

1 [Authorizing Preparation of Proponent Ballot Arguments and Rebuttal Ballot Arguments for  
2 Submittal to the Voters at the June 5, 2018, Consolidated Primary Election]

3 **Motion authorizing preparation of written Proponent ballot arguments and rebuttal**  
4 **ballot arguments for submittal to the voters at the June 5, 2018, Consolidated Primary**  
5 **Election.**

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7 WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors wishes to authorize the listed Board Member(s)  
8 supporting the following ballot measure(s) to prepare and submit a written proponent ballot  
9 argument(s) and proponent rebuttal ballot argument(s) for submittal to the Director of  
10 Elections:

- 11       ▪ Charter Amendment (First Draft) to amend the Charter of the City and County of  
12       San Francisco to provide that appointed members of boards and commissions  
13       under the Charter forfeit their offices upon filing a declaration of candidacy for state  
14       or local elective office; at an election to be held on June 5, 2018. (Board File No.  
15       171306) (Supervisor Peskin)
- 16       ▪ Charter Amendment (Third Draft) to amend the Charter of the City and County of  
17       San Francisco to authorize the Public Utilities Commission to issue revenue bonds  
18       for power facilities when approved by ordinance receiving a two-thirds vote of the  
19       Board of Supervisors, and to clarify the scope of the Commission's bond authority  
20       with regard to the City's water and clean water utilities; at an election to be held on  
21       June 5, 2018. (Board File No. 171308) (Supervisor Peskin)
- 22       ▪ Initiative ordinance submitted by four or more Supervisors to the voters at the June  
23       5, 2018, Election, entitled "Ordinance amending the Business and Tax Regulations  
24       Code and Administrative Code to impose an additional tax of 1.7% on the gross  
25       receipts from the lease of commercial space in the City, to fund low- and middle-

1 income housing and homelessness services and the General Fund; exempting from  
2 the additional tax rents from productions, distribution, and repair uses, retail sales  
3 and services uses, entertainment, arts and recreation uses, and nonprofit uses; and  
4 increasing the City's appropriations limit by the amount collected under the new tax  
5 for four years from June 5, 2018." (Board File No. 180075) (Supervisor Safai)

6 WHEREAS, The Board Member(s) authorized by this Motion to submit the ballot  
7 arguments will submit the proponent argument to the Director of Elections no later than the  
8 deadline of noon, March 15, 2018, and the respective rebuttal ballot argument no later than  
9 noon, March 19, 2018; now, therefore, be it

10 MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Board Member(s) listed  
11 above, under the provisions of Elections Code, Sections 530 and 550, to prepare and submit  
12 written proponent ballot arguments and respective rebuttal ballot arguments on the listed  
13 measures; and, be it

14 FURTHER MOVED, That the Board Member(s) who are authorized by this Motion to  
15 prepare and submit arguments, may authorize or assign to any other person(s) under the  
16 provisions of Elections Code, Sections 530 and 550(c) and (d), the right to prepare and submit  
17 the proponent's ballot arguments and/or respective rebuttal arguments.