

**From:** [Somera, Alisa \(BOS\)](#)  
**To:** [BOS Legislation, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** FW: Blair Beekman. Thursday, December 23, 2021....Special emergency meeting.  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 10:30:58 PM

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For today's file

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**Subject:** Blair Beekman. Thursday, December 23, 2021....Special emergency meeting.

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Dear city & community of SF,

It seems clear, at this time, that San Jose, Oakland, Berkeley, San Francisco, are all being asked, to work with, new Federal govt. auspices. And to amp up, new law enforcement, more surveillance technology. and data collection practices. In return, it seems, it is up to our local bay area communities, to start to bring together, our better ideas, of reimagine, equity and health & human services, at this time,

Thank you, this item can be brought back, Jan. 4. To follow its line of thinking. this item, may need to be bifurcated, into two separate parts. A public health component, and one of law enforcement. These two, separate components, need to be spoken about, publicly & clearly, Jan. 4. Part 1, can be ideas, of simple, police, investigative work, to ask future drug sellers, to not sell their drugs, with such a strong fentanyl cut. This can be a community effort, with good community oversight.

And then, with Part 2, lets hope, we are on the way, to learn how to better develop, simple public health & shelter needs, for people of the Tenderloin. These are ideas, all Brd. of Supervisors, talked about, with a lot of care, tonight. Thank you. From tonight, I've learned, we don't have to criminalize, everyday drug addicts at all.

To also mention, what may be, a part of the public health concerns, of this item I hope, that it is actual, and that we can continually, openly remind each other, this winter, that even with the public health concerns, of Omicron on the rise - it will not be as severe, as the previous, Delta variant.

And remember, with new federal mandates, coming down, it is a time, we can help better define autonomy, for Bay Area communities, with good, local interpretations, of reimagine, equity, health & human services ideas, open public polices, and accountability.

sincerely,  
blair beekman

**From:** [Somera, Alisa \(BOS\)](#)  
**To:** [BOS Legislation, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** FW: Hearing on Mayor's TL Emergency Plan - a Town Hall?  
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**Subject:** Hearing on Mayor's TL Emergency Plan - a Town Hall?

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Dear Members of the Board of Supervisors,

I know there will be many people contacting you today with many ways to deal with the situation in the Tenderloin. We know police enforcing the “sit and lie” ordinance or any removal and incarceration of unhoused people and those addicted to drugs is not a solution.

But there is a need for people of the TL to come together, discuss the issues and come to solutions they can agree on.

I am suggesting an **Emergency Town Hall Meeting of residents of the TL**: families, seniors and people with disabilities, unhoused people, those addicted to drugs, people living in the SROs and apartments; a meeting called by the TL Supervisor Haney and/or Board President Walton. Let each other hear all sides of the situation and come to solutions together. People from the Mayor’s office, pertinent City agencies (HSH, DPH, DEM, DAS, police and sheriff departments, etc.) can be present to listen, and provide information as needed, but the meeting would be led by TL residents and groups with the goal of reaching consensus on a just, equitable and caring solution.

Thank you for reading,

Betty Traynor  
Friends of Boeddeker Park  
Resident of the Western Addition/District 5

**From:** [Somera, Alisa \(BOS\)](#)  
**To:** [BOS Legislation, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** FW: Mayor's Tenderloin Emergency Declaration  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:55:07 PM

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**Sent:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:49 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors, (BOS) <board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org>  
**Subject:** Mayor's Tenderloin Emergency Declaration

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Board of Supervisors:

We strongly oppose a police response that criminalizes homelessness, addiction, and mental health crises. SFPD should always be a last resort and only when responding to violent crime. We call on the Mayor and Board of Supervisors to release Prop C funds for low barrier, easy access mental health and substance use services and reduce the current barriers to shelter and housing, so service providers can quickly get people who are on the streets safely housed in the many available units that still sit vacant.

Our police officers need our help to achieve long term stabilization for our most vulnerable neighbors. Service providers know what works - Crisis interventions, treatment on demand, re-entry support services, stabilization, and mobile case management -- these services are critical to maintaining a safer Tenderloin for all residents.

Thank you.

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*Larkin Street's mission is to create a continuum of services that inspires youth to move beyond the street. We will nurture potential, promote dignity, and support bold steps by all. We acknowledge that we live and work on the unceded ancestral homeland of the [Ramaytush Ohlone peoples](#), who are the original inhabitants of the San Francisco Peninsula.*

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**From:** [Izzy Ullmann](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** In opposition to Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 10:51:48 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 7, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Instead of an expensive police crackdown, the Mayor should move forward on spending the \$100 million of unspent Prop. C housing funds, which would result in over 2,000 housing placements, currently available to be spent by the Mayor.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Izzy Ullmann  
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**From:** [Adrienne Fong](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing Mayor Breed's Emergency Proclamation!!!  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 11:10:05 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 2, in Supervisor Stefani's district, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Each week as I go through the TL, ever since the 'pandemic' and the 'shelter-in-place', I've seen an increase of houselessness, especially of Black, Brown and poor people increase. Mayor Breed's proclamation does not get to the root cause of this issue. Yes, the TL has always had problems, but not at the extent it is now.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 11:16:54 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District **7** and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you,

Leticia Arce, District 7 Resident

**From:** [Jessica Smolinski](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Stop criminalizing the unhoused  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 11:17:22 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 6, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Jessica Smolinski

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**From:** [Ben Bell](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 11:18:28 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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**From:** [Richard Max Gavrich](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
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Dear Supervisors:

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

R. Max Gavrich

*District 8*

**From:** [Linda Crane](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Breed's proclamation is an open invitation for corruption and abuse  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 11:25:28 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of the Tenderloin and person of color, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab without any concrete plans that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We need solutions based in empathy. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Urban Alchemy's daytime presence is one example of a way the TL has become cleaner and safer during the day. It currently takes the police 30+ minutes to respond to break-ins at night, long after the criminal gangs may be gone and they are gangs coming in multiple vehicles, or if they are still on premises, as happened at 2pm in my building 3 months ago, the police did not go into the building's rear yard or onto the roof, nor did they approach the 2 vehicles with engines running out front who were waiting for the criminals. This proclamation and the police actions appear to be more about inflaming communities and attempting to recall our DA because he doesn't agree with their tactics.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Linda Crane

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Dear Supervisors:

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Aaron Goodwin

District 4

**From:** [Leslie Mullin](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 11:48:49 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 1, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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**From:** [deborah garfinkle](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care not cops  
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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District VI, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Dr. Deborah Garfinkle  
District VI

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**From:** [Kristen Acosta](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 11:52:15 AM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Kristen Acosta

Kristen Acosta  
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**From:** [Linda Ray](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Real crime prevention  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 11:57:21 AM

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The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment. We need to stand up to the hysteria and move forward to the longer but eventually more fruitful solutions to crime and substance abuse.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

Linda Ray  
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**From:** [Ellen Nadeau](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Vote NO on the Mayor's Emergency Ordinance  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:02:54 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Hello,

I am a resident of District 5, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) today.

The Emergency Ordinance would allow the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. Where is safety for ALL? We have seen time and time again that cops don't keep us safe. We should instead focus our resources on addressing basic needs. We should be funding sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

I implore you to oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Ellen Nadeau  
Resident of District 5

Ellen Nadeau  
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**From:** [Marti Deans](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Vote NO on Local Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:04:18 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 10, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Marti Deans  
District 10

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**From:** [Matt Tom](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Tenderloin  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:09:11 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am uncomfortable with the plan in place. If there's no housing or care workers in place then it just adds funding or justification for funding for programs that have historically not resolved issues here. At a bare minimum a continuance should be requested until there's clear programs tagged for the work suggested.

I am a resident of D4.

Matt Tom  
District 4

Matt Tom  
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**From:** [Nancy Elizabeth Keiler](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Mayors ordinance  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:09:18 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Nancy E Keiler

[YOUR #9 DISTRICT]

Nancy Elizabeth Keiler

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**From:** [Pearl Ubungen](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** JUST SAY NO TO THE MAYOR'S STATE of EMERGENCY  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:10:48 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District One and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. The Mayor has neglected to relate with the situation in the Tenderloin and now wants to do a smash and grab of her own. Please do not let this happen!!!!

Send a strong message to the Mayor that is for the people and for solutions that are thoughtful, compassionate and humane.

Thank you!

Pearl Ubungen  
District One

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**From:** [Selby Schwartz](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** I stand with my neighbors in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:12:27 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I live in Lower Nob Hill (District 3); the people who live in the Tenderloin are my next-door neighbors. For that reason, I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

I think we all know that there are serious problems in the Tenderloin. People are struggling with homelessness, poverty, addiction, and mental health. But the Mayor's plan to CRIMINALIZE people who are experiencing this struggles is exactly the wrong approach. We don't need more police--we need more social services and supportive housing.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Sincerely,  
Selby Wynn Schwartz  
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Selby Schwartz  
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San Francisco, California 94109



**From:** [Chance Kinney](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** More cops in the Tenderloin is not a long-term solution  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:13:57 PM

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Dear Supervisors,

I live in District 10 and work in District 2, and I would like to express concern about Mayor Breed's emergency ordinance relating to conditions in the Tenderloin.

Certainly, the Tenderloin as it is now constitutes an emergency - folks are living and dying on the streets, housed neighbors don't feel safe (imagine how our unhoused neighbors feel!), and stolen goods and drugs are being sold openly.

My concern is that this emergency ordinance seems to center a greater police presence in the Tenderloin. The result of this can only be more folks cycling in and out of jails and prisons, causing further trauma and making it more difficult for folks to find stability in their lives - especially when this city doesn't do enough to provide the long-term, supportive housing needed to make that possible in the first place.

My concern is that, once again, the city will turn to futile, short-term reactionary measures in response to a political climate that has started to shift away from abolition and the defunding of SFPD. However you feel about either movement, I hope we can agree that history has concretely demonstrated that SFPD presence has at minimum harmed as much as it's helped, and ultimately has little, if any, place in a plan that results in a lasting solution.

Let's respond to this emergency, but let's do it with compassion - with a real pathway to housing, and affordable supportive housing in the quantities needed to make it possible. It's the only solution to what we're seeing on our streets, and anything else, including this emergency ordinance, strikes me as political posturing. Appreciate your attention and time, and I hope you'll not support Mayor Breed's emergency ordinance today.

Best,  
Chance Kinney  
District 10

**From:** [Nadav Savio](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care not criminalization!  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:16:09 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

In 2021 there is no good reason to criminalize our brothers and sisters who need the care a just society would provide. It isn't right and it doesn't work.

I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Nadav Savio  
Product Director, Raheem.org

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**From:** [Abigail Schott-Rosenfield](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** No New Tenderloin Cops!  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:17:39 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 5 and a member of the West Side Tenants Association. I am joining dozens of organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

Simply throwing more police presence at public health problems--addiction, mental illness, poverty--is not the answer!

Instead of this ordinance, we should focus our resources on sustainable solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Abigail Schott-Rosenfield  
District 5

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**From:** [Sandi Lam Harder](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:22:58 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 4 and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) today.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Sandi Harder

District 4

**From:** [Zina Goodall](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:26:47 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 8, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a **massive power grab** that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you,

Zina Goodall  
District 8

**From:** [Vivian Zhang](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:29:17 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Vivian Zhang  
District 10

Vivian Zhang  
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San Francisco, California 94107

**From:** [Don Misumi](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Oppose Mayor Breed's emergency declaration!  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:36:30 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 1, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Don Misumi  
D1 resident and member of  
Richmond District Rising

Sent from my iPhone

**From:** [Keith Hardaway](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Tenderloin Emergency  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:36:57 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Keith Hardaway  
District 5

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San Francisco, California 94115



**From:** [Kathe Buruck](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:48:53 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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**From:** [Ruby Welsh Ferreyra](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing Mayor Breed's Emergency Order  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:59:38 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 3, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

I was very glad to see that Mayor Breed was offering help for people in the Tenderloin, but was devastated to see that the "help" in question was in the form of increased police presence. The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

As someone who lives near the Tenderloin and frequently interacts with the residents of the community, this order will not effectively address the problems faced by these people. Increasing policing in the Tenderloin will endanger members of our community who are already in an especially vulnerable position, and will ultimately not solve the very serious issues of addiction and overdose in our community. The solution to this problem lies not in the criminalization of addiction, but rather in harm reduction policies and services for those affected.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Ruby Welsh Ferreyra  
District 3

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**From:** [Paul Paul Aguilar](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** COMPASSION NOT COPS!  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:05:32 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 9, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, The San Francisco Principle's and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

As a fourth generation native San Franciscan, I remember a city that responded with care and compassion during one of, if not the worst pandemics in recent history, the AIDS pandemic. And, as a long term survivor of AIDS these past 33 years I'll not stand by and say nothing while this mayor establishes policies that will only serve to further traumatize a population that had been traumatized over and over and over again. Compassion is what's needed here, not more cops! We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Paul A. Aguilar  
Chair, HIV Caucus Harvey Milk Democratic Club  
Co-Chair, Policy & Education Team, HIV Advocacy Network  
District 9

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**From:** [cindy changar](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care not Cops. Homes, not jail, for the unhoused.  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:07:48 PM

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I am a resident of District 10, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Cindy Changar  
Dist 10

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San Francisco, California 94124

**From:** [Tony C](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** VOTE NO on Mayor's Proclamation of Local Emergency, File No. 211320  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:08:29 PM

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I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to VOTE NO on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter.

We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

You must oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

Tony C  
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San Francisco, California 94107

**From:** [Serena D](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:13:38 PM

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Dear Supervisors,

I am a resident of District 6 and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

As someone who has been forced to call 911 for a mental health emergency because no other resources were available because we do not fund them, to horrendous results that have caused lasting trauma for both myself and the person who needed help, I know that police can and do add immense volatility to situations that are already unstable. Vulnerable people do not need more police to surveil, jail, and punish them; they need care and resources from their government and their community.

The SFPD cannot be allowed to siphon funds that the people of San Francisco have made clear they want to be used to house, feed, and care for our neighbors.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Serena McNair

District 6

**From:** [Andrew Szeto](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:18:34 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 7, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Andrew Szeto  
District 7 and a restaurant worker

Andrew Szeto  
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San Francisco, California 94122

**From:** [Sheila Tully](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Please vote no today on this emergency "plan"  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:26:14 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 1. I also am a former psychiatric nurse who worked at the former French Hospital, Langley Porter Institute in San Francisco and the former Choep Hospital in San Mateo County. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) today.

I witnessed first hand what happened to patients as treatment and services for substance abusers and the mentally ill were slashed in the 1980s. I knew that writing in my nurses notes "patient discharged with all belongings" to the streets was not a real discharge plan. Over time, it became very clear that indeed, cuts to social services for the most vulnerable were examples of gross negligence. This is why I am no longer working as an RN.

The Mayor's proposed Emergency Ordinance is an opportunistic power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, reviving the racist drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. Policing is no substitute for an investment in public health and community services. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

We can do better than this.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Sheila R. Tully Ph.D.  
District 1



**From:** [Martha Larsen](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:32:38 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 1, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Martha Larsen

Connie Chan's district 30th Ave

*Give us bread, but give us roses too.* [Slogan of women woolen mill workers -Bread and Roses Strike, Lawrence, MA 1912.]

*But when the melancholy fit shall fall. . . Then glut thy sorrow on a morning rose.* - John Keats.

**From:** [JAM C](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:35:54 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

My name is Jam and I am a resident of District 4. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

As a public health provider who works with community members from the Tenderloin, we urgently need a strategic response to the overdose crisis based on tried and true public health measures, including overdose prevention sites, accessible housing, drug decriminalization, and more. Law enforcement (and its implicit violence, anti-Blackness, selective enforcement) has no role in this response, only escalating the overdose crisis by further marginalizing those without resources.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Jam

District 4

**From:** [Michael Rouppet](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:40:09 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Michael Rouppet  
District 9

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San Francisco , California 94110

**From:** [Ellen Yoshitsugu](#)  
**To:** [Ellen Yoshitsugu](#)  
**Cc:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** public comment on Mayor Breed's emergency ordinance  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:41:50 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 7, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition, SF Gray Panthers and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Ellen Yoshitsugu

Retired SFUSD science teacher at Thurgood Marshall and Balboa high schools, UESF member, mother, grandmother, SF voter and taxpayer since 1978, resident of D7

**From:** [Langford Poh](#)  
**To:** [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:43:52 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 8, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday. The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Langford Julian Poh  
Resident of District 8

**From:** [Laurie Jones Neighbors](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:44:33 PM

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Dear Supervisors,

My name is Laurie Jones Neighbors and I'm a San Francisco resident of District 8. Though I'm a member of the Sunshine Ordinance Task Force, I'm writing to you today on my own behalf only.

Around this time last year, I met with most of you or with your staff members to talk about the necessity of open, transparent government for the healthy functioning of a democracy in our city. Now, more than ever, many residents have good reasons to distrust city department employees and public officials to be open and honest. The Mayor's Emergency Proclamation, as you know, reduces the checks and balances to which the Mayor's Office is subject, checks and balances that are necessary to ensure that public decisions are made in full public view.

While I hope that you do not support the Mayor's call of a State of Emergency -- for reasons I'm sure you will here in detail from GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations -- if you decide otherwise, please include a strong message to the Mayor's office that during this State of Emergency records regarding their public decision making must be maintained, at a minimum through the maintenance of detailed daily calendars that include meeting topics, attendee names, and meeting locations. Ideally, a State of Emergency should include the provision that such records are made public in real time without request, and certainly without the need to file a complaint months after the fact. If such records are not maintained and shared, there should be real consequences for those who do not comply, no matter their standing.

This type of information -- whom the Mayor is meeting with, when, and on what topic -- is critical to those who are caretaking our city's democratic process and fighting against the criminalization of folks struggling with addiction and mental health crises, a group that I hope you would consider yourself a part of. I know in talking with you all last year that many of you find the work of maintaining and producing calendar records exhausting. Yet, you consistently comply with this legal requirement. Please make sure that the public has access to this level of detail from the Mayor's Office should you decide to support the declaration of a state of emergency in the Tenderloin.

Sincerely,  
Laurie Jones Neighbors  
District 8

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**Laurie Jones Neighbors**

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**From:** [stevie](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** NO on the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:46:26 PM

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Dear supervisors,

I am a born-and-raised San Franciscan joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) today.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

The plan purports to "take back the tenderloin"--but from whom, and for whom? People living, vending, & otherwise existing on the street are no less a part of the "community" than are the people whose lives, businesses, & business is enclosed within walls. Criminalizing people makes "the streets" much less safe for them. Framing safety in the Tenderloin as a battle between housed kids on one side and poor people, drug users, unhoused people (including kids), disabled people, and trans & queer people is dangerous and false.

We do not need & do not want more police, more criminalization, or more violence against our poor & unhoused communities. Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

stevie

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**From:** [Petra Nelken](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:48:05 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 3, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Petra Nelken

District 3

**From:** [Mica Jarmel-Schneider](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:49:47 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 8, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

We all care about public safety and making sure all Tenderloin residents, including families, are safe. Unfortunately this will not make them more safe. Instead, this increase in police presence in the TL will disproportionately impact Black & brown unhoused community members who, due to lack of dignified housing options, are forced to live out their private lives in public space.

Please, use the nearly \$110 million in unspent Prop. C funding for behavioral health treatment programs, seek alternatives that will BETTER the lives of all Tenderloin Residents. We know the situation is dire, but Mayor Breed's plan is punishment without any solution. We need solutions, we need safe injection sites, more treatment beds, more housing options. More money for the police is an act of war against the people of the Tenderloin, not the solution.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Joshua

District 8 Resident

**From:** [Aliza Theis](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** From a teacher, please reconsider emergency proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:51:19 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Aliza Theis

Aliza Theis  
act912@mail.harvard.edu

San Francisco, California 94110

**From:** [Nora Boyd](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Address the ROOT CAUSES of homelessness, not the symptoms!  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:52:46 PM

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I am a resident of District 3 [Nob Hill], and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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She ran on a progressive platform, and pledged to support community calls to defund the police and FUND community resources; this cannot stand!

Nora Boyd  
Resident of district 3

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**From:** [Itai Farhi](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Tenderloin Ordinance: Homelessness is Not a Crime!  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:58:59 PM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Itai Farhi  
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**From:** [Nicole Gluckstern](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Regarding Mayor London Breed's "Proclamation of Local Emergency"  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:58:59 PM

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There is little doubt that there is an emergency happening in the Tenderloin, and throughout San Francisco. That emergency is called COVID-19. It's called the criminalization of poverty. It's called removing access to public space and then criminalizing the unhoused for daring to sit down. It's defunding projects and initiatives built to assist those in need and remove barriers to accessing services and especially housing. It's years of systematically stealing and destroying the personal possessions of our most vulnerable populations and shuffling them from block to block. "Out of sight out of mind" might as well be the motto for these incessant sweeps that not only serve to compound human suffering but are clear violations of human rights laws and personal property laws.

With a majority of San Francisco voters, I voted yes on Prop C, in order to earmark that money specifically to addressing this emergency, and I'm writing today to demand that that money be used for the purposes it was intended. Fund CART. Fund SIP hotels and low-and-no income housing for the unhoused. Fund safe-injection zones and also drug treatment and rehab programs. Stop conflating homelessness with drug abuse and criminal activity. Transition away from treating congregate shelters, over-policing, DPW sweeps, and the systematic removal/defunding of public services as the only solutions to homelessness. These have been the methods we've been trying for decades. They clearly don't work, they never worked, they never will work. Those methods are exactly what have brought us to this moment, and this crisis.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Nicole Gluckstern  
District 9

Nicole Gluckstern  
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San Francisco, California 94110

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**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Tenderloin Ordinance: Homelessness is Not a Crime!  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:58:59 PM

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**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Regarding Mayor London Breed's "Proclamation of Local Emergency"  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:59:08 PM

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**From:** [mbmhello@gmail.com](mailto:mbmhello@gmail.com)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Jail  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:00:40 PM

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[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

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**From:** [Eva Donjacour Donjacour](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Support healing not policing  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:03:59 PM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

Dear Supervisor Melgar,

I am a resident of District 7, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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I am mental health provider in the tenderloin and I have an obligation to speak up against this ordinance as it goes against my code of ethics as a social worker. I am committed to living the principles of social justice and the dignity and worth of every person (NASW code of ethics). The extreme pain and suffering caused by the illness of addiction must be addressed and I believe throwing people in jail is not the healing individuals or communities need. Invest in CART, recovery programs, housing, education, and the arts. I believe these among so many other positive interventions will make a longer and more positive impact on the neighborhood than increasing police.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Eva Donjacour (They/Them) MSW, ASW  
District 7

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**From:** [Marria Evbuoma](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#)  
**Cc:** [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:10:51 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a former resident of District 1 and currently work in District 10, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Thank you!

In Kindness,

Marria Evbuoma

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**From:** [oneida\\_arevalo](mailto:oneida_arevalo)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** AARON PESKIN  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:11:09 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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**From:** [oneida\\_arevalo](mailto:oneida_arevalo)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** SHAMANN WALTON  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:14:36 PM

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**From:** [blair\\_sandler](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** The emergency is gentrification, luxury housing and developer control of SF  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:23:07 PM

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[YOUR NAME]

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**From:** [Andrea Weever](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Mayor Breed's decree  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:36:18 PM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you.

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**From:** [Andrea Weever](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
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**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:36:20 PM

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**From:** [Nisha Masharani](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:40:39 PM

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Dear Supervisors -

I am a resident of District 2, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. The Mayor's proposal to massively expand police presence in San Francisco is regressive and harmful to those who are already underserved and overpoliced. Drug war policing tactics have been shown to increase the violence of the drug trade. It also cuts against the promises Mayor Breed made to divest from law enforcement in the wake of the police murder of George Floyd.

There is absolutely no evidence that cops/prisons improve public safety or save lives, especially relative to other cheaper and more effective alternatives. Instead of an expensive police crackdown, the Mayor and board of supervisors should invest in prevention, decriminalization, and treatment of substance abuse. The Mayor should also move forward on spending the \$100 million of unspent Prop. C housing funds, which would result in over 2,000 housing placements, currently available to be spent by the Mayor.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.  
Thank you!

Nisha Masharani  
District 2

**From:** [Andre Torrez](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Tenderloin SOE: Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:43:59 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Andre Torrez  
District 6 resident

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**From:** [Nick DeRenzi](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care First not Surveillance, cages and cops  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:45:43 PM

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Nick DeRenzi  
District 1 Resident

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San Francisco, California 94118

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**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care First not Surveillance, cages and cops  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:45:44 PM

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**From:** [Allison Dimase](#)  
**To:** [Ronen, Hillary](#)  
**Cc:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Please Vote No on Emergency Proclamation on Drug Use in Tenderloin  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:47:12 PM

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My name is Allison and I currently live in district 9 but I previously lived in the Tenderloin for five years.

I'm asking the board to vote no on the mayor's emergency proclamation.

I don't understand why the mayor has suddenly decided to increase policing in our communities after we called on both her and you to decrease policing in the city.

The mayors office says this won't increase policing. I don't believe her.

She recently deployed a slew of officers to Union Square to protect property. Now she wants more officers in the tenderloin to terrorize people into no longer needing to use substances.

In each case, the mayor is not addressing the root causes of these issues and is instead subjecting our communities to the police which creates significant harm. Just one month ago, they shot a man who was having a PTSD crisis. The police should not be dealing with mental health or substance issues.

There is absolutely no justification for voting yes on this plan.

Thank you,

Allison DiMase  
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San Francisco, CA 94110

**From:** [Marnie Regen](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Mayor's Tenderloin Emergency Declaration  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:49:16 PM

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Board of Supervisors:

We strongly oppose a police response that criminalizes homelessness, addiction, and mental health crises. SFPD should always be a last resort and only when responding to violent crime. We call on the Mayor and Board of Supervisors to release Prop C funds for low barrier, easy access mental health and substance use services and reduce the current barriers to shelter and housing, so service providers can quickly get people who are on the streets safely housed in the many available units that still sit vacant.

Our police officers need our help to achieve long term stabilization for our most vulnerable neighbors. Service providers know what works - Crisis interventions, treatment on demand, re-entry support services, stabilization, and mobile case management -- these services are critical to maintaining a safer Tenderloin for all residents.

Thank you.

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*Larkin Street's mission is to create a continuum of services that inspires youth to move beyond the street. We will nurture potential, promote dignity, and support bold steps by all. We acknowledge that we live and work on the unceded ancestral homeland of the [Ramaytush Ohlone peoples](#), who are the original inhabitants of the San Francisco Peninsula.*

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**From:** [Stephanie Doi](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Will you oppose the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation?  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 3:01:08 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 1, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Stephanie Doi  
Resident of District 1

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**From:** [Zoe Kelman](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 3:03:38 PM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Zoe Kelman and Steve Shinn  
DISTRICT 1

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**From:** [Lily Epstein](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 3:09:04 PM

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Dear Supervisors,

I am a resident of District 5, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320).

I've been listening to the Board of Supervisors' meeting, and I have even less confidence in how the police plan to intervene than ever. It does not make sense to have such a heavy police presence instead of public services. Based on the conversation, it doesn't seem like William Scott understands that mental health and having a lack of support structures are not a criminal offense.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Lily Epstein  
District 5

**From:** [Brandon Anderson](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care not cops in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 3:09:29 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

Brandon Anderson  
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**From:** [Maddie Dolan](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** OPPOSE MAYOR BREED'S TENDERLOIN PLAN  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 3:23:54 PM

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Dear Supervisors:  
I am a resident of District 5.

I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please please please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Best,  
Madelyn Dolan

**From:** [kate\\_voshell](mailto:kate_voshell)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** "War on Drugs" policies are a failure  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 3:44:08 PM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Kate Voshell  
District 6

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**From:** [Kyle Ortega](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 4:11:58 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of the Richmond District, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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There are more than enough resources to advocate for a healthier tenderloin area. the fact that their have been no action taken towards the creation and implementation of these services to create housing, homeless services, and creation mental health services. This declaration takes the point away from helping and directly hurts the residents of the tenderloin, and will have lasting effects on the greater sf area. I urge all board members to work on other avenues of healing this emergency of homelessness and drug overdose. This is an emergency that police and new jails will never solve.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Kyle Ortega

Richmond District



**From:** [Jiali Yao](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** No on the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 4:19:19 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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For example, SIP hotels stopped in June of 2021 and the demand for the program is still huge. The city should open these opportunities up and give people on the streets actual places to go rather than spending the fund on police when most of them doesn't even wear mask during this pandemic.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Jiali Yao

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**From:** [Gabriella Holme](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** NO To Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 4:33:00 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 9, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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We need to divest from police funding and INVEST in our communities. We know how to make this happen, through providing resources to help our most vulnerable. Police are not equipped to handle the community healing needed, they will only further traumatize and displace people without ever addressing the fundamental issues at hand.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Gabriella Holme  
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**From:** [Andrew Dai](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 4:35:47 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 9, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!  
Andrew Dai  
District 9

**From:** [THRYN CORNELL](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** CARE NOT COPS  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 4:53:28 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District Westside Tenants Association, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

THRYN CORNELL  
DISTRICT 6

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**From:** [Judy Jiajing Wang](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** VOTE NO on Mayor"s emergency ordinance declaration  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 4:56:45 PM

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Hi Supervisors,

I'm Judy and I live in District 5. I urge you to vote no on the Mayor's emergency ordinance declaration because the Mayor cannot be trusted with the power to "take back the Tenderloin." It was clear to me the moment she rejected the Board's vote to house our 8000+ homeless in SIP hotels that Mayor Breed does not care about the well-being of the City's most vulnerable. She also has repeatedly said and acted upon expanding police power and presence, resulting in major sweeps that have made it more difficult for people to sleep comfortably or live with dignity. As the weather gets colder and the rainy conditions worsen and COVID spreads faster, it is absolutely SHAMEFUL for the City to expand the powers of the Mayor to continue to enact violence in the Tenderloin. Please vote NO for the sake of human lives and dignity.

Thank you,  
Judy

**From:** [Demetria Huntsman](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care Not Cops  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 5:07:00 PM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

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**From:** [Shayna Fertig](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please vote no  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 5:39:29 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 8, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Shayna Fertig  
District 8

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San Francisco, California 94110

**From:** [Jennie Renn](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 5:59:14 PM

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As a social worker who works at a community mental health agency in San Francisco, I feel very strongly that this Emergency Ordinance will be harmful to the community in more ways than we can foresee. It is image-driven, and is a misuse of funds that should be reinvested in community, not used to dehumanize and criminalize San Francisco residents who use drugs and don't have housing (some of whom are my clients).

It is a the antithesis to the civil rights progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, trauma services, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Jennie Renn, MSW  
District 5

Jennie Renn  
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**From:** [Jennie Renn](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 5:59:17 PM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Jennie Renn, MSW  
District 5

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**From:** [Jeanne Peabody](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors. \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors. \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** I oppose the mayors emergency proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 6:11:43 PM

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Please supervise!!!! the mayor!!!! do not police houselessness!!!! Please represent your constituents! Address underlying causes!!!

My name is Jeanne and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday. The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment. Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!  
Jeanne Peabody  
District 3

**From:** [Richard Sullivan](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Care not cops  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 6:20:59 PM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of District [XX], and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

Richard Sullivan  
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55 Laguna St Apt 223  
San Francisco, California 94102

**From:** [Liam M](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Real Solutions for the Tenderloin, Not Criminalization  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 6:47:07 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 9, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Liam M  
District 9

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**From:** [Walter Li](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please Oppose the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 7:13:40 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am emailing you today to urge you to oppose the mayor's emergency proclamation.

My name is Walter, I am a resident of a town nearby San Francisco who has worked in San Francisco and visits frequently. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment. Cops will only hurt people! Please do the right thing!

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Walter Li  
Palo Alto, CA

Walter Li  
walterlisocial@gmail.com

Palo Alto, California 94303

**From:** [Jessica Katzman](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 7:29:17 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 7, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Jessica Katzman  
District 7

Jessica Katzman  
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**From:** [Gabriela Catalina Pelsinger](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Vote No on Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 7:30:12 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 8, and a lifelong San Francisco resident. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to **vote no** on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) today.

The Emergency Ordinance is a misguided and inappropriate use of city resources. Increasing policing and criminalization will only make the Tenderloin less safe and put city residents at greater risk of violence. We have a responsibility to focus our resources, including the millions of unspent Prop. C funds, on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

**Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.**

Thank you,

Gabriela Pelsinger

District 8

**From:** [Luca Connolly](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** OPPOSE EMERGENCY PROCOLOMATION!  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 8:12:05 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Hello Supervisor,

I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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**From:** [Tim Preston](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** SUBJECT: Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 8:55:03 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Tim Preston

District 8

**From:** [Connor Geraghty](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Don't Double Down On A Failed Policy  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 8:55:55 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 8, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

It is quite obvious from recent history that policing does not solve any of the issues that need to be addressed in the TL. The people there who need help need housing, they need medical care (often mental healthcare as well), and they need access to dignified work at a bare minimum. None of these needs can be met by the police, but they are all areas where a competent city government is able to step in. Unleashing a force whose only recourse is punitive action amounts to kicking these people while they are down and is a serious misappropriation of the funds gathered from Prop C and betrayal of the spirit in which the citizens of San Francisco gave city leaders a mandate to use those funds. It is not rocket science to realize that this course of action is a ham-handed attempt at putting a bandaid on symptoms rather than solving the underlying causes, and it is a course that no elected officials who are looking forward on how to improve the lot of all San Franciscans should entertain for even a moment.

Instead we should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Connor Geraghty  
District 8

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**From:** [Brooke Lober](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please vote against Mayor Breed's Emergency Declaration  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:00:24 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Dear Supervisors,

My name is Brooke Lober. As the Director of Harm Reduction at St. James Infirmary, I guide a team to offer syringe access and harm reduction services to hundreds of Tenderloin residents every month. I know from our program participants that the current conditions, of repeated sweeps of unhoused people and constant harassment and control by Urban Alchemy and police, are already traumatizing, and Mayor's threat of a renewed police occupation of the Tenderloin is already sowing fear and causing harm.

This "emergency declaration" and plan for the Tenderloin, as outlined today, will not fulfill its promise: it will not prevent, let alone end overdose. The overdose crisis will be exacerbated by increased policing and a renewal of the war on drugs, as all evidence shows. Punitive action will not end overdose. More raids are more dangerous because they destabilize the drug supply. The way to prevent overdose is to invest in people who use drugs. Invest in them: acknowledge and support the life-saving work they are doing in their own communities.

The current situation is killing the most vulnerable people, living in conditions of racialized poverty. This is the community of people who use drugs, who have reversed 6000 overdoses this year—and counting. A community in need of real support, real care.

What we've heard today is a plan for a new war on drugs. But what we need is a war on poverty. We don't need a navigation center. We need dignified housing options, housing first and housing for all; job opportunities and low-barrier entry to educational programs; and access to equally low-barrier healthcare, including mental and emotional health services. For people who use drugs, we need the same changes that the harm reduction movement has called for, internationally: decriminalization, safe supply, and easy access to a spectrum of treatment options, from medically assisted to other forms of recovery services.

We heard today, beautiful statements about healthcare and housing, and increasing access to harm reduction services as methods for addressing the overdose crisis, a public health emergency.

However, we heard almost nothing about or from the real people whose lives have been lost in the overdose crisis. We have hardly heard about the real, complex lived experiences of people who use fentanyl and other hard drugs, their loved ones, their losses, their sustained trauma—often developed throughout the life cycle, in their intimate and family life—and often at the

hands of city officials, police officers, AND service workers and health workers.

The truth is that other interests are more foregrounded in this declaration of emergency. This "plan" was created in order to make people who are housed, who have jobs and attend schools, comfortable walking by people who are suffering in poverty and addiction, to support the interests of real estate and businesses, especially their desire for what is called "clean streets." It was inspired by the Community Business District, and was not created in order to serve the people who live on those streets, or who are addicted to drugs or risk overdose on those streets. But serving those people is the work I do.

The infrastructure to offer the level of services that would, indeed "clean up" the Tenderloin already exists, in the network of underfunded, overworked community based organizations that have to fight for support from the city and other state agencies to even continue to exist. Further criminalization will impede our work: criminalizing homelessness, people who use drugs, and all low level, broken windows picking will increase terror in our communities. We are waiting, not for the arrival of troops, but for increased funding and support, and an atmosphere of care and compassion—not punishment—to do our work.

Brooke Lober  
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730 Polk Street, 4th Floor  
San Francisco, California 94109

**From:** [Anh Bui](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:17:17 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 4, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Anh Bui

District 4

**From:** [Sasha Gayle-Schneider](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** PLEASE OPPOSE! Be accountable to the people's real needs in the TL  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:59:39 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

My name is Sasha and I have previously worked at the Harm Reduction Therapy Center working in the TL with the SF street medicine team and HOT team. I am so disgusted by Mayor Breed's recent statements and am genuinely concerned for my clients, the Lin term residents of the tenderloin.

am a resident of District [XX], and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Thank you,  
Sasha Gayle-Schneider  
Community outreach worker and MSW student

Sasha Gayle-Schneider  
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Oakland, California 94609

**From:** [Aviv Kalai](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** What is this, 1980?! Seriously just dont  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 10:17:06 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a San Francisco resident and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Aviv

Aviv Kalai  
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1710 Martin Luther King Junior Way  
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**From:** [Adam Frederick](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Mayor Breed Emergency Proclamation,  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 10:34:39 PM

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Dear Supervisors,

I live in District 3 and I am deeply disturbed by London Breed's emergency proclamation to degrade San Francisco's most vulnerable humans in the Tenderloin. This proclamation to 'take back the Tenderloin' is a reactionary stunt similar to the broader war on drugs, that will do much more harm than good.

Instead of focusing on aid, providing support, and helping these citizens, the mayor is choosing to vilify and criminalize their poverty. It is a saddening and sickening act that is in direct conflict with the values of this city's progressive legacy.

We cannot allow the mayor to harm those who need our help so that tourists and multi-millionaires can go about their days carefree and isolated from the vulnerable people who live in our society. It saddens me to see the extreme wealth disparity in this city. Do not let the mayor deepen that divide and push those who need our help away. Work within the community to help uplift these people and bring this city together. It's not going to be easy, sexy, or quick but nothing substantial ever is.

Please Board of Supervisors, reject the Mayor's proclamation and work with us, the community, to bring humanity, dignity, and help to those we've previously cast aside.

A deeply concerned resident,

Adam



**From:** [Mullane Ahern](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Fwd: Please Vote No  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 11:34:24 PM

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My apologies, I meant to include you on the original email. Thanks for working late and please vote no.

Kindly,  
[Mullane Ahern](#)  
she / her / ella  
415.582.3200

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** Mullane Ahern <[mullane.ahern@gmail.com](mailto:mullane.ahern@gmail.com)>  
**Subject:** **Please Vote No**  
**Date:** December 23, 2021 at 11:26:42 PM PST  
**To:** "Rafael (BOS)" <[rafael.mandelman@sfgov.org](mailto:rafael.mandelman@sfgov.org)>, [dean.preston@sfgov.org](mailto:dean.preston@sfgov.org), [catherine.stefani@sfgov.org](mailto:catherine.stefani@sfgov.org), [ahsha.safai@sfgov.org](mailto:ahsha.safai@sfgov.org), [Shamann.Walton@sfgov.org](mailto:Shamann.Walton@sfgov.org), [connie.chan@sfgov.org](mailto:connie.chan@sfgov.org), [myrna.melgar@sfgov.org](mailto:myrna.melgar@sfgov.org), [aaron.peskin@sfgov.org](mailto:aaron.peskin@sfgov.org), Hillary Ronen <[hillary.ronen@sfgov.org](mailto:hillary.ronen@sfgov.org)>, [gordon.mar@sfgov.org](mailto:gordon.mar@sfgov.org)

Supervisors,

Please vote against the emergency declaration calling to flood the most vulnerable community in San Francisco with police. Please view the report from HRC on the human rights impact of the War on Drugs:

<https://sf-hrc.org/sites/default/files/community%20voices%20report%2011%2017%2014.pdf>

Police do not keep us safe. Resources like housing and treatment keep people safe and healthy. Thank you.

Kindly,  
[Mullane Ahern](#)  
she / her / ella  
415.582.3200

**From:** [Christopher Mika](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Emergency Declaration.  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 11:40:48 PM

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My name is Christopher Mika. I'm a disabled, formerly homeless resident currently living in supportive housing in the Tenderloin. I do not support the mayor's emergency declaration, and I want the board to vote no on it .

While it is true that my Neighborhood is going through great crisis. There is no plan in this declaration. The Mayor is telling the public that she's going to make life living hell for drug users, and homeless people, and fill the Tenderloin with police. All while she's working with City staff to open up a new jail.

It is absolutely shameful that the mayor isn't here today to answer questions about the contradictions that she has set in motion. And it is also shameful for members of the board to ask her department heads to pinky swear that none of this will lead to criminalization of the most vulnerable people in our society, when they know she is getting ready to do just that.

The people that are going to feel the shit-end of this half-ass non-plan are primarily black people. You all know that. Everyone knows that.

If you vote for this as is, you are betraying the Tenderloin community.

Vote no.

\_Christopher Mika.

**From:** [Kevin Daigle](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Jail will worsen the drug/homeless problem  
**Date:** Friday, December 24, 2021 12:03:52 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Sending people to jail for drug use will only lead to a worse problem when they come out of jail. It is impractical and INHUMANE to keep people in jail for mental issues or socioeconomic background (which are often the root cause of such drug use). Please take advantage of ways to help homeless people help themselves. The goal is not to waste lots of tax dollars locking people up, making it near impossible for them to get help after and live a normal life with a job, but to create a city that benefits everyone. Shame on anyone who wants to lock people up for public use of drugs- you have other options and it is clear you are on the wrong side of history.

I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Kevin

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**From:** [Jojo Kofman](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Calling on Breed  
**Date:** Friday, December 24, 2021 12:54:21 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

Jojo Kofman  
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**From:** [Monique Flambures](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care Not Cops  
**Date:** Friday, December 24, 2021 7:12:34 AM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Monique Flambures  
District 5

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**From:** [sylvia.santillanez](mailto:sylvia.santillanez)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** No "War against Drugs"  
**Date:** Friday, December 24, 2021 9:21:59 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Dear people,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

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**From:** [Rachel Rudolph](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** OPPOSE THE MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION  
**Date:** Friday, December 24, 2021 9:58:02 AM

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Dear supervisors,

I am a resident of San Francisco and I am urging you to vote no on the mayors proclamation of an emergency state in the tenderloin. Historically more cops have never solved the problem of drug overdoses or houselessness. What has all the time has been helpful is connection to resources - like housing, Narcan, safe use sites or site so people don't have to use alone, syringe exchanges, access to food etc. More cops will only lead to criminalizing individuals and lead them to becoming further disconnected from the rest of the san francisco community. I urge you to reflect on what is actually HELPFUL for these individuals rather than what is ERASING the real issues they are facing by jailing them.

This proclamation is a resurgence and a reframing of the war on drugs which has been a tired and fruitless fight that has also lead to the increased criminalization of Black and Brown people. Please vote no on the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

River Rudolph  
(714) 309-8349

**From:** [Nora Roman](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** You make me sick  
**Date:** Friday, December 24, 2021 10:16:55 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Except for Shamann Walton and Dean Preston

Your vote to support this Mayor's bullshit backward move to arrest everyone on the street in the Tenderloin is outrageous. I am especially upset with my supervisor, Hillary Ronen-who has pretended to be progressive since elected...Now we know you are another easily swayed politician ready to vote against all reason.

I AM A RETIRED RN AND I KNOW ALL ABOUT OVERDOSES AND ADDICTION AND WORKED AT SFGH ER FOR YEARS!

LISTEN TO THE COALITION ON HOMELESSNESS AND OTHERS WHO ACTUALLY HAVE PEOPLE'S WELL BEING AS THEIR FIRST CONCERN....THE SOLUTIONS ARE OUT THERE...AND THIS IS NOT IT!

I am a resident of District 9 and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

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**From:** [Lisa Roth](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Oppose Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Friday, December 24, 2021 11:23:15 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Lisa Roth  
District 10

Lisa Roth  
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**From:** [Rowan Oake](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Friday, December 24, 2021 12:15:43 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 1, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Rowan Oake  
District 1

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**From:** [Louise Prescott](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Friday, December 24, 2021 1:34:59 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 5, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organisations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Louise Prescott

District 5 constituent

**From:** [Analisa Raccanello](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** I oppose the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Friday, December 24, 2021 5:30:21 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of the Tenderloin (94109), and have been living here since 2009. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Analisa Raccanello

Analisa Raccanello  
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San Francisco, California 94109

**From:** [Anthony Ryan](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** More cops is not a solution  
**Date:** Saturday, December 25, 2021 9:01:55 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 1, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!  
Anthony Ryan  
Dist 1

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**From:** [Lee Trope](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** No to Breed's Emergency Ordinance!  
**Date:** Sunday, December 26, 2021 1:52:42 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 9, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Lee Trope, MD  
DISTRICT 9

Lee Trope  
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**From:** [Lee Chen-Weinstein](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care not cops  
**Date:** Sunday, December 26, 2021 5:59:36 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of San Francisco and teach at SF State. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Lee Chen-Weinstein  
Laurel Heights, San Francisco

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**From:** [Matthew Ringard](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:45:40 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a homeowner and resident of District 1 and I join GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote NO on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. It will create more harm, not less. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. There are far more just, sustainable, and effective means of using city resources to help our neighbors in the TL.

Thank you.

Matthew Ringard, resident of District 1.



**From:** [Sam Lai](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Please Oppose Mayor Breed's Emergency Ordinance  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 10:03:34 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 4, and I am joining Westside Community Coalition, GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to **vote no** on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Aloe Lai

District 4

**From:** [kaitlyn meyer](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Concerns over Emergency Ordinance  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 10:30:20 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of Los Gatos, and even though I do not live in SF, I still care about its people and am concerned about dangerous precedents being set.

I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Kaitlyn Meyer  
Los Gatos

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Los Gatos, California 95033

**From:** [Robin Roth](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Emergency in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 10:41:17 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 10, and I am joining End Hep C SF, GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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We need Safer Consumption Sites/Overdose Prevention Sites, not more police action.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Robin Roth  
District 10

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**From:** [Mariah Benedict](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Tenderloin Drug War  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 11:03:52 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Supervisors,

I am a resident of District 6 and of the Tenderloin, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote NO on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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We don't need more cops or more incarceration, we need substantive help for those who need housing and drug and mental health treatment. Don't enable the Mayor to kick folks when they are down by funding even more disproportionate policing of black and brown folks. The police literally don't do anything helpful, especially for those who most need help, instead they actively do harm. Let's not give them even more money; if a budget in the hundreds of millions of dollars isn't enough, more is just throwing away a resource that could actually be used to help the situation.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Mariah Benedict  
Hyde and Ellis  
District 6

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San Francisco, California 94109

**From:** [Meredith Wilkinson](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 11:01:50 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Today I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!  
Meredith Wilkinson

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**From:** [Adrienne Fong](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing Mayor Breed's Emergency Proclamation!!!  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 11:09:58 AM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of District 2, in Supervisor Stefani's district, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Each week as I go through the TL, ever since the 'pandemic' and the 'shelter-in-place', I've seen an increase of houselessness, especially of Black, Brown and poor people increase. Mayor Breed's proclamation does not get to the root cause of this issue. Yes, the TL has always had problems, but not at the extent it is now.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

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**From:** [Jordan Davis](#)  
**To:** [Breed, Mayor London \(MYR\)](#); [Board of Supervisors. \(BOS\)](#); [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [ChanStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [StefaniStaff. \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [PeskinStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Marstaff \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [PrestonStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Haneystaff \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [MandelmanStaff. \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [RonenStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Waltonstaff \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [SafaiStaff \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** FUCK THE MAYOR'S BULLSHIT ASS STATE OF EMERGENCY  
**Date:** Tuesday, December 21, 2021 12:22:17 PM

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That's right, fuck this latest piece of political opportunism from Mayor London Greed. As somebody who lives in the affected area, I can attest to a very real state of emergency here. But where was the bullshit ass mayor when community was calling for real solutions.

1) Prop C of November 2018 was a response to all the death and dying on the streets proposed by community and hustled onto the ballot, where the bullshit ass mayor opposed it, it got short of a super majority, and it spent the next two years in fucking court because the mayor had to show people her fucking shitty diaper instead of **RESPONDING TO THIS DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY FROM THE COMMUNITY**. We got the funding, but the mayor continues to disregard community because of the bullshit ass strong mayor system.

2) Police don't fucking keep us safe, mental health programs, harm reduction, and other social services keep us safer at a fraction of the cost. Oh we got some programs, like CART, but the fucking mayor still wants more police on the streets, and I am fucking afraid as a disabled transwoman, and I am still afraid for all the Black and Brown folks who will be victimized by the fucking cops. I would call them "pigs", but that would offend pink snout puppies. She is funding more cops instead of **RESPONDING TO THIS DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY FROM THE COMMUNITY!**

3) When COVID-19 hit, the board, led by Supervisor Hillary Ronen, called for putting people in SIP hotels, as 1) FEMA reimbursement was available and 2) the city was able to commandeer hotels. Instead of **RESPONDING TO THIS DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY FROM THE COMMUNITY**, she half-assed it and always tried to wind it down, even though funding was available. Now, unvaxxed tourists from who knows fucking where are flooding our tourist hotels and spreading COVID!! The bullshit ass mayor does not care about superspreading.

4) I don't know if you ever met Cheryl Shanks, but she is the hardest working community activist in the Tenderloin, even more than my white ass. She is a black woman who **RESPONDING TO THE DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY FROM THE COMMUNITY** concerning unsanitary streets, worked hard for PitStops so people can piss, shit, and change clothes in peace, and also, dump their trash and needles. However, the bullshit ass mayor fought her on it, and because the mayor decided to pull funding for PitStops at the last minute, Matt Haney had to attend an emergency rally **ON BUDGET PUBLIC COMMENT DAY!!** This bullshit ass mayor is willing

5) When Muni cut service during the pandemic, a lot of seniors and disabled in TL were cut off from travelling to other parts of the city, including healthcare. We had to have protests

because of it. Instead of RESPONDING TO THE DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY FROM THE COMMUNITY and getting her MTA to restore service, she blew us off and half assed it.

Point is, London Motherfucking Greed does not fucking care about the Tenderloin, she is only pretending to fucking care now so she can get more fucking vaxx refusing cops to harass people who look more like her than me. Everything that London Greed does is performative, she does not remotely fucking care about our indigenous and Latinx community, she is willing to screw her Black community to get ahead, she only cares about Asians because they are a large swing group, her "Office Of Transgender Initiatives" is basically a front operation to curry favor with our community, and get white YIMBY transwomen on commissions and to do damage control for her past endorsement and the eventual appointment of a transphobic Chinese person to the school board, her disability advocacy is hollow in the face of failure to restore service and the Disability Council is all in her wheelhouse. Life is cheap under London Greed, and she only cares about the rich white assholes in the Marina, Twin Peaks, and the waterfront.

I am no fan of any law enforcement, but the FBI needs to fucking pop her for all the corruption she has committed. We know the feds are closing in, there is no way those already popped haven't snitched on the mayor already. We need to get rid of the strong mayor system along with this bullshit mayor, but unfortunately, the Board Of Supervisors is too fucking cowardly, except for a few (Dean Preston is the conscience of the Board, and Hillary Ronen and Shamann Walton are mostly good on issues like these).

The TL has no representation on the Board Of Supervisors, Supervisor Haney has abandoned us for higher office, and I want all the other 10 supervisors to sit down, shut up, and defer to the many community voices who have spoken up against it. We need Care Not Cops, and you all have a choice, you can reject this bullshit ass emergency declaration that was created out of opportunism, or you can be a fucking bootlicker who licks the boot on the necks of our fucking neighborhood.

Fuck the bullshit ass mayor and if you are more offended by swear words than the enraging conditions, your priorities are fucking fucked and you can fuck the fuck off.

Jordan (she/her)



**From:** [Paul Wermer](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#)  
**Cc:** [Breed, Mayor London \(MYR\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** OPPOSE: File 211320 [Concurring in Proclamation of Local Emergency - Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin]  
**Date:** Tuesday, December 21, 2021 5:28:19 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I ask you to oppose the Mayor's proposed Proclamation of Local Emergency as drafted.

There is no question that we have a crisis in San Francisco and the Tenderloin. There is no question that the use of drugs is a serious problem. There is no question that these issues need to be addressed.

But an emergency declaration is not a plan - it is simply an authorization for the Mayor's office to take unilateral action on matters that have been ignored for too long,

The open-ended provisions such as "(1) All City officers and employees take all steps requested by the Executive Director of the Department of Emergency Management to address the emergency conditions of the overdose and overdose death crisis in the Tenderloin." do not suggest that anyone actually knows what to do or has a plan. I assume that if they had a plan, we would have heard advocacy for it.

While there is a crisis in the Tenderloin - it is not new or emergent. These conditions have been evident for a while. I have walked through the Tenderloin on various routes over the past few years - I have seen these problems go unaddressed. The Mayor and her staff did not identify and address these issues while the situation was worsening. How do these sweeping powers implement the Mayor's plan? What plan?

For years we have heard about shortages of mental health beds, lack of supportive housing, lack of the necessary continuing care and counseling to help address these problems. I do not hear a plan to address this.

I fail to see how a massive short-term (and 90 days is short-term) infusion of resources that are not integrated with a long-term plan to provide the necessary continuing services will solve any problems.

Sincerely,

Paul Wermer

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**From:** [mlyon01](#)  
**To:** [ChanStaff \(BOS\)](#); [MandelmanStaff \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Please reject the Mayors unsound and cruel plan  
**Date:** Tuesday, December 21, 2021 9:24:47 PM

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Gray Panthers of San Francisco  
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<https://sfgraypanthers.wordpress.com/>

Gray Panthers of San Francisco strongly opposes Mayor Breed's Declaration of Emergency and its associated plans and demands the SF Supervisors reject her plan Thursday afternoon.

Advocates for homeless and mentally ill people have been demanding for several years that the Mayor declare an emergency over homelessness, untreated mental illness, and overdose deaths, but she has been unwilling. They have been proposing evidence-based programs for at least a decade that would solve these crisis; permanent housing, timely mental health care, housing protection from COVID, self-referral to shelters and a multitude of other well-thought out measures, to no avail.

It is ludicrous to say that the emergency declaration is about public safety and overdose deaths if the program includes strict enforcement of all laws relating to homelessness, including Sit/Lie. Criminalizing, harassing, and arresting the City's homeless, 70% of whom used to be able to live in and afford housing in San Francisco, is more about maintaining realtors' property values than public health or even public safety.

The Mayor will be asking for emergency authorization for huge amounts of money to pay police overtime, while refusing to spend

the Prop C money she already has to improve housing and mental health services.

A meeting of almost 100 community activists recently agreed that these measures must be flatly opposed rather than amended which could only nibble at the edges of an unsound and cruel plan. San Francisco Supervisors must reject the plan.

Board, Gray Panthers of San Francisco

**From:** [Alexa Groenke](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 9:21:25 AM

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Dear Supervisors,

I am a resident of District 3, and I work in the Tenderloin/Civic Center area. I am joining Glide Memorial Church, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New Jails Coalition, DSASF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency -- Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Alexa Groenke  
District 3

**From:** [Wendy Williams](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 9:25:51 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 4, and I am joining Glide Memorial Church, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New Jails Coalition, DSASF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Wendy Williams

District 4

**From:** [Vanessa Agra](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Fw:  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 9:46:34 AM

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Hello,

My name is Vanessa Agra and I am a Tenderloin resident. I fully support a public health led emergency response to the conditions in the Tenderloin.

I have lived in the Tenderloin for 21 years, and I have never seen it worse than now. I have felt unsafe to the point of avoiding to leave my home after 8pm. It is absurd that a city so rich like San Francisco let this continue to happen.

Residents in the Tenderloin have been living in chaotic, violent, filthy, and unacceptable conditions for too long. People need help and we are happy to see the mayor finally addressing these issues.

I urge the board to pass the Emergency Declaration for the Tenderloin.

Vanessa Agra  
vanagra@yahoo.com

Sent from my iPhone

**From:** [Rick Girling](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Criminalization of poverty - Housing and supportive care not jail time.  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 10:05:14 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 9, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSASF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Rick and Val Girling

District 9

**From:** [Tyler Dunivant](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Breed, Mayor London \(MYR\)](#)  
**Subject:** Reject the mayor"s emergency proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 10:07:24 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of Cow Hollow (greenwich and Divisadero) and I urge you to reject for the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

This is a power grab from Mayor Breed to assume even more control

-Tyler Dunivant  
2600 block Greenwich St 94123



**From:** [Michelle King](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 10:19:37 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

I'm a former resident of District 8 and still preside on the board of a nonprofit in the district where we see first hand how our Queer youth are disproportionately impacted by the criminalization of poverty.

I join GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSASF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We must focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep folks healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment. Investing in community resources OVER policing isn't radical: social scientists and public health experts have proven that investment in the community decreases crime and the need for police. We all know that criminalizing poverty only exacerbates the crisis.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

In community,

Michelle King

**From:** [Laksh Bhasin](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation and Supporting Public Housing  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 10:29:14 AM

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Dear Supervisors,

I urge you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) tomorrow.

This Emergency Ordinance is a power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the War on Drugs and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges: housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Voters handily approved Propositions I & K last year, and Proposition C two years before, to fund investments in affordable housing. A robust infrastructure of supportive housing and public social housing is key for San Francisco to achieve the low levels of homelessness seen in cities around the world.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you,  
Laksh Bhasin

**From:** [Kevin King](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 10:29:15 AM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

In community,

Kevin King

**From:** [Leslie Dreyer](#)  
**Subject:** HRCSF Urges you to OPPOSE the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 10:32:01 AM

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Dear Board of Supervisors,

Housing Rights Committee of San Francisco urges you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday. What is happening on the streets in the Tenderloin and cities across the country is a symptom of failed policies that continue to exacerbate inequality, displace people from their homes and communities and often lead folks to turn to drugs when there is nothing else available to help them cope with personal issues or the cruelty of life under a system that prioritizes profits over people.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin

Sincerely,

Leslie Dreyer on behalf of Housing Rights Committee of San Francisco

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***Our offices are currently closed to the public in response to public health recommendations regarding COVID-19. If you are contacting us regarding Counseling: please email or call (415-703-8644) and provide your name, phone number, and we will have a counselor return your call as soon as possible. We will not be meeting tenants in person for the time being. We will announce any changes to our programming via our newsletter and [facebook](#) if you want to follow along. Thank you!***

**From:** [Daniel White](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 10:38:26 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District **4**, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSASF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

**Daniel White**

**District 4**

**From:** [Nora Roman](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** NO to Mayor's Evil Proposal (211320)  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 10:47:57 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

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The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

AS YOU HAVE TRIED, THE MAYOR MUST BE FORCED TO CONTINUE THE SIP HOTEL PLAN, AND TO USE THE PROP C MONIES TO HOUSE PEOPLE AND IMPLEMENT THE PLAN TO FUND ALTERNATIVE TO POLICE...The proposal sets us back by decades to failed policies.

Sincerely,

Nora Roman, RN

**From:** [Artem I](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 10:55:43 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 3, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSASF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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The statement by DSA San Francisco puts it well: this has nothing to do with the Mayor's purported public health intentions and everything to do with protecting the interests of the capitalist class, as well as shielding the Mayor's actions from public oversight. This will reap no benefits for the people of San Francisco and great personal gain to the San Francisco Police Department and the Mayor's allies, who we have already seen will freely use a blank check (and no-bid contracts) for financial enrichment and corruption.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Artem Ivanov  
District 3

**From:** [Fabian Fernandez](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Stop Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:13:02 AM

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Dear Board of Supervisors,

I am a doctor in training and a public health practitioner working in our DPH system. People need access to harm reduction, housing, and other services - not increased policing. We know that the war on drugs does not work.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of local emergency in the Tenderloin.

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Fabián Luis C. Fernández (he/him)  
MD/PhD Candidate UCSF/UCB  
Contact: (608) 695-4412



**From:** [Alyssa Alfaro](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** SUBJECT: Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:27:28 AM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Alyssa Alfaro

District 3

**From:** [Rose K](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:27:41 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you,

Rose Kleiner  
District 9

**From:** [Joscelyn Meador](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing Mayor"s Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:30:46 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 8, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSASF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Joscelyn Meador

District 8

**From:** [Qi, Diane](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:48:24 AM

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Dear Supervisors,

My name is Diane Qi. I am a resident of District 4 and a medical student at UCSF School of Medicine. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSASF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. Also, it is known in medicine that a punitive criminal justice focused response to substance use is not an evidence based solution for substance use treatment and recovery, rather it is highly traumatic and creates new psychosocial and legal barriers for people's journey's of recovery. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance use challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Diane Qi

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San Francisco, CA 94122

**From:** [Anja Bircher](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Care not cops  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:50:07 AM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of District 9, formerly District 6, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Anja Bircher  
District 9 resident and former resident of District 6

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**From:** [Gabriel Goffman](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Tenderloin crackdown  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:53:02 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District [XX], and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

Gabriel Goffman  
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2300 Webster st. 603  
San Francisco , California 94115

**From:** [Starr Sylvester](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** This is not a solution  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:53:37 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District Hunters Point and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

Starr Sylvester  
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**From:** [Alice Duesdieker](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:53:42 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Alice Duesdieker  
D4 Resident

Alice Duesdieker  
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1850 39th Ave.  
San Francisco, California 94122



**From:** [Starr Sylvester](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** This is not a solution  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:53:53 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

Starr Sylvester  
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1020 fairfax ave  
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**From:** [Leslie Simon](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Please vote NO on Mayor"s misguided proclamation for Tenderloin emergency  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:57:48 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 9, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSASF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you.

Best,  
Leslie Simon  
District 9

Leslie Simon  
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[The Divine Comic](#)  
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**From:** [Sarah Rosedale](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:58:22 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of Bernal Heights and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Sarah Rosedale  
District 9

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San Francisco, California 94110

**From:** [kalya.paradis](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Mayors fascist state of emergency and war on poor people  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:59:59 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 9 and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

The mayor has done everything she can to block services for people including opposing the SIP hotels and sitting on funds allocated for affordable housing and community based intervention. Now she wants to cage people with addiction and trying to survive as if this has ever been a solution. Please fight for compassionate solutions.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Kalya

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San Francisco, California 94110

**From:** [Iris Biblowitz Biblowitz](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please reject the Mayor's Emergency Plan in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:00:55 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 9, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

I'm a senior, a retired nurse who worked for many years with families and people who are homeless in the Tenderloin. As a nurse who practices harm reduction, I fear that an increased police presence will only increase the risk of harm to both families, people living on the streets, and people with substance use disorder. We all know the real solutions: permanent housing, treatment on demand. See below.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Iris Biblowitz, RN. District 9 for 45 years

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**From:** [Alison Brokke](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation: We are All Humans  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:04:27 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Alison Brokke  
U.S. Dept of Housing and Urban Development

Alison Brokke  
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Oakland, California 94609

**From:** [Lily Lucas](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Supervisor Aaron Peskin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:05:52 PM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of District 3, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Lily Lucas  
District 3

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**From:** [Stardust Doherty](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please Oppose the Emergency Proclamation As Written  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:12:03 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 9, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Stardust Doherty  
District 9

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**From:** [Christine Innes](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** I oppose the mayor  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:12:37 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 10, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Christine Innes  
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District 10

Christine Innes  
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San Francisco, California 94107

**From:** [Abbey Cliffe](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please Read -- We Demand Care not Cops  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:13:01 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

My name is Abbey Cliffe, and I am a resident of District 9. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. It would be deeply irresponsible and unjust to vilify, criminalize, and degrade people with this measure.

We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you for taking the time read our messages.

Abbey Cliffe  
District 9

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San Francisco, California 94110

**From:** [Francisca Rios](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** No to State of Emergency  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:18:40 PM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Francisca Rios  
Ahsha Safai

Francisca Rios  
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San Francisco, California 94112

**From:** [Ida Poberezovsky](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** NO on the Mayor's "Emergency Ordinance" Drug War  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:20:26 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I work in mental health in SOMA, with much of my client community coming from the Tenderloin, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Ida Poberezovsky

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**From:** [Ida Poberezovsky](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** NO on the Mayor's "Emergency Ordinance" Drug War  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:20:48 PM

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**From:** [Melanie Brazzell](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** No COPS in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:34:23 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Melanie Brazzell  
District #5

Melanie Brazzell  
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**From:** [Peter](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Proclamation of Local Emergency  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:35:07 PM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of District [XX], and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

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**From:** [Magdalena Tsiongas](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Public Health Solutions, not Policing  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:37:18 PM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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**From:** [TJ Holsman](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Thursday's hearing - Reject the Mayor's War on the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:37:20 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

TJ Holsman  
D5

TJ Holsman  
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**From:** [Magdalena Tsiongas](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Public Health Solutions, not Policing  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:37:26 PM

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**From:** [Byron Weiss](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Stop the Increase of Police in the Tenderloin!  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:39:05 PM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Byron Weiss  
District 6 - Matt Haney

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**From:** [Lea McGeever](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** I live in D6 and do not support more policing  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:39:34 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 6. When I step out out of my condo onto Market St, I see those suffering from substance abuse and homelessness. I know that I, a person with secure housing and income, am not the victim. I am privileged and cannot stand our city government punishing the real victims in the name of protecting the privileged "victims."

I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Lea McGeever  
D6

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**From:** [Regina Islas](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Misguided-must stop  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:40:47 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 2, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California (and a Board Member of the SF chapter), Richmond District Democratic club Board member, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. May we each be a beacon of light, peace and justice to one another especially during this Season of Light.

Best regards,

Regina S Islas/D2

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**From:** [Linda Silver](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Dear Supervisors  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:41:37 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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We have sunk lots of money already into a war on drugs that did not work! the same with homelessness. Please stop doing the same thing and expect different results!

Poverty and addiction are not crimes....please seek consultation from cities that may have found better approaches. Mayor Breed has been planning a safe needle. program for years and still no progress. Increasing police presence alone will do nothing!

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Linda Silver  
District 5

Linda Silver  
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**From:** [Ram Zallan](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** No police state in SF! NO on Breed's Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:42:09 PM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Ram Zallan  
District 5, 94117

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**From:** [Bill Shore](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing Mayor Breed's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:45:10 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District **1**, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSASF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. We must provide the humane treatment and resources that people struggling with substance use disorder desperately need.

Thank you!

**William B. Shore, MD**

**District 1**

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**From:** [Dana Fallon](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Proclamation of Local Emergency in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:46:00 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Hello,

I'm a resident of District 8 and I'm joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for policing, which is not the solution to the situation in the Tenderloin. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges. Those solutions include housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin, and instead work to advance alternative measures to provide real care for Tenderloin residents. Thank you!

Dana Fallon  
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San Francisco CA 94114  
District 8

Dana Fallon  
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San Francisco, California 94114

**From:** [Jeremy Rose](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Don't Criminalize Homelessness  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:46:16 PM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Jeremy Rose  
District 9

Jeremy Rose  
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San Francisco, California 94110

**From:** [Aditya Bhumbra](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:46:32 PM

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Aditya Bhumbra  
District 9

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**From:** [lisakingsf@yahoo.com](mailto:lisakingsf@yahoo.com)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 12:56:18 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of the Portola District, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Lisa King

**From:** [Sanae Rosen](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Harassing people selling hot dogs is not the solution to the problem of drug overdoses  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:01:51 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 1, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Personally, as someone who often travels through the Tenderloin by public transit to get elsewhere in the city, recent changes in enforcement have mostly rearranged the position of drug dealers, perhaps making them less visible to the supervisors, but making it less safe in general as they have been moved to nearby, much more crowded streets where social distancing is not possible and I am forced to walk in the street to avoid them.

What we need is real solutions to the underlying problems, instead of harassing people so that poverty is less visible to rich people. Now I hear that they are confiscating hot dog trucks! What is that supposed to do? Aside from drive more people into poverty? This is all security theater that will cost a lot of money and make it harder for people to earn an honest living - exactly the opposite of what we need right now!

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Sanae Rosen  
District 1

Sanae Rosen  
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**From:** [Anthony Ginez](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please vote NO tomorrow  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:01:55 PM

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I am a resident of District 9, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Anthony Ginez  
Resident District 9

Anthony Ginez  
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**From:** [Adam Egelman](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care, not cops, in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:02:38 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 5, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Adam Egelman  
D5

Adam Egelman  
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San Francisco, California 94117



**From:** [danielle west](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care Not Cops. Keep CJ3Annex CLOSED!  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:05:21 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

danni marilyn west

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**From:** [Rabbi Abby Phelps](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:06:59 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 2, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jails Coalition, DSASF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Abby Phelps  
District 2 (I reside in 94123 and work in 94115)

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Rabbi Abby Phelps  
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**From:** [Rabbi Abby Phelps](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:07:19 PM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Abby Phelps  
District 2 (I reside in 94123 and work in 94115)

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**From:** [Tiffany Hickey](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS Legislation, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Cc:** [Melanie Kim](#)  
**Subject:** Fwd: File Number 211320 Concurring in Proclamation of Local Emergency - Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:07:29 PM  
**Attachments:** [File Number 211320 Asian Law Caucus Comment on Concurring in Proclamation of Local Emergency - Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin.pdf](#)

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Hello,

Per the clerk's out of office messages, I am also sending this letter here. Thank you for your consideration.

**Tiffany L. Hickey**

*Staff Attorney, Housing Rights Program*

*(Pronouns: she/her)*

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## **Asian Americans Advancing Justice – Asian Law Caucus**

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**From:** **Tiffany Hickey** <[tiffanyh@advancingjustice-alc.org](mailto:tiffanyh@advancingjustice-alc.org)>  
**Date:** Wed, Dec 22, 2021 at 1:03 PM  
**Subject:** File Number 211320 Concurring in Proclamation of Local Emergency - Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin  
**To:** <[brent.jalipa@sfgov.org](mailto:brent.jalipa@sfgov.org)>, <[lisa.lew@sfgov.org](mailto:lisa.lew@sfgov.org)>, <[jocelyn.wong@sfgov.org](mailto:jocelyn.wong@sfgov.org)>  
**Cc:** <[ChanStaff@sfgov.org](mailto:ChanStaff@sfgov.org)>, <[Matt.Haney@sfgov.org](mailto:Matt.Haney@sfgov.org)>, <[Gordon.Mar@sfgov.org](mailto:Gordon.Mar@sfgov.org)>, <[Aaron.Peskin@sfgov.org](mailto:Aaron.Peskin@sfgov.org)>, <[Dean.Preston@sfgov.org](mailto:Dean.Preston@sfgov.org)>, <[MandelmanStaff@sfgov.org](mailto:MandelmanStaff@sfgov.org)>, <[MelgarStaff@sfgov.org](mailto:MelgarStaff@sfgov.org)>, <[Ahsha.Safai@sfgov.org](mailto:Ahsha.Safai@sfgov.org)>, <[Catherine.Stefani@sfgov.org](mailto:Catherine.Stefani@sfgov.org)>, Melanie Kim <[melaniek@advancingjustice-alc.org](mailto:melaniek@advancingjustice-alc.org)>

Good afternoon,

Please accept the attached letter regarding File Number 211320 in advance of the hearing on calendar for December 23, 2021 at 2:00pm.

**Tiffany L. Hickey**

*Staff Attorney, Housing Rights Program*

*(Pronouns: she/her)*

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## **Asian Americans Advancing Justice – Asian Law Caucus**

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**From:** [oliviacalkins@gmail.com](mailto:oliviacalkins@gmail.com)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Community Care, NOT Cops  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:18:30 PM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of District 9, and a social worker serving San Francisco. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday. Although I fully agree that we are facing a major problem in the Tenderloin, I know that policing the area has not worked before and will not work this time either. Instead, funding to organizations who truly offer help and support to the unhoused folks of the tenderloin should be prioritized. St. James Infirmary and CityYear, for example, provide supportive services that allow people the tools they need to stay safe and find shelter. Additionally, the lack of mental health beds needs to be increased to give people suffering from severe mental illness a place to receive quality care.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Olivia Calkins  
District 9

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**From:** [Diana Block](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Vote Against the Emergency Ordinance!  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:19:08 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 10, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Diana Block  
District 10

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**From:** [Erika Casey](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:20:59 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 6, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Erika  
District 6

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**From:** [Harvey Williams](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care Not Cops!  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:25:06 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 8 and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Harvey W.  
District 8

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**From:** [Cecile Leneman](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** No New Jail  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:28:04 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident at 807 Noe street, S.F., and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war (which is just code for hitting on Black people) and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]  
[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

Cecile Leneman  
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**From:** [Humphrey Obuobi](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors](#); [BOS](#); [BOS Supervisors](#); [BOS Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Encouraging Community-Driven Solutions for Public Safety  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:34:57 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

My name is Humphrey Obuobi, and I am a resident of District 9.

I don't need to repeat what you've already heard – that police-driven interventions are unlikely to work well, or that there is significant unused funding from Prop C. What I will emphasize is that when someone proposes to bring significant police presence into a neighborhood, the people in that neighborhood NEED to have a significant stake in that plan. The fact of the matter is that many Black and brown communities in this neighborhood have ample reason to mistrust the police. As such, these communities deserve to be brought along in the process and should be given the funding and support to drive their own solutions where possible.

This history of a similar situation in Philadelphia might serve as good inspiration for what can be done now (<https://avanan.uri-protection.com/v1/uri?o=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.whyy.org%2Farticles%2Fhistory-is-repeating-in-kensington-it-doesnt-have-to-be-this-way%2F&g=MDiNDjM0dYmFjYTM5NQ==&h=ZjJjOWY0Nm02DMxY2Y4NDY4MwZkNzQzZTlwOGRKMTC1ZGE3MDFmNjZmZmZDg4YmI5MmVmODAA4NDkxNzYyZA==&p=YXAzOnNmZHOyOmF2YW5hbjpvOjE5YW53MDMxODc2OThjYjE5NzkyMwY4MmRhOTESNmU3OnYxOnQz>). In short, we should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Humphrey  
San Francisco Resident, District 9

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**From:** [Michael Garcia](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Please vote "no" on the mayoral "war on drugs" power grab  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:35:34 PM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I reside in D11 and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment. We need to provide for our neighbors, not imprison them.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Michael Garcia  
District 11

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**From:** [Nik Evasco](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Reject the Failed War on Drugs  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:37:02 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Dear Supervisor

I am a resident of District 1, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Over policing, over jailing and terrorizing residents is taking our city in the wrong direction. There are no short term or long term gains with this order. We have missed so many opportunities for thoughtful action, and we can't afford to plunge our city into a police state in the middle of a pandemic.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Nik Evasco  
D1 Resident

Nik Evasco  
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San Francisco, California 94121

**From:** [Marianne Tassone](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please vote DOWN the Tenderloin State of Emergency  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:42:01 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

As a resident of the Tenderloin, I am particularly begging my supervisor Matt Haney and the D3 Supervisor Aaron Peskin (as I have heard a rumor that the Tenderloin will woo. be re-districted to D3) to oppose this proclamation.

Thank you!

Marianne Tassone  
D6 (for now?)

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San Francisco, California 94109

**From:** [Greg Dyer](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:42:38 PM

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Dear Supervisors,

I have lived in District 8 for 9 years, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you,  
Greg Dyer  
District 8

**From:** [Susan Marsh](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** NO To the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation!  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:47:31 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 6, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Susan Marsh  
D6

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**From:** [Sally Sharrock](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Concern about  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:48:11 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 10 and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

I oppose the Emergency Ordinance as it allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter.

We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Sally Sharrock  
District 10

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**From:** [adonahue14@gmail.com](mailto:adonahue14@gmail.com)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please Oppose the Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:49:48 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

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**From:** [adonahue14@gmail.com](mailto:adonahue14@gmail.com)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please Oppose the Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:49:56 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

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**From:** [julie w-r](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:51:01 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Julie

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**From:** [Eush Tayco](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Against the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:54:59 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 6, and I am urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Eush Tayco  
District 6

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**From:** [Gabriel Markoff](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Vote NO on the Corrupt Mayor's Tenderloin Boondoggle  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 1:58:19 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 8, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Gabriel Markoff  
District 8 Resident

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**From:** [Andrew Scudder](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care not cops  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 2:11:11 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 6, and I live less than a mile from the Tenderloin. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Andrew Scudder  
District 6

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**From:** [Arianna Venner](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 2:18:14 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a San Francisco resident, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Arianna Venner

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**From:** [ftarabout@gmail.com](mailto:ftarabout@gmail.com)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** My thoughts on the mayor's proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 2:21:30 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Hello,

I am a resident of District 9, joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Frederic Tarabout  
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san francisco, California 94107

**From:** [Ariel Mihic](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** I oppose the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 2:32:47 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 5, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, SURJ SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote NO on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Ariel Mihic  
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SAN FRANCISCO, California 94117

**From:** [Meghan Hebbard](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care Not Cops!!  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 2:35:00 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District [XX], and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[Meghan Hebbard]  
[DISTRICT 6]

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**From:** [Deborah Wallach](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** I Oppose the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 2:42:12 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Dr Deborah Wallach  
San Francisco District 9

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**From:** [erik@tgijp.org](mailto:erik@tgijp.org)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 2:42:13 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District [11], and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

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**From:** [oneofmanyhsus@yahoo.com](mailto:oneofmanyhsus@yahoo.com)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Please oppose Mayor Breed's emergency ordinance  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 2:42:22 PM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of District 8, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Bill Hsu  
District 8

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**From:** [Dylan Fabris](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please oppose Mayor Breed's emergency proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 2:44:14 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of the Tenderloin in District 6, and I am urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

You cannot call yourself a liberal progressive while defending increased policing, incarceration and surveillance. This ordinance spits in the face of the Black Lives Matter movement by perpetuating policies that will lock people up instead of getting them the help they need.

The mayor's talking points about the need to "take back the Tenderloin" to avoid giving the impression of "weakness" sound like they came straight from a Tucker Carlson segment about the 'evils' of 'leftist' cities. San Franciscans know that what makes us strong is our enthusiasm to innovate and find compassionate solutions to these tough problems. Increasing law enforcement does nothing to fix the gross inequality that exists here so abundantly. Taking an "out of sight, out of mind" approach to public safety by locking up those who need the most help will only make this problem worse.

We should be focusing our resources on meaningful, evidence-based solutions that keep people safe and out of jail. We should be providing sustainable services to those suffering from addiction, including treatment, employment, housing, and job training.

Please oppose Mayor Breed's Local Emergency Proclamation.

Thank you!

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**From:** [Eric Sutter](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** More arrests aren't going to fix the Tenderloin!  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 2:49:30 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 8, but was a resident of District 6 prior to redistricting and have worked there for 19 years. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Eric Sutter  
District 8

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**From:** [Simone Manganelli](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** OPPOSE the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation on Thursday  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 2:53:42 PM

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Dear Supervisors —

I am a resident of District 8, and I am joining Defund SPDF Now, GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote NO and OPPOSE the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment

It is clear that this emergency proclamation is not what the Tenderloin needs. The Mayor is using it as cover to flood the Tenderloin with hundreds of police officers, when what we need is to DEFUND, DISBAND, and ABOLISH the SFPD, and use the money to provide HOUSING and SERVICES to people in the Tenderloin who need it.

Please OPPOSE the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

— Simone Manganelli  
Resident, District 8

**From:** [jennie gale](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 2:57:40 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District [XX], and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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**From:** [Black, Finn](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 3:03:32 PM

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Dear Board of Supervisors,

I am a public health nurse and a resident of District 7. I am writing to urge you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

As someone who works in public health nursing with the homeless and studies homelessness policy as a grad student at UCSF, I know that we have decades of research showing that the criminalization of homelessness does not work. Mayor Breed's plan to increase policing in the Tenderloin will target the visible signs of poverty - like public drug use and visible street homelessness - without addressing the root causes of the problem.

American cities, including San Francisco, have been trying to make homelessness less visible through "quality of life" policing strategies since the 1980s. Rather than wasting resources shuffling people around and sending people to jail, we could be spending money on evidence-based solutions to homelessness like permanent affordable housing. In the meantime, we can mitigate the impacts of our homelessness and substance use crises with public restrooms, drug consumption sites, and non-police crisis response teams. We can also spend the Proposition C funds that were meant to go towards behavioral health services.

Homelessness is not a result of individual moral failings. It's a systemic problem that we cannot police our way out of.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Sincerely,

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**From:** [Lauren Girardin](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Please OPPOSE the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin (File No. 211320)  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 3:06:32 PM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I'm writing to ask the board of opposition to OPPOSE Mayor Breed's new anti-crime campaign in the Tenderloin. It treats people living in poverty as criminals without providing services that actually help people transform their lives.

I lived in the Tenderloin for nearly the first four years I lived in San Francisco. I lived there because I didn't have a lot of money, so it's what I could afford. It was — and is — a neighborhood of individuals and families that need more services, not abuse, harassment, and attacks from the government that is supposed to support all of the city's residents. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Although I no longer live in the Tenderloin, I still spend lots of time there, attending community events, enjoying the local restaurants and bars, shopping, and just walking through the neighborhood. Today I'm a resident of District 9. I join GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, League of Women Voters of San Francisco, the No New SF Jail Coalition, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

Thank you,  
Lauren Girardin  
Resident, renter, walker, biker, public transit-taker, and voter in District 9

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**From:** [claude marks](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please, no more criminalization of poverty and houslessness or addiction!  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 3:18:30 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 10, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Claude Marks  
District 10

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**From:** [monica](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Breed, Mayor London \(MYR\)](#); [info@rescuesf.org](mailto:info@rescuesf.org)  
**Subject:** Do not approve Breed's pogrom  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 3:26:52 PM

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Hello. This is to urge you to oppose Mayor Breed's Giulianiesque approach to the worsening conditions in the Tenderloin. all that will come of it is more abuse from the SFPD, and the dispersal of homeless people to other parts of the city. Even now, they have been moving up the hill into alleys off Polk, doorways in Nob Hill and Russian Hill, and wherever else they can sleep or shoot up.

The TL is as it's always been, aside from the pandemic, increasing homelessness, and the Fentanyl epidemic. I have lived just north of the "doorway" to the TL since the '90s and I was never uncomfortable walking through it to Market Street until 2015, when evictions "went through the roof", forcing more people to live in tents.

Please come up with a counter-proposal. San Francisco feels like a West Coast version of the Weimar Republic, sans creativity, since artists have been chased out or may already be living in tents, unable to create. Your decisions will be remembered.

Respectfully,

Monica Leavitt

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**From:** [Sophie von Hunnius](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** I Oppose the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 3:31:28 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of the SF Bay Area, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Sophie

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**From:** [Anastasia Yovanopoulos](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing Mayor Breed's "Proclamation of Local Emergency in Tenderloin"  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 3:34:06 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District #8, and a member of San Francisco Tenants Union, joining with GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Anastasia Yovanopoulos  
District # 8

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**From:** [Carolyn Dorricott](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 3:43:30 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 2, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Carolyn Dorricott  
District 2

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**Carolyn Dorricott**

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**From:** [anastasia Yovanopoulos](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 3:53:11 PM

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## **SUBJECT: Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation**

Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District #8, and a member of San Francisco Tenants Union. SF Tenants Union supports CART, and we are joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

**The Emergency Ordinance is not the solution.** It's a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. **Our city should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.**

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Sincerely,  
Anastasia Yovanopoulos  
District #8 tenant

**From:** [Leslie Roffman](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 3:55:50 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 4, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Leslie Roffman

District 4

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**From:** [Marykate Connor](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** State of Emergency  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 3:57:22 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

December 22nd, 2021

Dear SF Board of Supervisors All

I am writing you today to strongly encourage you to vote against Mayor Breeds "State of Emergency" declaration.

I am shocked by the useless, cruel, regressive and destructive nature of this proposed declaration.

It is a blatant political and public relations response to the obvious pressures of various special interests in San Francisco, and months of national publicity highlighting homelessness in San Francisco as a social blight, not a problem of extremes of income inequality, zero vacancies in affordable housing, zero beds available for more than one night in shelter, and long wait lists for treatment of mental illness and substance use.

These special interests and pressures include Police, BID's and others who would profit from this action; the notorious and utterly inaccurate book by Michael Shellenberger, "San Fransiko", which states that progressive politicians ruin cities with failed homeless policy, and her concerns about reelection

This is also an opportunity to re-arrange the budget; to take funds from other proposals addressing mental illness and homelessness.

Lastly, this may even the real and deep concerns of the family's and individual's who live and work in the Tenderloin.

Having created, directed and provided services for homeless people in san Francisco with multiple disabling conditions for 30 years, I can tell you that this approach does not work.

It's already been tried multiple times. If you look at the past Mayoral administrations since 1983, you can see that each one at some point responded to the phenomena of homelessness with hard core law enforcement, and failed to accomplish anything.

None of what she has proposed will work without the necessary resources and a compassionate approach to provide what has kept people on the streets for years.

Jail is not housing. Jail is not shelter. Housing is not treatment. Shelter is not treatment.

Treatment is not housing. Police are not social workers. Jail is not a hospital.

Jail has no concern with actually assisting people to get off the streets. In fact, jail is responsible for causing homelessness in many instances.

Jail sets any progress people have made back by years, taking away health insurance, (MedCal) income (through work or Federal entitlements) and housing, should someone be housed, as people are not able to pay rent.

And, re-traumatizes people already traumatized by being homeless, and surviving traumatic events of the past.

Creating martial law for one class of citizens is a genuinely frightening prospect, and before you authorize this, think deeply of what it says about our City.

And about you, if you chose to support this "State of Emergency.

I am available to discuss any all of this, and can be reached at [mkc@copper.net](mailto:mkc@copper.net), or 415-902-9974.

Truly Yours,  
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**From:** [Anna Berg](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Statement from Harm Reduction Therapy Center re: 12/23/21 BOS agenda, emergency ordinance  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 3:58:02 PM  
**Attachments:** [HRTCPositionStatementMayorEmerOrdinance.docx](#)

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12/22/2021

Dear Board of Supervisors:

We, the staff from the Harm Reduction Therapy Center (HRTC), a mental health and substance use treatment organization that works in the Tenderloin neighborhood, are fiercely opposed to Mayor Breed's proposed emergency ordinance regarding drug overdoses in the Tenderloin.

HRTC works with people marginalized by discrimination against those who use drugs. For 20+ years we have stood with the Harm Reduction Coalition, The Drug Policy Alliance, Hospitality House, the Homeless Youth Alliance, Coalition on Homelessness, GLIDE, San Francisco AIDS Foundation, St. James' Infirmary and many other local partners to create, not just welcoming and person-centered mental health and drug treatment, but fundamental change in how we treat people who use drugs.

The Emergency Ordinance is not what it might seem. Yes, there is an emergency in the Tenderloin. It is a health emergency, and needs a health policy response. **Drug misuse is a health, not a criminal, issue.** This ordinance will allow the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for increased policing and criminalization of drug use, returning us to the failed, inequitable policies of the War on Drugs. We have always known that the War on Drugs is really a war on Black people and other people of color, not a war on drugs. We should focus our resources on sustainable solutions that improves people's health, diverts them from the legal system, and provides meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse and mental health challenges; services that must include housing, treatment, job training, and employment. There are many organizations already working on such a response.

So far, the rhetoric has all been about offering "services." **Those of us providing community services know that there are not enough services to offer the people who need them.** And we also know that forcing treatment on people is not a strategy for their success. In fact, there is ample research as well as lived experience proving that forcing treatment actually reduces motivation for change. Moreover, using ambassadors to "offer" treatment or jail is a failed strategy and an untruthful one.

This ordinance will cost millions in police and criminal justice costs and burden our court system. It will not solve any problem. It will instead harass and frighten people who will be quickly released from jail and returned to the streets- because we have no long term housing or treatment options available for them. People who do not have a place to sleep are going to "sit/lie" on the streets. Our failure to provide affordable, permanent housing for people forces

them to be criminals under an old law that will be aggressively enforced by this ordinance. ***Perhaps most worrisome is that this ordinance will actually cause an increase in overdose deaths, as overdose rates are substantially higher for people recently released from incarceration.***

Police should not function as first responders to behavioral health crises, absent a threat to public safety. Likewise, healthcare workers should not be weaponized as an alternative to police. Policing disrupts caring relationships built between providers and community members and creates additional barriers to accessing needed services. This is ineffective, costly, and causes harm.

Instead of increased policing, we at HRTC propose the following:

- immediate release of the unspent Prop C funding to expand behavioral health treatment programs;
- continued placement and funding of the SIP Hotels and Safe Sleeping Sites (certainly while the Shelter systems remains inaccessible for emergency referrals);
- immediate opening of a supervised safe injection/use facility in the Tenderloin neighborhood (Safe consumption spaces keep people alive and keeping people alive gives them more chances to consider change).

San Francisco has an opportunity to be a leader in the field of developing a wide-range of services for struggling residents. We need low-threshold, drop-in, crisis services. We need ongoing outpatient and inpatient care. We need safe places (respite centers) for people to be where they can have an opportunity to get basic needs met while they talk with trained, caring professionals and peers about care options. And we desperately need these things in the Tenderloin. There is truly an emergency in the Tenderloin neighborhood, but it is a health emergency NOT a policing emergency.

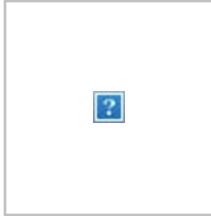
Thank you for considering our perspective and suggestions on this matter.

Sincerely,

The Harm Reduction Therapy Center  
Jeannie Little, LCSW Executive Director  
Patt Denning, PhD. Director of Clinical Services & Training  
Celia Sampayo-Perez, LCSW Incoming Director of Clinical Services  
Maurice Byrd, LMFT Incoming Director of Training & Business Operations  
Anna Berg, LCSW Incoming Director of Programs  
Nancie Jann, Director of Finance & Administration  
Jason Brown, LCSW TAY Program Coordinator & Staff Therapist  
Nathan Kamps-Hughes, LCSW HMIOT Program Coordinator & Staff Therapist  
Irina Alexander, LMFT Staff Therapist  
Nancy Mullin, PsyD. Staff Therapist  
Ana-Marie Urbietta, LCSW Staff Therapist  
Maxx Malloy, ASW Staff Therapist  
Abby McMorrow, ASW Staff Therapist  
Corey Drew, ASW Staff Therapist  
Marsha Davison, ASW Staff Therapist  
Erin Lochary, LCSW Staff Therapist  
Nata Oberg, AMFT Staff Therapist

Erica Saini, PsyD. Trainer  
Yan Chen, Mobile Services Coordinator  
James Pollet, Harm Reduction Services Coordinator  
Erica Stinemat, Administrative Manager

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**Anna Berg, LCSW (she/her)**  
Community Programs Manager

**The Harm Reduction Therapy Center**

m: 415.717.6742 f: 510.251.1139 o: 415.863.4282

**\*We moved! Please note our new address\***

a: 21 Merlin Street, San Francisco CA 94107

w: <https://harmreductiontherapy.org/>

**To reach our Community Programs call: 415.234.3707**

*\*If you're in immediate crisis, please call 1-800-273-8255 (SF Suicide Prevention) or 911*





**From:** [Samantha Lew](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Criminalization of the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 4:14:01 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 1, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Sam Lew  
D1 Resident

Samantha Lew  
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San Francisco, California 94115

**From:** [Karl Kramer](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 4:14:41 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Karl Kramer

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**From:** [mpathak@berkeley.edu](mailto:mpathak@berkeley.edu)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** SF Tenderloin - Emergency Ordinance  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 4:19:18 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 02, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Mahek Pathak

District 02

**From:** [Tia LaMore](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** NO "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320)  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 4:23:10 PM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of the Mission District, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Tia LaMore  
Mission District

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**From:** [Cynthia Zhou](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 4:29:33 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Hi there,

I live in the TenderNob area and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment. This ordinance doesn't consider the humanity of the Tenderloin's residents - rather than compassionate systemic care, this ordinance criminalizes those who are already vulnerable and only furthers violence against them.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Sincerely,  
Cynthia, District 3

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**From:** [Malia Hatico-Byrne](#)  
**To:** [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 4:53:21 PM

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Dear Supervisors,

I am a resident of oakland who works in the Tenderloin in d6. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

I'm disappointed by the Emergency Ordinance because it allows the mayor to increase funding for policing which we know doesn't help or make our neighborhoods more safe. After seeing the rising presence of police in the neighborhood and knowing that simultaneously rising are incidents of violence and a deaths to the opioid crisis, i'm not sure what evidence could possibly point to increasing police funding and presence in the Tenderloin being the right option.

The tenderloin has been asking for and demanding care and investment from city hall for decades, but this is not what that looks like. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

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**malia hatico-byrne** she/they

**From:** [Nora Link](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Gross Cops in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 4:54:13 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 7, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Nora Link  
District 7 under Melgar

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**From:** [Gracie Quinn Quinn](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Oppose Mayor Breed's Inhumane Attack on Poor People  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 5:12:01 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 7, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Gracie Quinn  
District 7

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**From:** [Lilia Leroy-Bell](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 5:20:44 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of San Francisco, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Lilia Leroy-Bell

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**From:** [elliot helman](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Oppose the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 5:31:10 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 6, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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**From:** [Allyson Eddy Bravmann](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** No cop takeover of the TL  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 5:31:44 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a parent and homeowner in D5, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

My family lived in the TL for more than a decade, and our child attended Tenderloin Community School from pre-K to 5th grade. TCS is 2 blocks from your office but not a single elected official has ever sent their children there. You cannot say you are committed to improving the Tenderloin if you won't even get to know the families on a day-to-day basis.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Allyson Eddy Bravmann, D5

Allyson Eddy Bravmann  
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**From:** [Crystal Le](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care, Not Cops! Let's Put Our Resources toward Real Solutions  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 5:36:03 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 6, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote NO on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320). I write this plea in special acknowledgment of Homeless Persons' Memorial Day, in remembrance of our neighbors who have died homeless in the past year.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. As a resident of San Francisco, I want ALL of our neighbors, housed and unhoused, to live in dignity and safety. Expanding the power of the police is not how this happens. We have seen time and time again how cops punish and harm SF residents, doing little to solve the core causes of the issues that create and perpetuate homelessness. We need comprehensive solutions rooted in care, not punishment and criminalization. San Franciscans need resources put toward affordable housing, jobs, quality education, safe injection sites, and so much more beyond a bloated, ineffective policing budget. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Crystal Le  
District 6

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San Francisco, California 94107

**From:** [Chris Toomey](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** The Emergency Ordinance Will Work Directly Against Public Health  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 5:37:01 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District D4, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, \*\*evidence-based solutions that are consistent with public health best practices\*\*, keep people healthy, and out of the legal system, by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Chris Toomey  
Epidemiologist and D4 resident

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San Francisco, California 94122

**From:** [Phyllis Shulman, Ph.D., MFT](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** the mistreatment of vulnerable citizens in the TEbderkiub  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 5:37:42 PM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

As a psychotherapist living and working in San Francisco, I am writing in heartfelt protest against Mayor Breed's plan to persecute members of the Tenderloin community who are struggling with mental health problems, substance abuse, unemployment and homelessness. These are all issues that call for compassionate and intelligent interventions. As a self-declared progressive city, San Francisco needs to provide sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system; such as, enhanced psychological and substance abuse services, adequate housing and live-in treatment programs, job training, and employment opportunities.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Phyllis Shulman, Ph.D., MFT  
District 7

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**From:** [Carly Tomaine](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care not Cops  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 5:40:32 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District [XX], and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Carly Tomaine  
D5

Carly Tomaine  
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**From:** [Helen Burns](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please vote NO on state of emergency declaration  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 5:40:53 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 1, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Helen Burns

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San Francisco, California 94118



**From:** [Aritra Biswas](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Public Opposition to Aggressive Policing  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 5:41:02 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I'm a resident of District 8, and I'm asking all of you to vote against Mayor Breed's emergency ordinance in the Tenderloin.

From my previous interactions with Supervisor Mandelman in a District 8 Town Hall, it's clear that some of y'all have a mistaken understanding of your constituency. Y'all have personally aligned yourselves with the vocal minority of wealthy residents who want aggressive policing in this city.

Remember who voted for you. Our city protested loudly to rethink our approach to public safety. Our city voted for Chesa. Our city was held hostage for weeks by the POA opposing the vaccine mandate.

This "tough-on-crime" approach is harmful, but more importantly to y'all, it's politically useless. You will continue to alienate your progressive and leftist constituents, while conservative reactionaries will still criticize you as being too soft.

Just a month ago, two armed SFPD officers were unable to do their job and subdue one man in crisis with a pocketknife, even with no bystanders around. Instead they executed him. Consider the consequences before doubling down on a department so incompetent and trigger-happy.

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**From:** [Rachel Stober](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Deeply disappointed, concerned, angry about Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 5:44:44 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Dear Supervisors,

My name is Rachel Stober and I live and work in San Francisco (at 1064 Florida St. in D9 and 1338 Mission St. in D6, respectively). I grew up in the Bay Area and currently do social work here in the city with tenants who are facing eviction. I am writing today to join GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

It is honestly hard to fathom how the Mayor and others in power looked at the current situation, and their constituents, and decided this abhorrent Emergency Ordinance was the best plan of action. This ordinance would unilaterally increase funding for policing policies and practices THAT WE KNOW HAVE FAILED (at a huge human cost), and bring back the drug war. Did the months of San Franciscans filling the streets and risking their lives during the Black Lives Matter protests mean absolutely nothing? We desperately need to focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

We know that policing does not solve or address addiction. Why are you investing in this? You cannot just disappear people or this problem using SF's police force.

I urge you with all my heart to join me in opposing the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Rachel Stober  
Resident of D9, Social worker in D6

Rachel Stober  
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San Francisco, California 94103

**From:** [Hanne Williams-Baron](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** We Reject the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 5:45:03 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Hello,

My name is Hanne and I am a resident of District 1, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment. We need care, not cops. Incarcerating homeless people will not end homelessness. Invest in real solutions, not punishment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Hanne Williams-Baron  
District 1

Hanne Williams-Baron  
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San Francisco, California 94121

**From:** [Noely Loeza](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care NOT Cops  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 5:58:03 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 95616, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Noely Loeza

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**From:** [Kate Monico Klein](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Cc:** [SFTaxpayersSteeringCommittee 2015](#)  
**Subject:** Mayor's Emergency Declaration, 12/22/21  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 6:12:02 PM  
**Attachments:** [Mayor's Emergency Declaration 122221.msg](#)

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**From:** [Ethan Schlenker](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care not Cops  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 6:15:22 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 9, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Ethan

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**From:** [Maria Schulman](#)  
**To:** [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 6:18:52 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

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The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

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Thank you!

**Maria Schulman**  
**District 8**

**From:** [Drew Kodelja](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** NO MORE COPS  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 6:19:52 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 5, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Drew Kodelja  
Cc: Dean Preston

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**From:** [Kiley McLaughlin](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please Oppose the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 6:26:54 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Dear Supervisors,

I am a resident of DISTRICT 8 whose partner works every day in the Tenderloin, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Kiley McLaughlin  
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**From:** [Katie Bergstrom](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** I oppose London Breed's Emergency Proclamation in the TL  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 6:33:16 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Hi Gordon Mar and others,

I am a resident of District 4, and I'm joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Katie Bergstrom  
District 4

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**From:** [Vicki Legion](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** No to state of emergency in the Tenderloin! Care, not cops!  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 6:33:24 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Vicki Legion  
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**From:** [Jo Smith](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care not cops  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 6:47:02 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Jo Smith

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**From:** [Yula Delcore](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Less Cops More Support  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 6:52:11 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District [XX], and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

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**From:** [Belle Bueti](#)  
**Cc:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** SF business owner/resident opposing mayor"s Tenderloin ordinance  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 6:55:32 PM

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Dear Supervisor,

I am a resident of District 1 and I own a store in District 5. I am writing to urge you to please, please oppose the Mayor's emergency ordinance regarding the Tenderloin's struggling unhoused community. There are so many alternatives to using the police to punitively address drug addiction -- a move that is essentially declaring this a drug war rather than actually seeing it for what it is: a crisis of mental health, addiction, poverty, systemic racism, gentrification, etc. I urge you---- demand that the Mayor implement CART (compassionate alternative response team) instead of cops, and direct the 110 MILLION PROP C DOLLARS that she is sitting on (allocated for housing!) towards actual services for our Tenderloin neighbors: drug treatment, housing, job training, and employment.

Please, please, listen to your constituents and do what is *actually, in practice and theory, best for the Tenderloin community -- get them REAL resources and support, not handcuffed and displaced* -- vote no on the Mayor's proclamation.

Thank you for taking action,

Belle Bueti

**From:** [Brittany Maksimovic](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Cc:** [Joanne Kay](#); [prplsponge@gmail.com](mailto:prplsponge@gmail.com); [bronxcheer@gmail.com](mailto:bronxcheer@gmail.com)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 6:56:54 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a nonprofit worker who has worked in district 6 since 2013. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

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Brittany Maksimovic  
Strategic Director  
End Hep C SF

Direct: (510) 517-6116  
[endhepcsf.org](http://endhepcsf.org)

**From:** [William Christopher](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Proclamation of Local Emergency  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 6:59:20 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 10, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

William Christopher  
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79 Norton Street,  
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**From:** [Patrice Sutton](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** vote NO on "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320)  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 7:03:48 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of of the Castro, District 8 since 1982, and a public health professional. I am writing to join GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to **vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.**

The Emergency Ordinance will increase funding for tried (many times over) and demonstrated to have failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter.

We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Patrice Sutton, MPH  
311 Douglass Street, SF 94114  
District 8

**From:** [Bianca Gonzalez](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Vote no on Breed Emergency Declaration  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 7:06:23 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 7, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Bianca,  
District 7

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**From:** [Kimberly Rohrbach](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Mayor's Emergency Proclamation, File No. 211320: OPPOSE  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 7:22:32 PM

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Supervisors:

I reside in District 9 and join GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging a "no" vote on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" this Thursday.

The overreaching Emergency Ordinance would allow the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, when addiction should instead be appropriately addressed as the public health crisis that is. ***People suffering with substance abuse and addiction need safe housing, mental health care, harm-reduction services and treatment, job training, and employment that pays a living wage. They do not need criminal rap sheets.*** Resources must be focussed on sustainable, evidence-based approaches that keep people safe and out of the legal system.

Regards,

Kimberly Rohrbach  
District 9  
(415) 756-2896

**From:** [Anna Danielson](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Oppose the Mayor's Emergency Ordinance  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 7:41:05 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 11, and I am urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a power grab and creating a Drug War 2.0 that will disproportionately affect Black and other PoC. It's egregious that after the massive movement of 2020 for Black Lives Matter and police abolition this is being brought forward. It is a slap in the face to all the people who mobilized in the street. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Anna Danielson  
District 11

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San Francisco, California 94112

**From:** [CoCo Robinson](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Compassionate Care for the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 7:48:33 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a former resident of the Tenderloin and current resident of the Mission District, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

CoCo Robinson

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San Francisco, California 94103

**From:** [Andre Yee](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 8:03:35 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 2, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Andre Yee  
District 2 Resident

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**From:** [Sharon Martinas](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Tenderloin District  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 8:03:58 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[Sharon Martinas  
[District Ten

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**From:** [Chris Thomas](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** No on Emergency Ordinance  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 8:21:13 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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**From:** [B Garcia](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Tenderloin Safety  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 8:22:35 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Hello,

I am a resident of District 6, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

I have lived in D6 for the majority of my life and have seen how increased policing abandons need of and escalates harm to our unhoused neighbors throughout the TL and SoMA. Evidence from the past two years alone affirms what we have known for decades: housing, treatment, job training, and employment sustain healthy communities, while increased police funding rushes only to sate desires of empty streets as proof for an end to a problem that lies deeper than concrete. Unless we invest in the lives of our people, the proposed ordinance will intensify this cycle of quick fixes and exhausted returns for all involved.

Please remember who you see on the streets everyday, and look about them to refocus your work. There are solutions other than the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. We hope you choose them.

Thank you.

B Garcia  
Matt Haney

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San Francisco , California 94103

**From:** [Dilara Yarbrough](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please oppose mayor"s emergency proclamation and oppose police response to poverty  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 8:29:33 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Dear supervisors,

I am a resident of District 6, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance would increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. Research definitively shows that policing perpetuates both poverty and inequality. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges. This means housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Dilara Yarbrough  
District 6

Dilara Yarbrough  
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**From:** [Alex Yule](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** No new drug war  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 8:30:54 PM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Alex Yule  
D5 // Lower Haight

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San Francisco, California 94117

**From:** [Dilara Yarbrough](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please oppose mayor"s emergency proclamation and oppose police response to poverty  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 8:33:50 PM

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**From:** [Paula Levine](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Knee jerk reaction to a complex problem  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 8:36:13 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of SF in Glen Park and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

This is not a solution nor is it a step towards one. It is a simplistic power grab that fails to recognize and plan to the real problems on the street. It enable the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. This is not the way, it is not a solution , not even a trajectory towards one.

Thank you!

Paula Levine  
Glen Park

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**From:** [Kathryn Roberts](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Tenderloin needs support not punishment!  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 8:46:16 PM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[Kathryn Roberts]  
[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

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San Francisco, California 94117

**From:** [Marvis J. Phillips](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Homes, rehab, safety programs, are better than jail for our HOMELESS!  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 8:50:54 PM

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The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment. Every few years we drag out old programs that didn't work, and we resurrect ideas which also didn't work, and here we are again, criminalizing people who because they are poor, and cannot afford "affordable housing" are forced to live in tents, and some of them who need REHAB SERVICES which no longer operate, (defunded), and have been thrown away by their families, and government programs and agencies, live on the street, {when we had 15+/- drug rehab halfway houses and programs we were putting a dent on the street business}, then they were defunded by Multi-Republican Administrations, and here we are again! Criminalizing them is not the answer, Services Housing the poor and lower income can afford is the answer, creating an environment of friendship and understanding is the answer, Mayor Breeds Police throwing them in a jail, {which the Sheriff is re-opening because they don't have the space available, (IN THE 'OLD' JAIL)}, makes me very nervous about the condition {physical/earthquake safety}, is scary!

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

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**From:** [kylimax\\_grove-peattie](mailto:kylimax_grove-peattie)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** care not cops  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 8:55:18 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 11, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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San Francisco, California 94110



**From:** [Jennifer Raviv](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Writing in Opposition to the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 8:57:14 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 8, and I writing to ask that you oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Instead of more cops and people in cages, San Francisco should focus our resources on providing sustainable, evidence-based solutions and services that keep people healthy and out of the legal system, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Jennifer Raviv  
District 8

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**From:** [Mattias Johansson](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Don't militarize the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 8:58:46 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 8 and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

I am determined to follow up on how the votes fall on this as it relates to my core concern about how we support the most marginalized in our city.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Mattias Johansson  
District 8

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**From:** [Christine Wei](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Public comment - #211320 for 12/23/21 - Vote NO! We need care over cops!  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 9:00:51 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Dear Supervisors,

I am a homeowner in District 8 and I'm strongly urging you to vote NO on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

I want to be clear that the city, and in particular the Tenderloin, already has wonderful service providers and community-led models for crisis intervention, substance use, and more to make our neighborhoods healthier and more stable.

Did you know that service providers are already being harassed for doing this critical work in the few short days since the mayor's announcement?

Police occupation, as proposed by the mayor, would destabilize the situation further and undermine community efforts. We really need you to STEP UP AS LEADERS OF SF to focus real solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment. And we need you to protect the community workers making this happen instead of endangering them.

Please don't forget that we are still in the middle of a disabling if not deadly pandemic, facing a most contagious variant ever. Caging people is never a solution, but right now doing so (for any period of time) is downright reckless. Studies show a link between high incarceration rates and high community COVID spread, so criminalizing the Tenderloin right now actually would harm the health of the entire city.

I know other San Franciscans have already pointed out to you that the Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war, and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. This comment today is in alignment with GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you,

Christine Wei  
Homeowner in District 8, 94133

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**From:** [Ian Wilson](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposition to Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 9:14:26 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Ian  
District 6

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San Francisco, California 94103

From: [Marie Salem](#)  
To: [Board of Supervisors - BOS](#); [BOS Supervisors](#); [BOS Legislative Aides](#)  
Subject: Consider Public Health in TL  
Date: Wednesday, December 22, 2021 9:17:04 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides.

I am a resident of Gordon Mar's district and I urge you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

I have an MPH and study social impact and health equity. There are many studies that show negative health consequences directly linked to an increase of cop presence and policy brutality. We need to prioritize public health more than anything right now, and cops will not do this—mental health support, substance use programming, and housing will.

My work published this article: <https://avanan.url-protection.com/v1/ur/?o=https%3A/pretermbirthca.ucsf.edu/news/police-violence-impacts-health-black-infants&g=YzBhYmYwNzq4NWYzOTNlOQ==&h=NzI0MGU0ODQxMGVhOGVhZmY2MjdmYThtMmWFjYWwNzJkYzUwNGJhNWRlZDZlMzRlMwQzTVkMzA3NTA3OWRlMg==&p=YXZzOnNmZHQyOmF2YW5hbjpvOjE0YzE2NTlwVjRlZGl2MjliZGZlZjM4YjYkYThhMzI0YyX0nQ=>

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Marie Salem

Marie Salem  
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San Francisco, California 94122

**From:** [Emily Li](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Concerns re take back tenderloin  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 9:25:14 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 6, SOMA, and I would like to express concerns on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding without clearly specifying how these resources will be applied. Long term funding is required to address drug use and homelessness, and at minimum we should ensure there are enough beds in the first place for the homeless population in San Francisco.

The pattern of sweeping and criminalizing homelessness does nothing to solve the problem. An emergency ordinance allows for funding of tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please consider opposing the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Emily Li  
District 6

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**From:** [Michael Marinucci](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** NO on Breed's Tenderloin Emergency  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 9:41:05 PM

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We need to utilize the millions of dollars we have unspent from Prop C and federal funds to keep filling up SIP hotels, provide rehabilitation, and open up safe-injection sites. We need to continue to defund the police, because more policing never prevents or resolves issues but rather is used to harass, imprison, beat and murder San Franciscans WHO NEED HELP.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Michael Marinucci  
D5 - Preston

Michael Marinucci  
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San Francisco, California 94115



**From:** [Emon Datta](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please Stop the Mayor's Harmful, Discriminatory Emergency Ordinance  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 9:41:14 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a Bay Area native and currently a resident of District 5 in San Francisco. I strongly opposes Mayor Breed's Emergency Proclamation. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and many other organizations and individuals in urging you to vote NO on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive and antidemocratic power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment. It is extremely disappointing to see this moves after all the false promises made last year especially around actually supporting vulnerable communities, esp. Black and Brown communities, instead of paying for the police to harass, hurt, and kill them.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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**From:** [Stephen Sowley](#)  
**To:** [Brittany Maksimovic](#)  
**Cc:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#); [Joanne Kay](#); [prplsponge@gmail.com](mailto:prplsponge@gmail.com)  
**Subject:** Re: Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 9:52:26 PM

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I love you

On Dec 22, 2021, at 6:56 PM, Brittany Maksimovic  
<[bmaksimovic@endhepcsf.org](mailto:bmaksimovic@endhepcsf.org)> wrote:

Dear Supervisors:

I am a nonprofit worker who has worked in district 6 since 2013. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

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Brittany Maksimovic  
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**From:** [Andrew Adams](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Your Vote On Mayor Breed's Tenderloin Plan  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 9:55:47 PM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Andrew Adams  
D5 Resident and AD17 Observer and Organizer

Andrew Adams  
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San Francisco, California 94104

**From:** [Harry Pariser](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** I oppose the Emergency Declaration!  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 10:13:31 PM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a long-term resident of San Francisco and urge you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) tomorrow (Thursday).

This is a bad idea, which will not have positive outcomes. Others have explained why with greater eloquence than I am capable of.

Sincerely,

Harry S. Pariser  
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**From:** [Josh Miller](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** No More Failed Drug War Tactics - Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 10:19:47 PM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Josh Miller  
District 8

Josh Miller  
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**From:** [Justin Dolezal](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposition to Mayor Breed's Emergency Declaration  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 10:48:51 PM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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**From:** [David Ho](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#); [ChanStaff \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Marstaff \(BOS\)](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Wong, Linda \(BOS\)](#); [Fewer, Sandra \(BOS\)](#); [MandelmanStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Yee, Norman \(BOS\)](#); [PrestonStaff \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Stop Mayor Breed's Emergency Proclamation and policing theater. Implement CART and treatment programs instead.  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:24:05 PM

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Dear Supervisors,

My name is David Ho; I've lived in SF for 7 years: 5.5 years in District 6 (on Natoma St), 1.5 years in District 5 (on Fell St).

I'm joining the Coalition on Homelessness, Hotels not Hospitals, CART, GLIDE, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, CCSF Collective, St James Infirmary, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

Mayor London Breed claims she needs emergency powers to do something about homelessness and opioid addiction -- that without it, any response would have to wait 6-9 months. But London Breed was Mayor 6-9 months ago! Homelessness, opioid addiction, and poverty in the Tenderloin were already ongoing crises 6-9 months ago! The Mayor could have started the process for expanding services (or at least stopped \*blocking\* efforts to help) at any time, but she chose not to.

Instead, for months and months, with all her power, what has Mayor Breed been doing?

- She's stalled and refused to fund and implement CART (despite the Board's unanimous vote for it).
- She's sitting on \$110 million in unspent Prop. C funding for behavioral health treatment programs.
- She's abruptly shut down fully-funded plans for homeless youth centers.
- She's been trying to close shelter-in-place hotels, even when FEMA has guaranteed full federal reimbursement for the program through the pandemic and it ultimately costs the city of SF nothing.
- She's publically lied about diverting money from SFPD to policing alternatives, while actually increasing the police budget.

And now, after months of blocking progress, holding back literally hundreds of millions of dollars in funding from reaching programs that actually serve people in need, and allowing the situation on the streets to worsen, the Mayor is trying to use her own administration's failures as an excuse to increase funding for police, bypass surveillance law, and funnel money into no-bid contracts for private security.

From Mayor Breed's rhetoric, it's transparently clear that she wants to declare a state of emergency and "expedite contracting" in order to take money from other city services and give it to police, prisons, and private security without oversight or accountability. Her

"solutions" are to have police continue sweeping people from one block to another, continue destroying their belongings, and continue putting them through a revolving door from jail back to the streets.

Does anyone seriously believe this will make any lasting positive impact on residents' material conditions? When police sweep people from one block to another, what do you think happens when they're on the next block? When police jail people for being too poor, what do you think happens when they're released? Is anyone in 2021 looking at the 50-year history of the War on Drugs and criminalization of poverty, and thinking, "that was a success; let's spend more money on this theater"? Our jails are already dangerously overcrowded, and Mayor Breed wants to spend more money endlessly expanding them instead of solving the actual problems?

From the very start of Mayor Breed's term, the community organizations listed above (who actually work directly with Tenderloin residents experiencing homelessness and drug addiction) have been begging Mayor Breed to *\*stop\* \*blocking\** the already-approved and/or already-funded initiatives that would actually help keep Tenderloin residents safe.

It's obvious that Mayor Breed is hoping to appease reactionary "tough on crime" voters who just want unhoused people to die somewhere else out of sight. She's hoping that we'll forget when her policies inevitably fail to prevent homelessness, poverty, or drug addiction. I know it's tempting to join her in kicking the can down the road, but, as Supervisors, you have a chance to actually stop this cycle of misery and improve people's conditions.

Please vote no on the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Instead, please direct our city's resources toward the actual evidence-based solutions that keep people safe, healthy, and out of the legal system: supportive and permanent housing, health care (including mental health care, treatment for addiction, and safe injection sites), job training, and social services.

Thank you,

--David Ho  
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**From:** [Chris Leggett](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Breed, Mayor London \(MYR\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Support the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation!  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:34:34 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District [6], and I urge you to vote for the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday. The residents of the Tenderloin are living with crime, drug use, drug dealing, and dangerous conditions. Those unhoused in the Tenderloin also endure unsafe, unhealthy, and deteriorating conditions.

The Emergency Proclamation will enable the City to have a more effective emergency response, with public health, behavioral health, social, or housing services. The Proclamation requires the Controller's office to report to the Board on the City's use of funds to support the emergency response. The state of emergency will only last 90 days, and the Board retains the ability to terminate the state of emergency early.

In a recent poll of San Franciscans, over 80% of respondents said that homelessness and street behavior are the top issues facing the city, and 88% said that the situation is getting worse. We are looking to you, our Supervisors, to authorize faster and more effective action to address this crisis. Treat this disaster like the emergency it is. Approve the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency -- Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Christopher Leggett, PMP, PMI-ACP  
District 6

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Best regards,

Christopher R Leggett, PMP, PMI-ACP

**From:** [Jessica Cece](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Care NOT COPS.  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:36:33 PM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I write to you today as a resident of SF, and I'm joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you.

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**From:** [Charlotte Halifax](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:54:42 PM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 9, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Thank you!

Charlotte Halifax  
District 9

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**From:** [Megan Fuller](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please stand up to London Breed  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:57:55 PM

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Evidence shows that increased policing and incarceration does nothing to get to the root of homelessness and substance use. Please fight to redirect funding toward supportive housing and healthcare and away from racist drug policy and increased harassment of poor people and those experiencing homelessness.

Please do the right thing and oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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**From:** [Milena Kaestner](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Oppose Mayor Breed's carceral responses to crisis in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:01:24 AM

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There is indeed a state of emergency in the Tenderloin, and throughout the city. That we have lost over 700 community members to overdose in the last year is an emergency. That thousands of people are forced to sleep on our streets every night, through inclement weather and a pandemic no less, is an emergency. As a City, we need to act with urgency and passion to address these emergencies, and bring real relief to those most impacted by them, not waste money on failed drug war efforts.

The Mayor's carceral proposals go against her own promises to divest from law enforcement in the wake of the police murder of George Floyd. Instead, we demand that our resources be focussed on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system.

We should be investing in the provision of meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment. The Mayor is sitting on almost \$110 million in unspent Prop. C funding for behavioral health treatment programs that would be much more effective in dealing with the crises of addiction and overdose on our streets.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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**From:** [Toshio Meronek](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Stop Cruel Sweeps Targeting People Who Are Houseless  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:06:16 AM

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Gregory Meronek  
District 6 Resident

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**From:** [Toshio Meronek](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Stop Cruel Sweeps Targeting People Who Are Houseless  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:06:21 AM

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**From:** [tara sessa](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Emergency Order  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 12:52:14 AM

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**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
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**From:** [Ryan Seffinger](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Vote No on the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 1:29:47 AM

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

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**From:** [Ryan Seffinger](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Vote No on the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
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**From:** [Jennifer Bobbitt](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Stop Arresting Poor People and help them  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 2:41:51 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

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The city has never attempted to meaningfully address the drug crisis and I'm concerned this approach is only going to attack vulnerable people. Case in point Hot Dog vendors. They aren't selling drugs or hurting the city. They are trying to make a living for their families.

Honestly just think this is another corrupt pay for play so London Breed can enrich her pockets.

Arrest people committing crimes but I don't think that's what is going to happen. I think we are going to bully and arrest vulnerable people. We are going to arrest people failed by our policies and failed by our government. We are going to arrest people for the crime of being poor to appease the rich property owners of the city.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Jennifer Bobbitt  
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**From:** [Jennifer Bobbitt](#)  
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**From:** [Cayla Lewis](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Vote no on the mayor's emergency ordinance  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 4:10:49 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 8, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Cayla Lewis  
District 8

Cayla Lewis  
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340 Church Street  
San Francisco, California 94114

**From:** [Cayla Lewis](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Vote no on the mayor's emergency ordinance  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 4:10:58 AM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of District 8, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Cayla Lewis  
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**From:** [Michelle Tigchelaar](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** in opposition to Mayor Breed's emergency proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 5:59:54 AM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of District 5, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

In this moment of collective crisis and hardship we need solutions that offer solidarity and care to our neighbors in need. Instead of increasing criminalization and policing, we should therefore focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you, and warm wishes for the holiday season.

Best,  
Michelle Tigchelaar  
759 Oak Street  
District 5

Michelle Tigchelaar  
[tigchelaar.m@gmail.com](mailto:tigchelaar.m@gmail.com)

San Francisco, California 94117

**From:** [Sasha Stahl](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 6:40:59 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of The Bay Area, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Sasha

**From:** [Maxine Anderson](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Oppose the Mayor's Emergency Plan for the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 6:54:38 AM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of District 5, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Maxine Anderson  
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District 5

Maxine Anderson  
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San Francisco, California 94115

**From:** [Giuseppe Cavaleri](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Vote No on File No. 211320  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 7:00:16 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 5, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Giuseppe Cavaleri  
District 5

Giuseppe Cavaleri  
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**From:** [Allegra Mautner](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Stop Wasting Money on Useless Tactics!  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 7:16:11 AM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of District 9, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Punishment is a bludgeon that doesn't work to stop the cycles of addiction. Compassion and support is what people need to avoid overdose. We need programs that catch people before they fall into this trap. We need commission.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Sincerely,  
Allegra Mautner  
District 9

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**From:** [tesw@aol.com](mailto:tesw@aol.com)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 8:07:18 AM

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Dear Supervisors,

The Mayor's Declaration of Emergency is not the solution to decades of neglect of the Tenderloin area. Nor are police the proven solution to homelessness or drug use. We do know what the solutions are, and Proposition C money is available to make significant steps.

I am a resident of District 5, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Tes Welborn, D5



**From:** [Leticia Arce](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Oppose the Mayor's Emergency proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 8:43:56 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 7, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Leticia Arce  
District 7

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1174 Capitol Avenue  
San Francisco, California 94112

**From:** [Marion Wellington](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please oppose the Mayor's emergency proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 8:46:57 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

Hi Supervisors,

My name is Marion Wellington and I'm a renter and voter in District 9. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

The responsibility of local government is to care for its people, especially when those people are vulnerable and suffering. Please take a stand to ensure that our city doesn't turn on those who need our help the most.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Marion Wellington  
District 9

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2272 Bryant Street  
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**From:** [Grace Morrison](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Please Oppose the Mayors Cruel Emergency Order  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 8:49:36 AM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

Dear Supervisor Aaron Peskin,

I am a resident of District 3 who is concerned and saddened by the mayor's recent Emergency Declaration and her ongoing statements against, and lack of concern for, those who are unhoused. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Grace Morrison  
A District 3 Resident

Grace Morrison  
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135 Pfeiffer St  
San Francisco , California 94133

**From:** [Eunhye Kim](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Arresting people and more police is not the answer  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 8:56:57 AM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of Oakland, CA with many friends and partnerships in SF and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance IS NOT AN ANSWER TO THE PROBLEM AT HAND and is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Eunhye Kim  
Concerned Oakland neighbor and former SF resident

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1036 60th St, #3  
Oakland , California 94608

**From:** [Jonna Heldrich](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Oppose Mayor Breed's state of emergency  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 8:58:26 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 1, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Jonna Heldrich  
625 Arguello Blvd  
San Francisco, CA 94118

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San Francisco, California 94118

**From:** [Robert G Brown](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Breed's State of Emergency proclamation for the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:01:54 AM

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To the San Francisco Board of Supervisors,  
straight out vote NO on this do nothing uncompassionate and seemingly political emergency measure.

Policing our homeless neighbors under the guise of drug addiction without ANY bolstering of current programs for increased housing, mental / physical health and drug addiction programs is absurd and inhumane.

Yes our homeless neighbors have problems. Homelessness have been an emergency for 30+ years now.

I need to ask you;

- 1) why these measures now?
- 2) what is different about this that will make these measures work?
  - a) short term?
  - b) long term?

I ask you all, our board of supervisors to strike down the mayor's measure and use the recommendations from our cities experts on homelessness to craft an emergency measure that we can successfully build long term real solutions. That will end the cycle of hardships and addictions our homeless neighbors continue to live.

Step up here and say NO to politics and YES to kindness, compassion and humanity.

Regards

Robert G Brown  
1656 Leavenworth St, San Francisco, CA 94109.

**From:** [Nick Terdiman](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Care Not Cops!  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:09:41 AM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of District 7, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Mira Terdiman  
District Seven

Nick Terdiman  
nickderenzi@me.com  
764 Ulloa Street  
San Francisco, California 94127

**From:** [SUSAN WITKA](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** \$\$\$ ffor CARE NOT Cops  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:24:48 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District [XX], and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

[YOUR NAME]

[YOUR SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT]

SUSAN WITKA

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**From:** [Carol Bettencourt](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Please Don't Criminalize the People of the Tenderloin!  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:25:53 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 3 and I walk to work through the Tenderloin. I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Carol Bettencourt  
District 3 Resident and Voter

Carol Bettencourt  
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San Francisco, California 94109

**From:** [Elliot Helman](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Breed, Mayor London \(MYR\)](#); [info@rescuesf.org](mailto:info@rescuesf.org)  
**Subject:** do not Support the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:30:45 AM

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We need to invest in providing access to public health services, including drug rehab and supportive housing, not on increased policing. I ask you to show your support San Franciscans in need, not wealthy landowners' greed.

Elliot Helman  
District 6

**From:** [Jason Mai](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:30:54 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 1 and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Jason Mai, Resident of District 1

**From:** [Christina Howard](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Care Not Cops in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:32:27 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 2, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Christina Howard  
District 2

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**From:** [Joanne Kay](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposition to the Mayor's emergency proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:33:59 AM

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Dear Supervisors,

I am a San Francisco resident of D1 and a former resident of and current nonprofit worker in D6 and would like to express my opposition to the Mayor's emergency proclamation. I believe there is a state of emergency in the Tenderloin but that increasing police activity is NOT the answer.

I agree that everyone deserves the right to feel safe, and that includes our unhoused neighbors, and our black and brown neighbors. Mayor Breed's proposal of a State of Emergency in the Tenderloin is addressing the wrong issues. More sweeps and policing of people for living in poverty is not the answer. The emergency is the wealth disparity that has resulted in skyrocketing rents as well as a lack of access to affordable housing and healthcare, especially mental health care. Combined with the COVID pandemic, these factors have resulted in what we are seeing on our streets today. Breed's proposal is akin to putting a bandaid on a bullet hole. Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you for all you do.

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best,

**JOANNE KAY**

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**District 1 resident, District 6 worker**

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**From:** [Taylor Wilf](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Plea to create healing conditions for SF residents  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:42:31 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of Oakland, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Taylor Wolf

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**From:** [Angelina Romano](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Opposing Mayor's Proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:45:28 AM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of District 9, 20 year SF resident, and a school social worker for for SFUSD. I am urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday. It baffles me that this city is willing to intimidate and jail vulnerable communities in need of services. The issues of poverty, substance dependence, and homelessness have been ignored by this mayor for far too long and this Reagan era approach is reprehensible.

This is a blatant power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts made from protests against police brutality. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions and prevention strategies.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Angelina Romano, MSW/PPS  
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**From:** [Nina Mir](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** No to a new, misguided war on drugs by SF mayor  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:47:57 AM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

Good Morning,

I am a resident of Mission neighborhood, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a misguided, massive power grab that allows Mayor Breed to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Nina Mir

Attention of Hillary Ronen

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**From:** [Norma Palacios](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [bos-legislative\\_aides@sfgov.org](mailto:bos-legislative_aides@sfgov.org); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Letter Opposing File No. 211320 [ Proclamation of Local Emergency - Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin]  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:48:36 AM  
**Attachments:** [Oppose Letter re SF Emergency Declaration\\_DPA & NHRC 12.23.2021.pdf](#)

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Dear San Francisco Board of Supervisors,

On behalf of Drug Policy Alliance and the National Harm Reduction Coalition, please find attached a letter stating our opposition to the Mayor's Local Emergency Proclamation in the Tenderloin (File No. 211320).

There is indeed a health emergency in the Tenderloin and throughout the city, San Francisco has lost almost 600 community members to overdose this year, but in trying to address the overdose crisis we must divest from failed interventions of the past. 50 years of the drug war have demonstrated that the criminalization of drugs and drug use has not make our communities safer, instead has fueled the overdose crisis by pushing people away from resources. So rather than approving this emergency declaration today and increasing law enforcement presence in the Tenderloin, we respectfully ask that that you vote no on the Emergency Ordinance and develop a coordinated and holistic approach to address the rise on overdose rates and invest heavily on health solutions that prioritize the well-being of underserved communities.

Thank you for your consideration,  
Drug Policy Alliance & National Harm Reduction Coalition

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**From:** [Gianna Brassil](#)  
**To:** [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** I strongly oppose the Mayor's emergency declaration  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 9:50:55 AM

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Clerk of the Board Angela Calvillo,

I am a resident of District 11, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment. More cops do not make our neighborhoods safer, they put our most vulnerable communities in grave danger.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Gianna Brassil  
District 11 Resident

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**From:** [Shaquille Heath](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** We Need Community Not Cops! Opposing the Mayor's Emergency Proclamation!  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 10:12:08 AM

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Dear Supervisors:

I am a resident of District 5, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSASF, the Do No Harm Coalition and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

The Emergency Ordinance is a massive power grab that allows the Mayor to unilaterally increase funding for tried and failed policing, bringing back the drug war and turning back the clock on the progress we have made with efforts arising from Black Lives Matter. We should focus our resources on sustainable, evidence-based solutions that keep people healthy and out of the legal system by providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

It is time we make good on the promise of San Francisco, and invest in our neighbors, instead of criminalizing them based on the decades of decisions our city has made that has impacted their livelihoods in the first place.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

Thank you!

Shaquille Heath  
District 5

**From:** [Peter Murphy](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Emergency in the Tenderloin  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 10:19:00 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 6, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, the Mental Health Association of San Francisco and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Peter Murphy  
District 6

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**From:** [Amber Yada](#)  
**To:** [Chan, Connie \(BOS\)](#); [Stefani, Catherine \(BOS\)](#); [Peskin, Aaron \(BOS\)](#); [Mar, Gordon \(BOS\)](#); [Preston, Dean \(BOS\)](#); [Haney, Matt \(BOS\)](#); [Melgar, Myrna \(BOS\)](#); [MelgarStaff \(BOS\)](#); [Mandelman, Rafael \(BOS\)](#); [Ronen, Hillary](#); [Walton, Shamann \(BOS\)](#); [Safai, Ahsha \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [Calvillo, Angela \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** No on the Mayor's proclamation  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 10:21:08 AM

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PLEASE vote no on the Mayor's proclamation, "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) today.

I live in D1, joining many established orgs (GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of others) -

The Emergency Ordinance does not acknowledge that jailing is NOT an effective way to curtail drug use. We know it doesn't work. We are not in support of the Mayor's attempt to channel resources into policing, when we have better ways. We should focus our resources on evidence-based solutions, keeping our people healthy and out of the legal system. Our city could be providing meaningful services to those suffering from substance abuse challenges, including housing, treatment, job training, and employment.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!  
Amber Yada  
District 1

**From:** [Francisco Saldana](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#); [BOS-Supervisors](#); [BOS-Legislative Aides](#)  
**Subject:** Social Funding > Police Funding  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 10:40:58 AM

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BOS Supervisors & Legislative Aides Supervisors & Legislative Aides,

I am a resident of District 7, and I am joining GLIDE, ACLU of Northern California, Harvey Milk Democratic Club, Alice B Toklas Democratic Club, the Latinx Democratic Club, the No New SF Jail Coalition, DSA SF, and dozens of other organizations in urging you to vote no on the Mayor's "Proclamation of Local Emergency – Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin" (File No. 211320) this Thursday.

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It is extremely disingenuous that Mayor Breed brings this to the agenda now, during the Christmas holiday. The problems of the Tenderloin have been ongoing for years. This reactionary ordinance is nothing more than a political stunt to play off former-cop Eric Adams' mayoral win in NYC.

Please oppose the Mayor's Proclamation of a Local Emergency in the Tenderloin. Thank you!

Francisco Saldaña  
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**From:** [Norma Palacios](#)  
**To:** [Board of Supervisors, \(BOS\)](#)  
**Subject:** Letter Opposing File No. 211320 [Proclamation of Local Emergency - Drug Overdoses in the Tenderloin]  
**Date:** Thursday, December 23, 2021 10:45:17 AM  
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San Francisco, CA 94102

**Re: Opposition to Mayor London Breed's call for an Emergency Order in the Tenderloin**

Dear San Francisco Board of Supervisors,

Drug Policy Alliance (DPA) and the National Harm Reduction Coalition (NHRC), national and state organizations leading the efforts to build evidence-based strategies to help address the harms caused by racialized drug policies, write this letter to urge you to **Vote No** on the Proclamation of Local Emergency in the Tenderloin.

While we appreciate Mayor London Breed's leadership in issuing a state of emergency in the Tenderloin in an effort to improve the living conditions for the residents, families and other community members, we are strongly opposed to coupling a public health emergency with an increase in police presence that will lead to more harm and will not address the overdose crisis at hand.

It was extremely hopeful to see San Francisco taking leadership in California to adopt Overdose Prevention Centers (OPC), however expanding police presence through an emergency declaration to supplement a public safety response in the Tenderloin is ill-conceived and ill-advised. Mayor Breed's proposal to increase law enforcement presence in the Tenderloin and force people who use drugs into OPCs or face arrests, flies in the face of harm reduction principles. OPCs are used all over the world to provide a safe, clean hygienic place for people who use drugs, these centers serve as a respite for those who are unhoused, are a bridge for health and behavioral services, and serve primarily to prevent overdoses to build trust with individuals who are in need of services.

Nowhere in the world are OPCs the center point of a law enforcement response by giving people who use drugs an ultimatum, forcing people into an OPC or face the threat of arrest. In fact, the complete opposite is true. OPCs operating throughout the world coordinate with law enforcement agencies to be able to operate and provide lifesaving services and social supports for people who use drugs, not to criminalize them. Supplementing the police budget and



increasing their presence as part of the local emergency in the Tenderloin will do nothing to address public safety but rather will subject people who use drugs, people experiencing homelessness, immigrants and the residents of the Tenderloin to unreasonable searches and arrests. More importantly, the criminalization of people who sell drugs will not reduce drug use, the availability of drugs, or keep people who use drugs safer, on the contrary it will harm people who are often users themselves and in need of services.

The mayor's proposal to massively expand police presence in San Francisco is regressive and harmful to those who are already underserved and overpoliced. We have 50 years of the drug war to show that an increase in police presence in disadvantaged communities can disproportionately impact Black and brown community members. The further criminalization of drugs and drug use will not work; it will only serve to fuel the overdose crisis and contribute to massive disinvestment and displacement of people who are unhoused.

San Francisco has been seen as a model for other jurisdictions when it comes to implementing innovative policies and programs, but if approved this emergency declaration will have consequences beyond San Francisco, by sending a dangerous message that utilizing law enforcement as an emergency response to a public health problem is a reasonable approach when it's not.

People's lives are at risk, we have to divest from failed interventions of the past and look at effective approaches to reduce drug-related harms in our communities by making evidence-based treatment easily accessible, facilitate drug checking to help identify adulterated substances, implement overdose prevention centers that people can utilize in a way that is evidence-based and non-coercive and address many of the structural drivers of inequalities in overdose like housing, employment, food security, and medical care.

We call upon this body and mayor to adopt policies that serve to address the overdose crisis in the Tenderloin and work with residents, people with lived experience and organizations working in the Tenderloin to develop a coordinated response to curb the overdose rates. The Tenderloin is a community that has been ignored for years and needs solutions that puts the care and well-being of people first. We urge the Board of Supervisors to Vote No on Mayor Breed's call for an Emergency Declaration.

Thank you for the consideration and attention to this letter.

Respectfully,



Jeannette Zanipatin  
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