



# City and County of San Francisco

## Meeting Agenda

### Rules Committee

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

*Members: Jane Kim, Mark Farrell, David Campos*

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

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Thursday, February 16, 2012

1:30 PM

City Hall, Committee Room 263

### Regular Meeting

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## AGENDA CHANGES

## REGULAR AGENDA

- 111163**     **[Establishing a Balboa Park Station Community Advisory Committee]**  
**Sponsor: Avalos**  
Resolution establishing a Balboa Park Station Area Plan Community Advisory Committee to provide input and community oversight relating to area transportation and other public improvements.

**Attachments:** [Legislation Ver1](#)  
[Legislation Ver2](#)  
[Comm Packet 021612](#)

10/25/11; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Rules Committee.

11/1/11; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. To MTA, TA and Planning Department for comment and recommendation.

2/7/12; SUBSTITUTED AND ASSIGNED to the Rules Committee.
- 111189**     **[Administrative Code - Right to Counsel in Civil Matters]**  
**Sponsors: Chiu; Kim, Wiener and Olague**  
Ordinance amending the San Francisco Administrative Code by adding Article 58, Sections 58.1 through 58.3 to: 1) declare San Francisco to be a Right to Civil Counsel City; and 2) declare the intent of the Board of Supervisors to create a one-year San Francisco Right to Civil Counsel pilot program.

**Attachments:** [Legislation Ver1](#)  
[Legislative Digest Ver1](#)  
[Comm Packet 021612](#)

11/1/11; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

3. [120121](#) **[Appointments, Small Business Commission]**  
Hearing to consider appointing two members, terms ending January 6, 2016, to the Small Business Commission. (Clerk of the Board)
- Vacant seat 1, succeeding Michael O'Connor, 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, 2016.
- Vacant seat 3, succeeding Janet Clyde, 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, 2016.
- Attachments:** [Comm Packet 021612](#)
- 2/7/12; ASSIGNED to the Rules Committee.
- 2 seats/ 7 applicants*  
*Pete Mulvihill, seats 1, 3*  
*Monetta White, seats 1, 3*  
*Mario West, seats 1, 3*  
*Richard Ventura, seats 1, 3*  
*Forest Gray, seats 1, 3*  
*William Ortiz-Cartagena, seats 1, 3*  
*Henry Karnilowicz, seats 1, 3*
4. [120065](#) **[Appointment, Pedestrian Safety Advisory Committee]**  
Hearing to consider appointing one member, term ending March 28, 2014, to the Pedestrian Safety Advisory Committee. (Clerk of the Board)
- Vacant seat 8, succeeding Dahianna Lopez, resigned, must be a representative from a public health organization, for the unexpired portion of a two-year term ending March 28, 2014.
- Attachments:** [Comm Packet 021612](#)
- 1/25/12; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Rules Committee.
- 1 seat/ 1 applicant*  
*Abigail Evans, seat 8*
5. [111179](#) **[Appointment, Public Utilities Revenue Bond Oversight Committee]**  
Hearing to consider appointing one member, term ending November 12, 2015, to the Public Utilities Revenue Bond Oversight Committee. (Clerk of the Board)
- Vacant seat 1, succeeding Brian Browne, term expired, must have expertise, skills and experience in economics, the environment, construction or project management, for a four-year term ending November 12, 2015.
- Attachments:** [Comm Packet 021612](#)
- 10/26/11; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Rules Committee.
- 1 seat/ 3 applicants*  
*Joseph Sheehy, seat 1*  
*Karen Donovan, seat 1*  
*Raymond Quesada, seat 1*

6. [111079](#) **[Administrative Code - Additional Pre-Approval Notice for Certain City Projects]**  
**Sponsor: Farrell**  
Ordinance amending the San Francisco Administrative Code by adding Chapter 79A to expand upon the minimum notice requirements prior to approval of a City project that are mandated by the Citizens' Right-to-Know Act of 1998.

**Attachments:** [Legislation Ver1](#)  
[111079 Leg Digest.DOC](#)  
[Comm Packet 120811](#)  
[Legislation Ver2](#)  
[Comm Packet 021612](#)

10/4/11; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

12/8/11; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: None.

1/10/12; SUBSTITUTED AND ASSIGNED to the Rules Committee.

7. [111277](#) **[Campaign and Governmental Conduct Code - Certification of Supervisorial Candidates' Eligibility for Public Financing in 2012]**  
**Sponsor: Cohen**  
Ordinance amending the San Francisco Campaign and Governmental Conduct Code Section 1.142 to delay the certification of 2012 supervisorial candidates seeking public financing until the Redistricting Task Force completes its revision of supervisorial district boundaries.

**Attachments:** [Legislation Ver1](#)  
[Comm Packet 021612](#)

11/22/11; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

12/20/11; TRANSFERRED to the Rules Committee.

2/8/12; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. To the Ethics Commission for comment and recommendation.

## ADJOURNMENT

## LEGISLATION UNDER THE 30-DAY RULE

*NOTE: The following legislation will not be considered at this meeting. Board 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.*

### 120020

#### **[Initiative Ordinance - Campaign & Governmental Conduct, Municipal Elections Codes - Improving Public Financing of Elections]**

**Sponsors: Campos; Avalos and Kim**

Motion ordering submitted to the voters an ordinance authorizing the amendment of the Campaign and Governmental Conduct Code and Municipal Elections Code to adjust expenditure ceilings in the public financing program in response to the U.S. Supreme Court ruling in Arizona Free Enterprise v. Bennett, adjust public financing deadlines and thresholds, and advance candidate filing deadlines, at an election to be held on June 5, 2012.

**Attachments:** [Legislation Ver1](#)

[Legislative Digest Ver1](#)

1/10/12; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

### 120048

#### **[Health Code - Food Security Task Force]**

**Sponsor: Mar**

Ordinance amending the San Francisco Health Code Sections 470.1 and 470.2 to: 1) extend the sunset provisions of the Food Security Task Force to January 30, 2015; 2) change the agencies and organizations from which members are appointed; 3) increase the number of members; and 4) making findings including environmental findings.

1/24/12; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

### Agenda Item Information

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

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

These items will be available for review at City Hall, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244, Reception Desk.

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