



# City and County of San Francisco

## Meeting Minutes

### Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee

City Hall  
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*Members: Hillary Ronen, Jeff Sheehy, Sandra Lee Fewer*

*Clerk: Erica Major (415) 554-4441*

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Wednesday, April 12, 2017

10:30 AM

City Hall, Committee Room 263

#### Regular Meeting

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**Present:** 3 - Hillary Ronen, Jeff Sheehy, and Sandra Lee Fewer

*The Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee met in regular session on Wednesday, April 12, 2017, with Chair Hillary Ronen presiding.*

## ROLL CALL AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Chair Ronen called the meeting to order at 10:32 a.m. On the call of the roll, Chair Ronen and Member Fewer were noted present. Vice Chair Sheehy was noted not present. There was a quorum.*

*Vice Chair Sheehy was noted present at 10:35 a.m.*

## AGENDA CHANGES

*There were no agenda changes.*

## REGULAR AGENDA

### 170155 [Liquor License - 277 Taylor Street]

Hearing to consider that the issuance of a Type 64 special on-sale general theatre liquor license to The Cutting Ball Theater, dba Cutting Ball Theater, located at 277 Taylor Street (District 6), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

02/06/17; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

02/06/17; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning and Police Department for comment and recommendation.

02/16/17; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Planning Department approved the application noting that the ABC License Type 64 is permitted as an accessory use to a permitted arts activity use within the R-C-4 district per Planning Code Section 204.3 and 209.3 subject to Good Neighbor Policies in Planning Code Section 249.5(d)(6).

04/04/17; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Police Department submitted their response recommending approval with conditions.

*Heard in Committee. Speaker: Sgt. Gigi George (Police Department); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion.*

#### **PREPARED IN COMMITTEE AS A RESOLUTION**

Resolution determining that the issuance of a Type 64 special on-sale general theatre license to The Cutting Ball Theater, dba Cutting Ball Theater, located at 277 Taylor Street (District 6), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco in accordance with California Business and Professions Code, Section 23958.4, and recommending that the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control impose conditions on the issuance of the license. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

**Member Fewer moved that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Ayes: 3 - Ronen, Sheehy, Fewer

**170272 [Liquor License Transfer - 708 Polk Street]**

Hearing to consider the transfer of a Type 48 on-sale general public premises license to S.A.K. Bars, Inc., dba Hotel Epik, located at 708 Polk Street (District 6), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

03/14/17; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning and Police Department for informational purposes.

03/15/17; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

03/23/17; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Planning Department submitted their approval noting the Type 48 is permitted with Bar Use in the RC-4 District, pursuant to Planning Code Section 209.3.

04/04/17; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Police Department submitted their response recommending approval with conditions.

*Heard in Committee. Speaker: Sgt. Gigi George (Police Department); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion.*

**Vice Chair Sheehy moved that this Hearing be CONTINUED to the May 10, 2017, Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee meeting. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Ayes: 3 - Ronen, Sheehy, Fewer

**170116 [Hearing - Flood Mitigation Plans in Severely Impacted Neighborhoods Citywide]  
Sponsors: Yee; Tang, Fewer, Safai and Ronen**

Hearing on the short and long term strategies to reduce the effects of flooding during heavy storms which severely impact certain neighborhoods in the City, particularly in the upper Great Highway area and Districts 7, 8, 9, and 11; and requesting the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission and Public Works to report.

01/24/17; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

02/01/17; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Public Utilities Commission and Public Works for informational purposes and requesting the various agencies to report.

*Heard in Committee. Speakers: Supervisor Norman Yee (Board of Supervisors); Harlan Kelly, Jr., General Manager, and Stephanie Harrison (Public Utilities Commission); Supervisor Ahsha Safai (Board of Supervisors); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion. Victoria Sanchez (Cayuga Street Neighborhood); Patrick Skain (Pine Lake Park Neighborhood Association); Female Speaker; Donna Marie Honda-Ferrara; Blane Blacher; Sharkie Liguana; Margarette Miyaski; Chris Hickey; David Hooper (New Mission Terrance Improvement Association); Ace Washington; spoke on various concerns relating to the hearing matter.*

**CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR by the following vote:**

Ayes: 3 - Ronen, Sheehy, Fewer

**ADJOURNMENT**

*There being no further business, the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee adjourned at the hour of 12:35 p.m.*

*N.B. The Minutes of this meeting set forth all actions taken by the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee on the matters stated, but not necessarily in the chronological sequence in which the matters were taken up.*