

1 [Reports by District Attorney on Proceedings Involving Persons Cited for “Quality of Life”  
2 Offenses.]

3 **Ordinance amending the San Francisco Administrative Code by adding Section 2A.86**  
4 **to require the Chief of Police to provide information to the District Attorney on citations**  
5 **issued for “Quality of Life” offenses and to require the District Attorney to prepare and**  
6 **post on the District Attorney’s website monthly reports showing the outcome of**  
7 **proceedings involving persons cited for these offenses.**

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9 Note: Additions are single-underline italics Times New Roman;  
10 deletions are ~~strikethrough italics Times New Roman~~.  
11 Board amendment additions are double underlined.  
12 Board amendment deletions are ~~strikethrough normal~~.

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

14 Section 1. The San Francisco Administrative Code is hereby amended by adding  
15 Section 2A.86, to read as follows:

16 Sec. 2A.86. Monthly Reports by Chief of Police and the District Attorney.

17 (a) The Chief of Police shall prepare a monthly report that shows the number of citations  
18 issued by the San Francisco Police Department for violations of the offenses set forth in subsection (c).

19 The Chief of Police shall transmit the monthly reports to the District Attorney at such times and  
20 through such means that will enable the District Attorney to post the information required by  
21 subsection (b).

22 (b) The District Attorney shall prepare and post on the District Attorney’s website a  
23 monthly report that shows the following information with respect to each of the offenses set forth in  
24 subsection (c):

25 (i) The number of citations issued by the San Francisco Police Department; and

(ii) The number of citations for which offenders have paid bail; and

1                    (iii) The number of citations for which the Court scheduled a hearing; and

2                    (iv) For those matters for which a hearing is scheduled, (A) the number of times for  
3                    each offense that the District Attorney's Office (or a member of the City Attorney's Office  
4                    pursuant to the District Attorney's delegation) personally appeared and the outcome of those  
5                    hearings (for example, verdicts of guilty or not guilty, dismissal because of a deficiency in the  
6                    citation, dismissal for lack of a written response by the citing officer, and whether the defendant  
7                    participated in a diversion program) and (B) the outcome of hearings when neither the District  
8                    Attorney's Office nor the City Attorney's Office personally appeared.

9                    (c) The laws for which monthly reports are required are: San Francisco Police Code  
10                    Section 21 (consuming alcoholic beverages on public streets, etc.), San Francisco Police Code Section  
11                    25 (remaining on private property or business premises after being asked to leave), San Francisco  
12                    Police Code Section 120-1 (aggressive soliciting), San Francisco Police Code Section 869 (peddling  
13                    goods without a permit), California Penal Code Section 374.3(a) (dumping waste on any street, park or  
14                    right-of-way), San Francisco Park Code Section 3.12 (constructing or maintaining a structure in a  
15                    park that may be used for housing or camping), San Francisco Park Code Section 3.13 (sleeping in a  
16                    park between 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m.), and any laws hereafter enacted that make it unlawful to  
17                    urinate or defecate in public.

18                    (d) The reports that the Chief of Police provides to the District Attorney and those prepared  
19                    and posted by the District Attorney shall not include the name of any defendant.

20                    (e) The Chief of Police, the District Attorney and the Department of Telecommunications  
21                    and Information Services shall cooperate in developing a system so that this report is posted on the  
22                    District Attorney's website within 15 days after the end of each month with information for the previous  
23                    month. Reports shall remain posted for twelve months.

24                    (f) To the extent that the District Attorney is required to obtain information from the San  
25                    Francisco Superior Court to prepare the reports required by this Section, the District Attorney shall

1 request the information from the Court. If the Court declines to provide the information, the District  
2 Attorney shall include in the reports the information that is available to that office and shall provide  
3 written notice to the Board of Supervisors that information from the Court was not available.

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