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Hi Supervisors,

I enthusiastically support Ordinance file # 200951 to amend the Administrative Code to require the Department of Public Health to provide administrative staff to support the Behavioral Health Commission, along with other code changes. Ever since I read the article in the June 5, 2020 SF Examiner about Supervisor Stefani's resignation from the BHC after calling for an investigation of alleged financial mismanagement, I have supported her efforts to address her concerns through amending the Administrative Code. Indeed, I contacted her with additional concerns that I had about a non-profit corporation staffing a City commission and also receiving City funds for that service that are kept in a private bank account which has never been audited. I look forward to learning the results of that investigation to see if additional legislation is necessary to correct loopholes in contracting with a non-profit.

Sincerely,

Nancy Wuerfel