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[Initiative Ordinance - Business and Tax Regulations and Administrative Codes - Hotel Tax Allocations]

Motion ordering submitted to the voters at an election to be held on November 6, 2018, an Ordinance amending the Business and Tax Regulations Code and Administrative Code to allocate a portion of hotel tax revenues for arts and cultural purposes and remove obsolete provisions; and affirming the Planning Department's determination under the California Environmental Quality Act.

MOVED, That the Planning Department has determined that the actions contemplated in this ordinance comply with the California Environmental Quality Act (California Public Resources Code Sections 21000 et seq.). Said determination is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 180122 and is incorporated herein by reference. The Board affirms this determination; and be it further

MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby submits the following ordinance to the voters of the City and County of San Francisco, at an election to be held on November 6, 2018.

Ordinance amending the Business and Tax Regulations Code and Administrative Code to allocate a portion of hotel tax revenues for arts and cultural purposes and remove obsolete provisions; and affirming the Planning Department's determination under the California Environmental Quality Act.

Unchanged Code text and uncodified text are in plain font.

Additions to Codes are in <u>single-underline italics Times New Roman font</u>.

Deletions to Codes are in <u>strikethrough italics Times New Roman font</u>.

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

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

Section 1. Pursuant to Articles XIII A and XIII C of the Constitution of the State of California, this ordinance shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the City and County of San Francisco at the November 6, 2018, consolidated general election.

Section 2. The Business and Tax Regulations Code is hereby amended by revising Section 515.01 and deleting Section 515.2, to read as follows:

SEC. 515.01. HOTEL TAX ALLOCATIONS.

- (a) <u>The portion of all</u>All monies collected pursuant to the tax imposed by Section 502 of this Article <u>7 representing a tax of 1.5%, including any penalties, interest, and fees related to such 1.5% tax</u> ("<u>Allocable</u> Hotel Tax Revenues"), shall be deposited to the credit of <u>a fund to be known</u> as the Hotel Room Tax Fund, <u>established in Administrative Code Section 10.100-80</u>, and shall be allocated <u>asfor the purposes</u> specified in <u>subsections</u> (b) <u>andin the amounts prescribed in Subsection</u> (c).
- (b) <u>Subject to subsection (c), the The</u> monies <u>in the Hotel Room Tax Fundallocated pursuant to</u>

 this Section shall be appropriated to the following departments and used solely for the following

 purposes as follows:
- (1) Allocation Number 1 (Grants for the Arts Convention Facilities): \$16,300,000 to the City Administrator to distribute to nonprofit cultural organizations in the City, including any administrative costs associated with this grant-making process. To the City Administrator for Base Rental and Additional Rental as provided for and defined in the Project Lease, as amended, between the City and the Successor Agency to the Redevelopment Agency of the City and County of San Francisco, for the acquisition, construction, and financing of a convention center within the Yerba Buena Center Redevelopment Project Area, and for all expenses reasonably related to operation,

maintenance, and improvement of the Moscone Convention Center. Any unexpended balance remaining in Allocation Number 1 at the close of any fiscal year shall be deemed to be provided for a specific purpose within the meaning of Section 9.113 of the Charter and shall be carried forward and accumulated in said allocation for the purposes recited herein.

- (2) Allocation Number 2 (Cultural Equity Endowment): \$5,800,000 for programs that move San Francisco arts funding toward cultural equity. Any unexpended balance remaining in Allocation Number 2 at the close of any fiscal year shall be deemed to be provided for a specific purpose within the meaning of Section 9.113 of the Charter and shall be carried forward and accumulated in said allocation for the purposes recited herein (Administration): To the Tax Collector for administration of the provisions of this Article.
- (3) Allocation Number 3 (Cultural Centers): \$3,300,000 to the Arts Commission to support the operation, maintenance, and programming of City-owned community cultural centers to assure that these cultural centers remain open and accessible and remain vital contributors to the cultural life of the City. Any unexpended balance remaining in Allocation Number 3 at the close of any fiscal year shall be deemed to be provided for a specific purpose within the meaning of Section 9.113 of the Charter and shall be carried forward and accumulated in said allocation for the purposes recited herein. (Refunds): To the Tax Collector for refunds of any overpayment of the tax imposed under this Article.
- (4) Allocation Number 4 (Additional Arts and Culture Funding Enhancement):

 \$6,600,000 to support enhanced funding for arts and cultural programs, including but not limited to supplemental funding for Allocation Number 1 (Grants for the Arts), Allocation Number 2 (Cultural Equity Endowment), and Allocation Number 3 (Cultural Centers), and funding for Cultural Districts in the City's neighborhoods. Allocations for Cultural Districts shall be used solely to address the effects of destabilization on residents and businesses in the City's Cultural Districts. For purposes of this Section 515.01, "Cultural District" means a geographic area designated by the Board of Supervisors,

by ordinance, as an area that embodies a unique cultural heritage or contains a concentration of historically or culturally significant arts, services, or businesses. Any unexpended balance remaining in Allocation Number 4 at the close of any fiscal year shall be deemed to be provided for a specific purpose within the meaning of Section 9.113 of the Charter and shall be carried forward and accumulated in said allocation for the purposes recited herein (Publicity/Advertising): To the City Administrator for publicity and advertising purposes pursuant to the provisions of Section 3.104 of the Charter.

- (5) Allocation Number 5 (Refunds): All amounts necessary to the Tax Collector for refunds of any overpayment of the 1.5% portion of the tax imposed under Section 502, including any related penalties, interest, and fees.
- (6) (Balance to General Fund): After the specific purpose allocations and accumulations required by this Section 515.01(b), as adjusted under Section 515.01(c), all remaining revenues shall be transferred to the General Fund, to be expended for any purposes of the City.
- (c) <u>The amounts described in subsections (b)(1) through (b)(4) as Allocation Numbers 1, 2, 3, and 4, shall be subject to the following adjustments:</u>
- (1) Fiscal Year 2018-2019 Adjustment: For fiscal year 2018-2019, each amount in subsections (b)(1) through (b)(4) shall be half of the amount stated.
- (2) Annual Adjustment: Commencing in fiscal year 2019-2020, subject to subsection (c)(3), each amount in subsections (b)(1) through (b)(4) shall be adjusted annually by the percentage increase or decrease in Allocable Hotel Tax Revenues collected in the current fiscal year compared with the prior fiscal year; provided, however, that such percentage increase or decrease shall not exceed 10% annually.
- (3) Grants for the Arts and Cultural Equity Endowment: For fiscal years 2019-2020 and 2020-2021, one-half of the amount of the adjustment to Allocation Number 1 (Grants for the Arts)

under subsection (c)(2) due to any increase in Allocable Hotel Tax Revenues shall be allocated instead to Allocation Number 2 (Cultural Equity Endowment).

(d) Commencing with a report filed no later than February 15, 2020, covering the fiscal year ending on June 30, 2019, the Controller shall file annually with the Board of Supervisors, by February 15 of each year, a report containing the amount of monies collected in and expended from the Hotel Room Tax Fund during the prior fiscal year, the status of any project required or authorized to be funded by this Section 515.01, and such other information as the Controller, in the Controller's sole discretion, shall deem relevant to the operation of this Section 515.01.

Each allocation for a purpose described in Subsection (b) shall be in the amount prescribed in the table below.

Allocation No.	Amount
1. Moscone Convention Center	50%
2. Administration	<i>Up to .6%</i>
3. Refunds of Overpayments	<u>As required</u>
4. Publicity & Advertising	As appropriated
5. To General Fund	Remainder

Percentages shall be calculated based on the total amount collected pursuant to the tax imposed by Section 502 of this Article.

SEC. 515.2. CALCULATION OF PERCENTAGE ALLOCATIONS UNDER SECTION 515.01.

(a) Notwithstanding Section 515.01 of this Article, the total amount to be allocated under Section 515.01 for each fiscal year shall be reduced by the amount of principal and interest (exclusive of any bond reserve payments) due and payable for that fiscal year on any outstanding agency bonds, as defined in Section 502.8(c) hereof.

(b) This Section 515.2 shall remain in effect so long as Section 502.8 of this Article remains in effect.

Section 3. The Administrative Code is hereby amended by adding Section 10.100-80, to read as follows:

SEC. 10.100-80. HOTEL ROOM TAX FUND.

- (a) Establishment of Fund. The Hotel Room Tax Fund ("Fund") is established as a category four fund as defined in Section 10.100-1 of the Administrative Code, and shall receive all taxes, penalties, interest, and fees described in Section 515.01(a) of Article 7 of the Business and Tax Regulations Code.
- (b) Use of Fund. Subject to the budgetary and fiscal provisions of the Charter, monies in the Fund shall be used exclusively for the purposes described in Section 515.01(b) of Article 7 of the Business and Tax Regulations Code.
- (c) Administration of Fund. As stated in Section 515.01(d) of Article 7 of the Business and Tax Regulations Code, commencing with a report filed no later than February 15, 2020, covering the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019, the Controller shall file annually with the Board of Supervisors, by February 15 of each year, a report containing the amount of monies collected in and expended from the Fund during the prior fiscal year, the status of any project required or authorized to be funded by Section 515.01, and such other information as the Controller, in the Controller's sole discretion, shall deem relevant to the operation of Section 515.01.

Section 4. Scope of Ordinance. In enacting this ordinance, the People of the City and County of San Francisco intend to amend only those words, phrases, paragraphs, subsections, sections, articles, numbers, punctuation marks, charts, diagrams, or any other constituent parts of the Municipal Code that are explicitly shown in this ordinance as additions

or deletions, in accordance with the "Note" that appears under the official title of the ordinance.

Section 5. Severability. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this ordinance, or any application thereof to any person or circumstance, is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a decision of a court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions or applications of the ordinance. The People of the City and County of San Francisco hereby declare that they would have passed this ordinance and each and every section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, and word not declared invalid or unconstitutional without regard to whether any other portion of this ordinance or application thereof would be subsequently declared invalid or unconstitutional.

Section 6. Effective and Operative Dates. The effective date of this ordinance shall be ten days after the date the official vote count is declared by the Board of Supervisors. This ordinance shall become operative on January 1, 2019. The 50% adjustment for fiscal year 2018-2019 provided in Section 515.01(c)(1) of the Business and Tax Regulations Code takes into account the mid-fiscal year operative date of this ordinance.

APPROVED AS TO FORM.

DENNIS J. HERRERA, City Attorney

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Deputy City Attorney

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

LEGISLATIVE DIGEST

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Existing Law

The City currently imposes a hotel tax on the rental of hotel rooms. The tax is 14%, consisting of an 8% base tax and an additional 6% tax surcharge. The tax goes into the General Fund, and the Board of Supervisors may allocate the money for any public purpose.

Amendments to Current Law

This ordinance would subject 1.5% of the 8% base tax to specific allocation, and the remaining 6.5% of the 8% base tax would continue to go into the General Fund. Hotel tax revenues from the 1.5% portion of the base tax would be allocated for arts and cultural purposes, as follows:

- Allocation 1: \$16,300,000 to distribute to nonprofit cultural organizations in the City, including any administrative costs associated with the grant-making process;
- Allocation 2: \$5,800,000 for programs that move San Francisco arts funding toward cultural equity;
- Allocation 3: \$3,300,000 to the Arts Commission to support the operation, maintenance, and programming of City-owned community cultural centers; and
- Allocation 4: \$6,600,000 to support enhanced funding for arts and cultural programs, including but not limited to supplemental funding for the three categories described above, and funding for cultural districts in the City.

Amounts for fiscal year 2018-2019 would be halved to take into account the January 1, 2019 operative date for this ordinance. Additionally, commencing in fiscal year 2019-2020, the amounts allocated for each purpose would be adjusted annually by the percentage increase or decrease in revenues from the 1.5% portion of the base tax, compared to the prior fiscal year. For fiscal years 2019-2020 and 2020-2021, one-half of the annual adjustment for Allocation 1 due to an increase in revenues would be allocated instead to Allocation 2. After all specific allocations have been made, any remaining revenues from the 1.5% portion of the base tax would go into the General Fund to be used for any City purpose.

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OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER

CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

Ben Rosenfield Controller Todd Rydstrom Deputy Controller

Ms. Angela Calvillo Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place Room 244 San Francisco, CA 94102-4689 July 3, 2018

RE: File 180122 - Ordinance amending the Business Tax & Regulations Code - Hotel tax allocations

Dear Ms. Calvillo,

Should the proposed amendment be approved by the voters, in my opinion, it would have a significant impact on the cost of government. The measure dedicates a portion of the City's hotel tax revenue which is currently available for any public purpose to specific arts and cultural services. As these funds are shifted to these purposes, they would not be available to support other City spending.

The hotel tax currently generates approximately \$370 million that is available for any governmental purpose. The proposed amendment would allocate approximately eight percent of hotel tax to specified arts and cultural services. The City currently allocates General Fund revenues to many of these same purposes. When compared to these current spending levels, funds allocated to the uses specified in the amendment would grow by approximately \$5 million in fiscal year (FY) 2018-19, increasing to approximately \$13 million in FY 2021-22.

As these funds are shifted to these purposes, they would not be available to support other City spending. This shift includes approximately \$5 million annually from the City's general discretionary budget and approximately \$8 million from funding requirements previously adopted by the voters for public transit, youth services, libraries, schools, and other services.

Sincerely,

Ben Rosenfield



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February 12, 2018

File No. 180122

Lisa Gibson Environmental Review Officer Planning Department 1650 Mission Street, Suite 400 San Francisco, CA 94103

Dear Ms. Gibson:

On January 30, 2018, Supervisor Tang introduced legislation for the following proposed Initiative Ordinance for the November 6, 2018, Election:

File No. 180122

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This legislation is being transmitted to you for environmental review.

Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board

Find By: Linda Wong, Assistant Clerk
Budget and Finance Committee

Attachment

c: Joy Navarrete, Environmental Planner Laura Lynch, Environmental Planner

Not defined as a project under CEQA Sections 15378 and 15060(c)(2) because it does not result in a physical change in the environment.

Joy Navarrete 02/16/18



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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Ben Rosenfield, City Controller, Office of the Controller

FROM:

Linda Wong, Assistant Clerk, Budget and Finance Committee

Board of Supervisors

DATE:

February 12, 2018

SUBJECT:

INITIATIVE ORDINANCE INTRODUCED

November 6, 2018 Election

The Board of Supervisors' Budget and Finance Committee has received the following Initiative Ordinance for the November 6, 2018, Election, introduced by Supervisor Tang on January 30, 2018. This matter is being referred to you in accordance with Rules of Order 2.22.4.

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Please review and prepare a financial analysis of the proposed measure prior to the first Budget and Finance Committee hearing.

If you have any questions or concerns, please call me at (415) 554-7711 or email: linda.wong@sfgov.org. To submit documentation, please forward to me at the Board of Supervisors, City Hall, Room 244, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102.

c: Todd Rydstrom, Deputy City Controller Peg Stevenson, City Performance Director



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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Regina Dick-Endrizzi, Director

Small Business Commission, City Hall, Room 448

FROM:

Linda Wong, Assistant Clerk
Budget and Finance Committee

DATE:

February 12, 2018

SUBJECT:

REFERRAL FROM BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Budget and Finance Committee

The Board of Supervisors' Budget and Finance Committee has received the following legislation, which is being referred to the Small Business Commission for comment and recommendation. The Commission may provide any response it deems appropriate within 12 days from the date of this referral.

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Please return this cover sheet with the Commission's response to me at the Board of Supervisors, City Hall, Room 244, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102.

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RESPONSE FROM SMALL BUSINESS COMMISSION - Date:	
No Comment	
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Chairperson, Small Business Commission



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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Mawuli Tugbenyoh, Liaison to the Board of Supervisors, Mayor's Office

Jon Givner, Deputy City Attorney, Office of the City Attorney

John Arntz, Director, Department of Elections

LeeAnn Pelham, Executive Director, Ethics Commission

Naomi Kelly, City Administrator, Office of the City Administrator Jose Cisneros, Treasurer, Office of the Treasurer & Tax Collector Tom DeCaigny, Director of Cultural Affairs, Arts Commission

Susan Pontious, Director of Public Art Program, Arts Commission

FROM:

Linda Wong, Assistant Clerk, Budget and Finance Committee

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Please review and submit any reports or comments you wish to be included with the legislative file.

If you have any questions or concerns, please call me at (415) 554-7711 or email: linda.wong@sfgov.org. To submit documentation, please forward to me at the Board of Supervisors, City Hall, Room 244, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102.

c: Shahde Tavakoli, Mayor's Office
Kyle Kundert, Ethics Commission
Lynn Khaw, Office of the City Administrator
Lihmeei Leu, Office of the City Administrator
Amanda Kahn Fried, Office of the Treasurer & Tax Collector
Rebekah Krell, Arts Commission
Sharon Page Ritchie, Arts Commission

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By a Member of the Board of Supervisors or the Mayor

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