



November 28, 2021

Supervisor Preston, Supervisor Peskin and Supervisor Melgar  
Land Use Committee, San Francisco Board of Supervisors  
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, City Hall, Room 244  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

Re: HVNA support of 10-A Sheriff's Services

Dear Mayor Breed and Board of Supervisors,

The Hayes Valley Neighborhood Association (HVNA) wishes to express our strongest support for the ordinance 10-A Sheriff's Services, which will allow Deputy Sheriffs to increase services in San Francisco deterring crime, making arrests on location and taking pressure off the police department by adding law enforcement services at specific locations.

Hayes Valley is facing an unprecedented increase in crime, and has an active Public Safety group which strongly supports this legislation. We believe that current demand by private entities cannot be filled by the police department, which is already stretched thin. Deputy Sheriffs are fully trained peace officers with all powers of arrest. The Sheriff's Office has full resources from Investigators, K-9s, Emergency Service Unit, and a Special Response Team. We understand the Sheriff and Police Chief are in support of this legislation.

We believe this legislation will help our community and our City by increasing the number of peace officers available to keep the peace and protect citizens.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Jennifer Laska in black ink.

Jennifer Laska  
President  
Hayes Valley Neighborhood Association

Handwritten signature of Lloyd Silverstein in black ink.

Lloyd Silverstein  
Chair, Merchant Group

Handwritten signature of Barbara Early in black ink.

Barbara Early  
Corresponding Secretary

Handwritten signature of Robert Barnwell in black ink.

Robert Barnwell  
Public Safety Committee

cc: Mayor London Breed, Board of Supervisors  
Victor Young, Kyle Smealie, Jen Snyder, DeAnthony Jones, HVNA Board

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