

City and County of San Francisco
Land Use and Economic Development Committee

City Hall, Room 263



Meeting Agenda
Wednesday, October 29, 2008
1:00 PM
Special Meeting

Members: Sophie Maxwell, Gerardo Sandoval, Aaron Peskin

Clerk: Linda Laws (415) 554-4441

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.

AGENDA CHANGES

REGULAR AGENDA

1. 081152 [Approving General Plan Amendments Related to the Eastern Neighborhoods Area Plans - the Mission, East SoMa, Showplace Square/Potrero Hill and Central Waterfront Area Plans]

Ordinance amending the San Francisco General Plan by adding four new area plans, entitled the Mission Area Plan, the East South of Market (East SoMa) Area Plan, the Showplace Square/Potrero Hill Area Plan and the Central Waterfront Area Plan and approving General Plan amendments to implement the four aforementioned Eastern Neighborhoods Area Plans by amending the Commerce and Industry and Recreation and Open Space Elements, the Land Use Index, and the South of Market, Northeastern Waterfront, and Central Waterfront Area Plans; making environmental findings and findings that the proposed amendments are consistent with the

General Plan and the eight priority policies of the Planning Code Section 101.1. (Planning Department)

8/22/08, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

9/19/08, REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to Small Business Commission for comment and recommendation.

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2. 081153 [Planning Code amendments for the Eastern Neighborhoods Area Plans]

Ordinance amending the San Francisco Planning Code by adding and amending various sections to implement the four Eastern Neighborhood Area Plans comprised of the East SoMa, the Mission, the Showplace Square/Potrero Hill, and the Central Waterfront Area Plans; adopting in-lieu fees for on-site open space, trees, and affordable housing; adopting the Eastern Neighborhoods impact fee subject to certain restrictions; and making various findings, including environmental findings and findings of consistency with the General Plan and priority policies of Planning Code Section 101.1. (Planning Department)

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9/11/08 - Submitted fee ad for publication on 9/13 and 9/20/08.

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3. 081154 [Zoning Map Amendments in connection with the Eastern Neighborhoods Area Plans]

Ordinance amending Zoning Map Sheets ZN01, ZN07, ZN08, HT01, HT07, HT08 and SU08 of the City and County of San Francisco Planning Code with revised use districts and height and bulk districts within the four Eastern Neighborhoods Planning Areas comprised of the East South of Market, Mission, Showplace Square/Potrero Hill and Central Waterfront Area Plans; and creating three special use districts for Life Science and Medical Special Use District bounded generally by Mariposa Street to the north, Illinois Street to the West, Iowa Street to the East, and 23rd Street to the South, for Innovative Industries Incubator Special Use District bounded generally by 3rd Street to the West, Illinois Street to the east, 20th Street to the north and 23rd Street to the South, for 16th Street Retail Special Use District bounded generally by Capp Street to the East, San Bruno Avenue to the West, 15th Street to the North and 17th Street to the South; and making various findings, including CEQA findings and findings of consistency with the General Plan and Planning Code Section 101.1. (Planning Department)

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4. 081155 [Eastern Neighborhoods Area Plans - monitoring program]

Ordinance amending the Administrative Code Chapter 10E to establish the Eastern Neighborhoods Monitoring Program for purposes of reviewing the effectiveness of the Eastern Neighborhoods Area Plans and implementation of specified improvements; and adopting environmental findings. (Planning Department)

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LEGISLATION UNDER THE 30-DAY RULE

(Not to be considered at this meeting)

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081272 [Building Code - Bernal Heights South Slope Protection Area] Supervisor Ammiano

Ordinance amending the San Francisco Building Code by adding Section 106A.4.1.3 to create a Bernal South Slope Protection Area and require the Structural Advisory Committee to review and make recommendations on specified permit applications within that area, which is generally bounded by the western side of Roscoe Street and the eastern side of Moultrie Street in Bernal Heights, including the undeveloped extensions of Roscoe Street, Porter Street, Bache Street, Andover Street, and Moultrie Street, and to require mandatory denial of the permit by the Director of Building Inspection under specified circumstances; amending Section 105A.6.2 to specify the composition of the Structural Advisory Committee for permit applications located within the Bernal South Slope Protection Area; amending Building Code Section 106A.3.2 to require that the applicant for certain permit applications located within the Bernal South Slope Protection Area provide substantial documentation that there exists sufficient infrastructure to support the proposed residential development and that the proposed emergency access routes meet standards in effect at the time of the application; and amending Building Code Section 1704.18 to require special inspections throughout the construction process for sites located within the Bernal South Slope Protection Area.

10/7/08, ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Land Use and Economic Development Committee, expires on 11/6/2008.

10/16/08, REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to Building Inspection Commission for review and comment.

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