



## MEMORANDUM

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California Department of Public Health

FROM: Victor Young, Assistant Clerk 

DATE: November 24, 2025

SUBJECT: LEGISLATION INTRODUCED

The Board of Supervisors' Rules Committee received the following proposed Ordinance:

File No. 251120

Hearing to discuss the United States (U.S.) Navy's failure to promptly disclose the detection of airborne plutonium at the Hunter's Point Shipyard; to obtain full disclosure, ensure accountability, and protect the Bayview-Hunter's Point community as well as provide every document, every test result, and every explanation for this failure, and to outline what protections, if any, were in place during the eleven months the public was kept in the dark; the Navy identified contamination in November 2024 but did not report it to the City and County of San Francisco until October 2025, raising serious concerns about transparency, public health, and trust in federal oversight; and requesting the U.S. Navy, Environmental Protection Agency, California Department of Public Health, and the San Francisco Department of Public Health to report.

If you have comments or reports to be included with the file, please forward them to Victor Young at the Board of Supervisors, City Hall, Room 244, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102 or by email at: [victor.young@sfgov.org](mailto:victor.young@sfgov.org).

(attachment)

c. Dr. Naveena Bobba, Public Health

Sneha Patil, Public Health  
Ana Validzic, Public Health



# **City and County of San Francisco**

## **Master Report**

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**File Number:** 251120      **File Type:** Hearing      **Status:** Pending Committee Action

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## Effective:

**Version: 1**

## **In Control:** Rules Committee

**File Name:** Hearing - Airborne Plutonium at Hunters Point Shipyard and Delayed Reporting from the U.S. Navy

**Date Introduced:** 11/04/2025

**Requester:**

### Cost:

### Final Action:

**Comment:**

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**Sponsor:** Walton

History of Legislative File 251120

Ver	Acting Body	Date	Action	Sent To	Due Date	Result
1	President	11/04/2025	RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED	Rules Committee		

## Introduction Form

(by a Member of the Board of Supervisors or the Mayor)

I hereby submit the following item for introduction (select only one):

- 1. For reference to Committee (Ordinance, Resolution, Motion or Charter Amendment)
- 2. Request for next printed agenda (For Adoption Without Committee Reference)  
*(Routine, non-controversial and/or commendatory matters only)*
- 3. Request for Hearing on a subject matter at Committee
- 4. Request for Letter beginning with "Supervisor"  inquires..."
- 5. City Attorney Request
- 6. Call File No.  from Committee.
- 7. Budget and Legislative Analyst Request (attached written Motion)
- 8. Substitute Legislation File No.
- 9. Reactivate File No.
- 10. Topic submitted for Mayoral Appearance before the Board on

The proposed legislation should be forwarded to the following (please check all appropriate boxes):

- Small Business Commission
- Youth Commission
- Ethics Commission
- Planning Commission
- Building Inspection Commission
- Human Resources Department

General Plan Referral sent to the Planning Department (proposed legislation subject to Charter 4.105 & Admin 2A.53):

- Yes
- No

*(Note: For Imperative Agenda items (a Resolution not on the printed agenda), use the Imperative Agenda Form.)*

Sponsor(s):

Walton

Subject:

Airborne Plutonium at Hunters Point Shipyard and Delayed Reporting From the US Navy

Long Title or text listed:

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Signature of Sponsoring Supervisor:  /s/ Shamann Walton

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**To:** [BOS Legislation, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Cc:** [Ho, Calvin \(BOS\)](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** D10 - Walton - Hearing on US Navy  
**Date:** Tuesday, November 4, 2025 4:28:13 PM  
**Attachments:** [Walton - Intro - US Navy Hearing.pdf](#)

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Good afternoon Clerk Team and Calvin,

Attached is Supervisor Walton's hearing request on the U.S. Navy and the failure to disclose detection of airborne plutonium at Hunter's Point Shipyard. We are respectfully requesting this hearing to be assigned to the Rules Committee.

Thank you,  
Natalie

**Natalie Gee** 朱凱勤, Legislative Aide

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**Subject:** RE: D10 - Walton - Hearing on US Navy  
**Date:** Thursday, November 6, 2025 12:11:49 PM  
**Attachments:** [image001.png](#)

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Hi Lisa,

Here is the contacts for CDP. Please let me know if you need anything else. Thank you.

- Office of the Director, Erica Pan ([Erica.Pan@cdph.ca.gov](mailto:Erica.Pan@cdph.ca.gov))
- Deputy Director for Legislative and Governmental Affairs Maral Farsi ([Maral.farsi@cdph.ca.gov](mailto:Maral.farsi@cdph.ca.gov))

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Thank you.

**Lisa Lew**

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**Subject:** RE: D10 - Walton - Hearing on US Navy  
**Date:** Wednesday, November 5, 2025 11:25:55 AM  
**Attachments:** [image001.png](#)

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Thank you Jocelyn. Confirmed subject hearing and departments are correct. Here are the contacts for each department:

- United States Navy: [michael.j.pound.civ@us.navy.mil](mailto:michael.j.pound.civ@us.navy.mil); Janda, Danielle L CIV USN (USA) [danielle.l.janda.civ@us.navy.mil](mailto:danielle.l.janda.civ@us.navy.mil)
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- California Department of Public Health -- pending

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**Subject:** RE: D10 - Walton - Hearing on US Navy

Hi Natalie,

Please review and confirm the titles for the subject hearing and the department(s) to report are accurate and correct:

**[Hearing - Airborne Plutonium at Hunters Point Shipyard and Delayed Reporting from the U.S. Navy]**

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Looping in Lindsey to help with gathering contact info. We'll get back to you by tomorrow.

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We'll assign this to Rules. Thank you!

**Calvin Ho** (he/they)

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