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Subject: FW: Restore remote public comment at Board of Supervisors committee meetings!
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Hello,

Please see below communication regarding **File No. 241048:**

Motion amending the Board of Supervisors' Rules of Order by revising Rule 1.3.3 (In-Person and Remote Public Comment) to provide for remote public comment opportunities for members of the public at committee meetings of the Board.

Regards,

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From: Tim Briggs <noreply@adv.actionnetwork.org>
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Legislative Aide,

Dear Board of Supervisors,

I am writing to urge you to SUPPORT the measure to restore remote public comment at Board of Supervisors committee meetings in San Francisco. After former Supervisor Peskin proposed such a measure last fall (File #241048), the matter unfortunately did not make it to a vote before the end of the year. We need one or more members of the Board of Supervisors to take up sponsorship again, and for the rest of the Board to support it.

Remote public comment is crucial in allowing constituents to provide meaningful, real-time feedback on decisions that will affect us and our communities. There are myriad reasons why so many of us can't make it in person in the middle of the day to City Hall to give a public comment, even when the outcome of the decisions the Board is making will impact us greatly. Many people can't take the time off work, or need to be present as a parent or caregiver for family or other loved ones. Many people don't have reliable transportation, or can't afford to risk COVID/Flu and other illnesses in an indoor poorly ventilated environment where so few people are wearing masks. Remote public comment makes democracy more accessible and increases digital inclusion for the residents of this city, who you represent.

We urge you to SUPPORT access to democratic participation for ALL, especially those most disenfranchised and marginalized in our city, who have been historically left out of the political process. Please listen to our broad coalition of San Franciscans, and invest in democracy by supporting remote public comment.

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