



SMALL BUSINESS COMMISSION  
OFFICE OF SMALL BUSINESS



CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO  
EDWIN M. LEE, MAYOR

October 7, 2016

Ms. Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board  
City Hall Room 244  
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

RE: BOS File No. 160960 [Planning Code - Temporary Homeless Shelters in Certain Industrial and Mixed-Use Districts]

Small Business Commission Recommendation to the Board of Supervisors: **Approval**

Dear Ms. Calvillo,

On October 3, 2016, the Small Business Commission voted (6-0, 1 absent) to recommend that the Board of Supervisors approve BOS File No. 160960.

The Commission supports the legislation and its intent of reducing homelessness in San Francisco. The Production, Distribution and Repair (PDR), WSoMa Mixed Use-Office, and Service/Arts/Light Industrial (SALI) zoning districts are generally located in areas of the City that are also occupied by many small businesses. The Small Business Commission expects that in these additional zoning districts where Homeless Shelter uses would now be permitted (under the circumstances specified in the legislation), early engagement with the small business community will always be a core component of the process.

Thank you for considering the Commission's comments. Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Regina Dick-Endrizzi'.

Regina Dick-Endrizzi  
Director, Office of Small Business

cc: Jason Elliott, Mayor's Office  
Nicole Elliott, Mayor's Office  
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