

**City and County of San Francisco**

**Land Use and Economic Development Committee**

*City Hall, Room 263*



**Meeting Agenda**

**Monday, May 19, 2008**

**1:00 PM**

**Regular Meeting**

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***Members: Sophie Maxwell, Gerardo Sandoval, Aaron Peskin***

***Clerk: Linda Laws (415) 554-4441***

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*Note: Each item on the Consent or Regular agenda may include the following documents: 1) Legislation 2) Budget Analyst report 3) Legislative Analyst report*

*Each member of the public will be allotted the same maximum number of minutes to speak as set by the Chair at the beginning of each item, excluding City representatives, except that public speakers using translation assistance will be allowed to testify for twice the amount of the public testimony time limit. If simultaneous translation services are used, speakers will be governed by the public testimony time limit applied to speakers not requesting translation assistance. Members of the public who want a document placed on the overhead for display should clearly state such and subsequently remove the document when they want the screen to return to live coverage of the meeting.*

**REGULAR AGENDA**

- 1. 061438 [Public Works Code - Sidewalk flower-vending stands] Supervisor McGoldrick**  
Ordinance amending Public Works Code Sections 156, 157, 159, 160, 161, 162, and 163 to impose a five year-limit on sidewalk flower-vending stand permits and establish a lottery process for subsequent permit issuance for such stands, to clarify application requirements, to add operating conditions for such stands and establish an abandonment period, to establish an annual public right-of-way occupancy fee, to delete provisions regarding permit assignment to family members of the permittee, to change the criminal penalty for violations from a misdemeanor to an infraction, and to establish administrative penalties for violations; and adding Section 165 concerning the establishment of new sidewalk flower-vending stand locations, including permit application fees.

10/17/06, ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to City Operations and Neighborhood Services Committee, expires on 11/16/2006.

10/26/06, REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to Small Business Commission for review and recommendation.

11/17/06, TRANSFERRED to Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

5/4/07, FILED PURSUANT TO RULE 5.37.

1/8/08, REACTIVATED PURSUANT TO RULE 5.23. Supervisor McGoldrick requested this matter be reactivated, to be heard at the January 28, 2008 Land Use Committee meeting.

1/8/08, ASSIGNED to Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

2/25/08, AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING NEW TITLE. Heard in Committee. Speakers: John Malamut, Deputy City Attorney; Harold Hoogasian; Supervisor Alioto-Pier; Galina Pulwers. 2/25/08 Amendment of the whole bearing new title.

2/25/08, CONTINUED AS AMENDED. Continued to March 17, 2008. 3/7/08, 3/14/08 Publication of fee ad.

3/17/08, CONTINUED. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Supervisor McGoldrick; John Malmut, Deputy City Attorney; Mark Murdoch, Cable Car Flower Stands; Albert Nalbandian, I. Magnin Flower Stand; Linda Hoogasian, Henry's Flower Stand; Harold Hoogasian, SF Flower Stand; Harvey Nalbandian, Paul's Flower Stand; Nick Elsner, Department Public Works. Continued to March 24, 2008.

3/24/08, CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Supervisor McGoldrick; Harold Hoogasian. 5/8/08, 5/17/08 Publication of fee ad.

**2. 080511 [Hunters Point Shipyard - Resolution of Intent for Street Vacation]**

Resolution declaring the intention of the Board of Supervisors to vacate portions of Innes Avenue, Galvez Avenue and Donahue Street, in Hunters Point Shipyard Parcel A1 along with public service easements that may exist in Parcel A1, all of Navy Road on Hunters Point Shipyard Parcel A2 along with public service easements that may exist in Parcel A2; vacate any easements that may exist between the vacated areas in Parcel A1 and A2 as described in Ordinance No. 24-05; reserve a non-exclusive easement for the City combined sewer pipeline and appurtenant facilities within Navy Road; setting a hearing date of for all persons interested in the proposed vacation of said street areas and public service easements. (Public Works Department)

4/10/08, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Land Use and Economic Development Committee.  
5/8/08 - Mailed notice to persons on DPW mailing list. 6/12/08 - Submitted ad to SF Chronicle to run on 6/14 and 6/21/08.

**3. 080512 [Hunters Point Shipyard - Street Vacation Order]**

Ordinance ordering the vacation of portions of Innes Avenue, Galvez Avenue and Donahue Street in Hunters Point Shipyard Parcel A1 and all of Navy Road in Hunters Point Shipyard Parcel A2 along with public service easements that may exist in Parcels A1 and A2; making environmental findings and findings of consistency with the City's General Plan, Planning Code Section 101.1, and the Hunters Point Redevelopment Plan; quitclaiming the City's interest in the vacation areas; reserving easement rights for a City combined sewer line and facilities; accepting Department of Public Works Order No. 177,478; and authorizing official acts in connection with this Ordinance. (Public Works Department)

4/10/08, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Land Use and Economic Development Committee.  
6/24/08 - Received copies of affidavit and related documents posted on June 23, 2008.

**4. 070535 [Status of the Eastern Neighborhoods Plan] Supervisor Maxwell**

Hearing before the Land Use Committee by the Planning Department regarding the status of the Eastern Neighborhoods Plan.

4/24/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

5/7/07, CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in committee. Speaker: Amit Ghosh, Planning Department; Ken Rich, Planning Department; Supervisor Maxwell; Doug Shoemaker, Mayor's Office of Housing; Jessie Blout, Mayor's Office of Economic Workforce Development; Francisco Da Costa; Joe Boss; Charles Clary; Silvia Johnson.

7/30/07, CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in committee. Speakers: Supervisor Maxwell; Ken Rich, Planning Department; Supervisor McGoldrick; Peter Albert, Municipal Transportation Authority; Sarah Dennis, Planning Department; Espanola Jackson; Francisco Da Costa; Sylvia Johnson; Tony Kelly; Robin T.; Calvin Welch; Dennis A.; Katherine Williams; Peter Cohen; Joe Boss.

9/17/07, CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in committee. Speakers: Ken Rich, Planning Department; Supervisor Sandoval; Supervisor McGoldrick; Doug Shoemaker, Mayor's Office of Housing (MOH); Myrna Melgar, MOH; Francisco Da Costa; Judy West, Project Artaud; Espanola Jackson; Charles Brannigan; Shamus Busbey; Frank Schndier; Lew; Greg Markonlis, American Industrial Center; Gary Gee; Sean McArdle, Bay West Group; Tony Kelly; Sue Hestor; Eric; Grace Shanahan, Residential Builders; male speaker; Corinne Woods, Neighborhood Parks Council; Mat Regan, Bay Area Council; John O'Connor; Leo Cassidy; Sean Keeghrein; Dave O'Keeffe; Supervisor Maxwell. Supervisor Sandoval absent for the vote.

4/21/08, CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: John Rahaim, Director of Planning; Ken Rich and Amit Ghosh, Planning Department.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

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**(Not to be considered at this meeting)**

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**5. 080567 [Zoning - Ordinance creating a Conditional Use requirement for establishments that sell Tobacco Paraphernalia] Supervisor Sandoval**

Ordinance amending the Planning Code to add a new Section 227(v), to define Tobacco Paraphernalia Establishments, and to impose a conditional use requirement on the establishment of such new enterprises in all Commercial and Industrial districts; amending Section 303 of the Planning Code to refer to this requirement, and to require consideration of additional criteria when analyzing a conditional use application; adding a new Section 790.123, to define Tobacco Paraphernalia Establishments in the Neighborhood Commercial districts; amending sections 710.1, 711.1, 712.1, 713.1, 714.1, 715.1, 716.1, 717.1, 718.1, 719.1, 720.1, 721.1, 722.1, 723.1, 724.1, 725.1, 726.1, 727.1, 728.1, 729.1, 730.1, and 732.1, to refer to this definition and conditional use requirement; adding a new Section 890.89 to define Tobacco Paraphernalia Establishments in the Mixed Use districts; amending sections 803.1, 810.1, 811.1, 812.1, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, and 827 to refer to this definition and conditional use requirement; and making findings, including findings of consistency with the Priority Policies of Planning Code Section 101.1 and environmental findings.

4/22/08, ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Land Use and Economic Development Committee, expires on 5/22/2008.

4/29/08, REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to Planning Department for environmental review; Planning Commission for public hearing and recommendation; and Small Business Commission for review and recommendation.

5/6/08, RESPONSE RECEIVED. Planning Department - non-physical per Section 15060(c)(2) of the CEQA Guidelines.

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