31, 2022,  
14 HSH shall submit to the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors a plan (“Implementation Plan” or  
15 “Plan”), including an implementation timeline, to implement the Place for All Program  
16 (“Program”) by opening, leasing, funding, or otherwise making available enough Shelters and  
17 Permanent Supportive Housing to serve all of the Unsheltered people in San Francisco who may  
18 be expected to accept a referral to are in need of such sites or facilities within 36 months of  
19 submission of the Plan. No later than three months after submission of the Implementation Plan, the  
20 Clerk of the Board shall schedule a hearing before the full Board to consider the Plan.

21 (b) The Implementation Plan shall include, but need not be limited to:

22 (1) An estimate of the number of Unsheltered people in San Francisco who may be  
23 expected to accept a referral to are in need of a Shelter or Permanent Supportive Housing  
24 placement, excluding individuals who have accepted an offer of permanent housing and are  
25 awaiting placement. HSH shall calculate the estimate in consultation with the Controller, using the

1 most accurate and current data sources available, including but not limited to the Point-in-Time  
2 Homeless Count, tent counts, counts of individuals in vehicles, and data collected and maintained by  
3 HSH and other City departments reflecting the rate of successful referrals to Shelters, Permanent  
4 Supportive Housing, and Safe Overnight Parking Lots among people who are offered such  
5 placement, and the rate of successful referrals to permanent housing;

6 (2) An estimate of the cost of implementing the Program during a 36-month  
7 implementation period, and the annual cost of operating the Program once it is fully operational.  
8 These estimates shall specify what portion of the cost, if any, can be paid out of money that has already  
9 been appropriated to HSH's budget, and what portion of the cost would require a new appropriation;

10 (3) An analysis of the cost-effectiveness of different Shelter, Homelessness  
11 Prevention, and Permanent Supportive Housing models, which addresses the association  
12 between each model and successful outcomes for clients;

13 (4) A description of any services to be provided at a Shelter, including but not  
14 limited to case management, treatment referrals, and/or coordinated entry referrals;

15 (5) A description of the method by which HSH intends to select contractors or  
16 grantees to implement and/or operate the Program;

17 (6) A geographic equity strategy for the selection of Program sites;

18 (7) A description of the recommended services that Shelters should offer in  
19 order to support and expedite guests moving from Shelters into housing;

20 (8) An estimate of the number of units of housing, including Permanent  
21 Supportive Housing and Rapid Rehousing, and rental subsidies needed to ensure that all  
22 Shelter guests have the opportunity to move to housing, and an estimate of the associated  
23 annual costs;

24 (9) A description of the Homelessness Prevention programs and services  
25 (e.g., eviction prevention and relocation services), needed to reduce the number of people

1 entering homelessness in San Francisco, and an estimate of the annual costs of such  
2 programs and services;

3 (10) A geographic equity strategy for the allocation of Shelter resources to  
4 ensure Shelter is made available to people experiencing homelessness in all neighborhoods  
5 of San Francisco.

6 (c) The Director of Real Estate, in coordination with HSH, shall create, maintain, and  
7 regularly update shall conduct a survey of real property in the City to identify a list of lots,  
8 buildings, or facilities appropriate for use as Shelters, Permanent Supportive Housing, or Safe  
9 Overnight Parking Lots, and shall submit the findings of such survey initial list to the Board of  
10 Supervisors no later than three months after the Effective Date. The survey list shall include vacant or  
11 unused sites owned or controlled by the City; sites owned or controlled by the City that are being used  
12 for other purposes but could feasibly be converted to a Shelter, Permanent Supportive Housing, or  
13 Safe Overnight Vehicle Lot; private property, including property owned by non-City agencies, that  
14 could be leased or acquired by the City; and such other information, if any, as the Director of Real  
15 Estate deems appropriate to aid in identifying lots, buildings, or facilities. As part of the survey,  
16 the The Director of Real Estate, in consultation with the Planning Department, shall note whether the  
17 use of a particular site included on the list as a Shelter, Permanent Supportive Housing project,  
18 or Safe Overnight Parking Lot, would require a variance, conditional use permit, or amendment of  
19 the Planning Code.

20 (d) By no later than three months after the Effective Date, HSH shall create, maintain, and  
21 regularly update a dashboard on its website displaying the total number of Shelters Citywide, broken  
22 down by Shelter type, number of Shelter Units, and occupancy rate.

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24 **SEC. 118.67. ESTABLISHMENT OF THE PLACE FOR ALL PROGRAM.**  
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1           (a) Subject to the budgetary and fiscal provisions of the Charter, HSH shall establish the  
2 Place for All Program by opening, leasing, funding, or otherwise making available as many Shelters,  
3 Permanent Supportive Housing Units, and Safe Overnight Parking Lots as are necessary to  
4 accommodate all of the Unsheltered people in San Francisco who may be expected to accept a  
5 referral to such Shelters, based on the most recent estimate prepared by HSH pursuant to Sections  
6 118.6 or 118.8. As part of the Program, at least 50% of the Shelter Units opened must be in non-  
7 congregate facilities, and no more than ~~1020~~10% of the Shelter Units opened may be at Safe Sleep Sites.

8           (b) HSH shall coordinate with the Division of Real Estate, the Recreation and Park  
9 Department, the Human Services Agency, the Department of Public Works, the Port of San  
10 Francisco, the Public Utilities Commission, the Municipal Transportation Agency, and such other City  
11 departments, offices, agencies, boards, and commissions as may be necessary or appropriate for  
12 successful implementation of the Program.

13           (c) The City shall not fund the opening or operation of new Shelters with funds that  
14 may not lawfully be used for those purposes, including tax revenue designated by the voters  
15 for use to support behavioral health treatment or permanent housing.

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18           **SEC. 118.78. ANNUAL ESTIMATE OF THE NUMBER OF UNSHELTERED PEOPLE.**

19           By no later than January 1, 2024, and every year thereafter, HSH shall prepare an estimate of  
20 the number of Unsheltered people in San Francisco who may be expected to accept a referral to a  
21 are in need of Shelter, Permanent Supportive Housing, or referral to a Safe Overnight Parking  
22 Lot, excluding individuals who have accepted an offer of permanent housing and are awaiting  
23 placement, which estimate shall be used to determine the number of Shelter Units, Permanent  
24 Supportive Housing units, and Safe Overnight Parking Lot units that the City is required to open,  
25 lease, fund, or otherwise make available, consistent with Section 118.5. HSH shall calculate the

1 estimate in consultation with the Controller, using the most accurate and current data sources  
2 available, including but not limited to the Telephonic Shelter Referral System, Point-in-Time  
3 Homeless Count, tent counts, and data collected and maintained by HSH and other City departments  
4 reflecting the rate of successful referrals to Shelters, Permanent Supportive Housing, and Safe  
5 Overnight Vehicle Lots among people who are offered such placement, and the rate of successful  
6 referrals to permanent housing.

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8 **SEC. 118.89. IMPLEMENTATION AND EVALUATION.**

9 (a) The Director of HSH may issue rules, regulations, and/or guidelines, applicable to the  
10 Program, consistent with the objectives and requirements of this Chapter 118.

11 (b) To the extent consistent with Charter requirements, the Director of HSH may enter into  
12 contracts or other agreements with other City departments, public agencies, and private entities to aid  
13 in the administration of this Chapter 118.

14 (c) All City officers and entities shall cooperate with the Director of HSH in the  
15 implementation and administration of this Chapter 118.

16 (d) Within two years of the Effective Date and every two years thereafter, the Controller  
17 shall submit to the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors, as well as HSH, a report evaluating the  
18 Program, including but not limited to an assessment of the number of Unsheltered persons served, the  
19 number of Shelter Units made available, the number of Shelter, Permanent Supportive Housing,  
20 and Safe Overnight Parking Lot placements made, the average nightly occupancy rate for each  
21 Shelter, and data showing the number and percentage of exits from Shelters, Permanent Supportive  
22 Housing project, and Safe Overnight Vehicle Lot, that are made to permanent housing, shelter, the  
23 streets, or another location, and any programmatic recommendations, along with a resolution for the  
24 Board to accept for consideration the report.







# City and County of San Francisco

## Tails Ordinance

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

**File Number:** 220281

**Date Passed:** June 14, 2022

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May 12, 2022 Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee - AMENDED

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May 12, 2022 Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee - AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING NEW TITLE

May 12, 2022 Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee - CONTINUED AS AMENDED

May 26, 2022 Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee - RECOMMENDED

June 07, 2022 Board of Supervisors - PASSED ON FIRST READING


Ayes: 11 - Chan, Dorsey, Mandelman, Mar, Melgar, Peskin, Preston, Ronen, Safai, Stefani and Walton


June 14, 2022 Board of Supervisors - FINALLY PASSED


Ayes: 10 - Chan, Dorsey, Mandelman, Mar, Melgar, Peskin, Preston, Ronen, Safai and Walton  
Excused: 1 - Stefani

File No. 220281

I hereby certify that the foregoing  
Ordinance was FINALLY PASSED on  
6/14/2022 by the Board of Supervisors of  
the City and County of San Francisco.

  
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Angela Calvillo  
Clerk of the Board

  
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London N. Breed  
Mayor

  
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Date Approved