

City and County of San Francisco Meeting Agenda

City Hall
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San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

Health and Human Services Committee

Members: Supervisors Chris Daly, Mark Leno and Sophie Maxwell

Clerk: Linda Laws

Thursday, March 21, 2002

1:00 PM

City Hall, Room 263

Regular Meeting

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.

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. 020130 [Grant - Landscape Management Outreach Partnership]

Resolution authorizing the Department of the Environment to accept and expend a grant in the amount of \$16,250 from the California Integrated Waste Management Board for a compost tea demonstration project and seminars on resource efficient landscaping for the Recreation and Park Department. (Environment)

1/30/02, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Health and Human Services Committee.

2. 020181 [Grant for indigent patients at the San Francisco General Hospital Trauma Center and improve the hospital trauma registry]

Resolution authorizing the San Francisco Department of Public Health, San Francisco County EMS Agency (SFDPH) to accept retroactively and expend a one year grant in the amount of \$912,440 from the California Emergency Medical Services Authority (CEMSA) to support the Trauma Center at San Francisco General Hospital and to enter into an agreement for the use of these funds; for the period of July 1, 2001 to June 30, 2002. (Public Health Department)

2/19/02, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Health and Human Services Committee. Department requests this item be calendared at the March 7, 2002 meeting.

3. 020182 [Study of HIV prevention costs and services]

Resolution authorizing the San Francisco Department of Public Health (SFDPH) to enter retroactively into an agreement in the amount of \$72,500 with The Regents of the University of California San Francisco (UCSF), the primary contractor, for the HIV Prevention Planning Collaborative Allocation Tool project under a one year award from the DHHS Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC); for the period of September 30, 2001 to September 29, 2002. (Public Health Department)

2/19/02, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Health and Human Services Committee. Department requests this item be calendared at the March 7, 2002 meeting.

4. 020245 [Executive Nurse Fellows Program]

Resolution authorizing the San Francisco Department of Public Health, Laguna Honda Hospital & Rehabilitation Center (SFDPH, LHH) to enter retroactively into an agreement with The Regents of the University of California San Francisco (UCSF), the primary contractor, and expend funds in the amount of \$45,000 for the conduct of the "Robert Wood Johnson Executive Nurse Fellows Program"; for the period of July 1, 2001 to May 31, 2004. (Public Health Department)

2/19/02, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Health and Human Services Committee. Department requests this item be calendared at the March 21, 2002 meeting.

REGULAR AGENDA

5. 011575 [Rent Ordinance Amendments]

Supervisor Daly

Draft ordinance amending the Rent Ordinance (Administrative Code Chapter 37, Residential Rent Stabilization and Arbitration Ordinance) by amending Sections 37.9B and 37.10A to provide additional protections to tenants, and to conform to state law regarding misdemeanor violations, as follows: (1) Require the Rent Board to record owner move-in eviction notices with the County Recorder; (2) Require any eviction notice to be in writing and filed with the Rent Board; (3) Subject vacated units to the future use restrictions stated in the Rent Ordinance, regardless of any agreement made between the landlord and the vacating tenant; (4) Require a tenant to be represented by independent counsel in a judicially supervised settlement agreement, in order to waive any tenant rights under the Rent Ordinance; (5) Prohibit settlement agreement clauses that bar an evicted tenant from cooperation with a governmental investigation or proceeding; (6) Require the seller of a property to give written notice to the buyer disclosing the reason for the most recent termination of tenancy for every residential unit to be delivered vacant at the close of escrow; and (7) Conform misdemeanor provisions to state law (\$1,000 fine plus possible imprisonment in County Jail for up to six months).

8/27/01, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Housing, Transportation and Land Use Committee. 2/1/02, TRANSFERRED to Health and Human Services Committee. New committee structure.

6. 011817 [DHS Unemployment Programs and Workers Assistance]

Supervisors Daly, Sandoval

Hearing to discuss ways that Department of Human Services can assist our City's workers.

10/9/01, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Audit, Labor and Government Efficiency Committee. 1/28/02, TRANSFERRED to Health and Human Services Committee. new committee structure, 2/1/02. 2/21/02, CONTINUED. Continued to 3/21/02. Speakers: None.

7. 020171 [Impact of Unemployment in the Latino Community]

Supervisors Daly, Sandoval, Gonzalez

Hearing to consider the disproportionate impact of unemployment in the Latino community.

1/28/02, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Transportation and Commerce Committee. 2/6/02, TRANSFERRED to Health and Human Services Committee. 2/21/02, CONTINUED. Continued to 3/21/02. Speakers: None.

8. 020220 [Budget - Aging and Adult Services]

Supervisor Daly

Hearing to discuss Fiscal Year 2002-2003 budget for Aging and Adult Services. In Fiscal Year 2001-2002, this department was appropriated \$27,760,257, of which \$4,476,007 came from the City's General Fund.

2/4/02, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Health and Human Services Committee.

ADJOURNMENT

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LEGISLATION UNDER THE 30-DAY RULE

(Not to be considered at this meeting)

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020343 [Residential Hotel Visitor Policies]

Supervisor Daly

Ordinance amending Administrative Code Chapter 41D "Residential Hotel Visitor Policies" to allow operators of residential hotels to adopt Supplemental Visitor Policies in addition to the Uniform Visitor Policy for Residential Hotels, upon approval of the San Francisco Residential Rent Stabilization and Arbitration Board (Rent Board), providing that the Rent Board may amend the Uniform Visitor Policy from time to time, and providing for hotel occupants to petition the Rent Board for hearing and rent reduction for violation of Chapter 41D; amending Administrative Code Section 37.6 and adding Section 37.13 to authorize the Rent Board to effectuate the provisions of Chapter 41D; and, amending Police Code Section 919.1 to provide that imposition or collection of a charge for a visitor or restriction of a visitor in violation of Section 919.1 is (in addition to any available civil remedies), an infraction.

2/25/02, ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Health and Human Services Committee, expires on 3/27/2002.

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