

LEGISLATIVE DIGEST

[Planning Code, Zoning Map - Central South of Market Special Use District]

Ordinance amending the Zoning Map of the Planning Code to create the Central South of Market (SoMa) Special Use District and make other amendments to the Height and Bulk District Maps and Zoning Use District Maps consistent with the Central SoMa Area Plan, encompassing an area generally bounded on its western portion by Sixth Street, on its eastern portion by Second Street, on its northern portion by the border of the Downtown Plan Area (an irregular border that generally jogs along Folsom, Howard and Stevenson Streets), and on its southern portion by Townsend Street; affirming the Planning Department's determination under the California Environmental Quality Act; and making findings of consistency with the General Plan, and the eight priority policies of Planning Code, Section 101.1.

Existing Law

Currently, Zoning Use District Maps ZN01 and ZN08, Height and Bulk District Maps HT01 and HT08, and Special Use District Maps SU01 and SU08 reflect zoning districts, bulk and height controls and controls for the Western SoMa Special Use District.

Amendments to Current Law

The ordinance would amend Zoning Use District Maps ZN01 and ZN08, Height and Bulk District Maps HT01 and HT08, and Special Use District Maps SU01 and SU08 to create the Central SoMa Special Use District and the Central SoMa Mixed Use Office zoning district, and to make other amendments consistent with the Central SoMa Area Plan.

Background Information

The proposed ordinance is intended to be considered in conjunction with an ordinance to amend the Administrative Code and the Planning Code, and an ordinance to amend the General Plan, pursuant to the Central SoMa Plan.

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