



# City and County of San Francisco

## Meeting Agenda - Final

### Rules Committee

City Hall  
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

*Members: David Campos, Michela Alioto-Pier, Eric Mar*

*Clerk: Linda Wong (415) 554-7719*

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Thursday, January 21, 2010

10:00 AM

City Hall, Committee Room 263

### Regular Meeting

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*Note: Each item on the Consent or Regular agenda may include the following documents:*

- 1) Legislation*
- 2) Budget Analyst report*
- 3) Legislative Analyst report*
- 4) Department or Agency cover letter and/or report*
- 5) Public correspondence*

*These items will be available for review at City Hall, Room 244, Reception Desk.*

*Each member of the public will be allotted the same maximum number of minutes to speak as set by the Chair at the beginning of each item, excluding City representatives, except that public speakers using translation assistance will be allowed to testify for twice the amount of the public testimony time limit. If simultaneous translation services are used, speakers will be governed by the public testimony time limit applied to speakers not requesting translation assistance. Members of the public who want a document placed on the overhead for display should clearly state such and subsequently remove the document when they want the screen to return to live coverage of the meeting.*

## AGENDA CHANGES

## CONSENT AGENDA

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

1. [100037](#) **[Appointment, Small Business Commission]**  
Hearing to consider appointing one member, term ending January 6, 2014, to the Small Business Commission. (Clerk of the Board)  
  
Vacant seat, succeeding Kathleen Dooley, seat 2, term expired, must be an owner, operator, or officer of a San Francisco small business, for the unexpired portion of a four-year term ending January 6, 2014.  
**Attachments:** [Comm Packet 012110](#)  
  
1/12/10; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Rules Committee.  
  
*1 seat/1 applicant*  
*Kathleen Dooley, seat 1*
  
2. [100038](#) **[Appointments, San Francisco Health Authority]**  
Hearing to consider appointing three members, terms ending January 15, 2012, to the San Francisco Health Authority. (Clerk of the Board)  
  
Vacant seat, succeeding John Gressman, seat 5, must be an employee in the senior management of either private nonprofit community clinics or a community clinic consortium, nominated by the SF Community Clinic Consortium, or any successor organization, for the unexpired portion of a three-year term ending January 15, 2012.  
Vacant seat, succeeding Tracy Faulkner, seat 11, must be a nominee of the Health Authority Beneficiary Advisory Committee, at least one of whom shall at the time of appointment and during the person's term be a Medi-Cal beneficiary for the unexpired portion of a three-year term ending January 15, 2012.  
Vacant seat, succeeding Steve Fields, seat 12, must be a person knowledgeable in matters relating to either traditional safety net providers, health care organizations, the Medi-Cal program, or the activities of the health authority, nominated by the program committee of the health committee, for the unexpired portion of a three-year term ending January 5, 2012.  
**Attachments:** [Comm Packet 012110](#)  
  
1/12/10; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Rules Committee.  
  
*3 seats/3 applicants*  
*John Gressman, seat 5 (Residency Waiver Required)*  
*Tracy Faulkner, seat 11*  
*Steve Fields, seat 12 (Residency Waiver Required)*

## REGULAR AGENDA

3. [091011](#) **[Training Center in the Bayview]**  
**Sponsors: Daly; Mirkarimi, Avalos, Campos and Maxwell**  
Hearing on the GoSolarSF and SolarCity's promise to develop a training center in the Bayview.  
**Attachments:** [Comm Packet 012110](#)  
  
8/11/09; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Rules Committee.  
  
11/5/09; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Lyndon Rive, SolarCity; Barbara Hale, Assistant General Manager, Power, SFPUC; Espanola Jackson; Bruce Wolfe; Fathina Holmes; Male Speaker; Chris Jackson; Eric Brooks, SF Green Party; Jamie Brewster; Janine Carter, Luminalt; Joshua Arce; Emily Winneger, Luminalt.

4. [091432](#) **[Zero Tolerance for Firefighters Drinking on Duty]**  
**Sponsor: Daly**  
Charter Amendment (First Draft) to amend the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco by adding Section 16.126 to make it unlawful for any uniformed member of the Fire Department to consume an alcoholic beverage while on duty, and making violation grounds for dismissal and a misdemeanor.

**Attachments:** [Comm Packet 012110](#)

12/15/09; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

5. [091433](#) **[Reducing Employer Retirement Benefit Costs]**  
**Sponsor: Elsbernd**  
Charter Amendment (First Draft) to amend the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco by amending Sections A8.409-5, A8.506, A8.506-2, A8.506-3, A8.510, A8.590-4 and A8.590-5, and by adding Sections A8.432-1, A8.600 to A8.600-14, A8.601 to A8.601-16 and A8.602 to A8.602-16, to: prohibit the City and County from paying any required employee contributions to the San Francisco Employees' Retirement System or the California Public Employees' Retirement System; require the difference between the City and County's contribution to SFERS set by the Retirement Board each year and the employer normal cost rate to be deposited into either the Retiree Health Care Trust Fund, Retirement System Trust Fund, or both, the allocation to be determined jointly by the Controller, Treasurer and Retirement System Executive Director; establish an employee contribution rate of nine percent for all employees hired after June 8, 2010, who become members of the California Public Employees' Retirement System; require all contracts with CalPERS for persons hired after June 8, 2010, to include a three-year formula for the calculation of final compensation to the fullest extent possible; create a new retirement plan for miscellaneous officers and employees hired after June 8, 2010, that modifies the average final compensation calculation from a one-year formula to a three-year formula; and create new retirement plans for safety members hired after June 8, 2010, that increase required employee retirement contributions to nine percent and modify the average final compensation calculation from a one-year formula to a three-year formula.

**Attachments:** [Legislation\\_Ver1](#)

[Comm Packet 012110](#)

12/15/09; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

6. [091434](#) **[Setting Transit Operator Wages and Benefits Solely Through Collective Bargaining]**  
**Sponsor: Elsbernd**  
Charter Amendment (First Draft) to amend the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco by amending Sections 8A.104, A8.409-1, A8.409-4 and A8.428 and deleting Section A8.404 of the Charter to eliminate the formula setting a floor for transit operator wages and providing that wages and benefits for transit operators shall be set through collective bargaining and that any impasse in collective bargaining shall be resolved through interest arbitration.

**Attachments:** [091434 v1](#)

[Comm Packet 012110](#)

12/15/09; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

7. [091429](#) **[Establishing Film Commission, its Membership, Qualifications, and Powers]**  
**Sponsor: Alioto-Pier**  
Charter Amendment (First Draft) to amend the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco by adding Section 5.107 to establish a Film Commission, establish its membership and qualifications, establish duties, and provide for the issuance of film permits.  
**Attachments:** [Legislation Ver1](#)  
[Comm Packet 012110](#)

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## ADJOURNMENT

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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*Any written comments should be sent to: Committee Clerk of the Rules Committee, San Francisco Board of Supervisors, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244, San Francisco, CA 94102 by 5:00 p.m. on the day prior to the hearing. Comments which cannot be delivered to the committee clerk by that time may be taken directly to the hearing at the location above.*

## LEGISLATION UNDER THE 30-DAY RULE

### (Not to be considered at this meeting)

*Rule 5.40 provides that when an ordinance or resolution is introduced which would CREATE OR REVISE MAJOR CITY POLICY, the committee to which the legislation is assigned shall not consider the legislation until at least thirty days after the date of introduction. The provisions of this rule shall not apply to the routine operations of the departments of the City or when a legal time limit controls the hearing timing. In general, the rule shall not apply to hearings to consider subject matter when no legislation has been presented, nor shall the rule apply to resolutions which simply URGE action to be taken.*

*There are no items currently pending under the 30 day rule.*

## Meeting Procedures

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