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File No. 190418

Lisa Gibson  
Environmental Review Officer  
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San Francisco, CA 94103

Dear Ms. Gibson:

On February 20, 2020, the Government Audit and Oversight Committee amended the following ordinance:

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**Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to require the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing (HSH) to open a Navigation Center, transitional housing facility, or permanent housing facility for formerly homeless persons (New Homeless Facilities), within six months in each of two supervisorial districts where no Navigation Center currently exists, and to open at least one New Homeless Facility within 36 months in each supervisorial district where no Navigation Center currently exists; to revise the operational standards for Navigation Centers by, among other things, allowing Navigation Centers to serve up to 130 residents, and specifying that each Navigation Center must allow residents to reside at the Center for at least 90 days, and to continue in residence so long as they are participating in assigned services; to require each New Homeless Facility to develop a "Good Neighbor Policy" and a plan to conduct outreach to people experiencing homelessness in the surrounding neighborhood; to require HSH to develop "Fair Share Siting Criteria" to inform the selection of sites for New Homeless Facilities; to require all City departments that have site control over real property within the City and County of San Francisco to produce a list of sites that could support a New Homeless Facility; to provide that the Shelter Monitoring Committee shall have the power and duty to visit and monitor conditions at Navigation Centers, in addition to shelters; and affirming the Planning Department's determination under the California Environmental Quality Act.**

This legislation is being transmitted to you for environmental review.

Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board

By: John Carroll, Assistant Clerk  
Government Audit and Oversight Committee

Attachment

c: Devyani Jain, Deputy Environmental Review Officer  
Joy Navarrete, Environmental Planner  
Don Lewis, Environmental Planner

Not defined as a project under CEQA Guidelines Sections 15378 and 15060(c)(2) because it would not result in a direct or indirect physical change in the environment.

4/2/2020

*Joy Navarrete*