



City and County of San Francisco

Meeting Minutes

Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee

City Hall
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Members: Rafael Mandelman, Hillary Ronen, Aaron Peskin

Clerk: John Carroll (415) 554-4445

Wednesday, September 26, 2018

10:00 AM

City Hall, Committee Room 263

Regular Meeting

Present: 3 - Rafael Mandelman, Hillary Ronen, and Aaron Peskin

The Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee met in regular session on Wednesday, September 26, 2018, with Chair Rafael Mandelman presiding.

ROLL CALL AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chair Mandelman called the meeting to order at 10:06 a.m. On the call of the roll, Chair Mandelman and Member Peskin were noted present. Vice Chair Ronen was noted not present. There was a quorum.

Vice Chair Ronen was noted present at 10:08 a.m.

AGENDA CHANGES

There were no agenda changes.

REGULAR AGENDA

180541 [Liquor License Transfer - 1706 Post Street - Ichipub]

Hearing to consider that the premise-to-premise transfer of the Type-48 on-sale general public premises liquor license to Kevin Chi Duong, doing business as Ichipub, located at 1706 Post Street (District 5), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

05/16/18; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning and Police Departments for comment and recommendation.

05/18/18; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

06/19/18; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Planning Department submitted their approval; proposed service is a continuation of an existing, legal Place of Entertainment, and an existing, legal bar use.

07/18/18; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Police Department submitted a response recommending approval with the following conditions: 1) no noise shall be audible at any nearby residences; 2) karaoke studio rooms constructed on the premises shall have the following characteristics: a. a viewing window in the door or wall that provides a clear and unobstructed view of the interior of the room; b. all doors to said karaoke studio rooms will remain unlocked at all times while the room is in use; c. the "studio rooms" shall be equipped with audio and video equipment sufficient for performances commonly associated with "karaoke"-style entertainment at all times while the room is in use; 3) petitioner(s) shall actively monitor the area under their control in an effort to prevent the loitering of persons on any property adjacent to the licensed premises as depicted on the most-recently-certified ABC-253; and 4) when the mezzanine area of the premises is being utilized for the sales, services, and consumption of alcoholic beverages, a premises employee shall be in attendance and maintain continuous supervision at all times of the mezzanine area.

Heard in Committee. Speaker: Mark E. Rennie (applicant); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion.

Determination of public convenience or necessity recommended.

Vice Chair Ronen moved that a determination be PREPARED IN COMMITTEE AS A RESOLUTION, that the public convenience or necessity would be served by the premise-to-premise transfer of the Type-48 on-sale general public premises liquor license to the applicant. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Mandelman, Ronen, Peskin

Resolution determining that the premise-to-premise transfer of the Type-48 on-sale general public premises liquor license to Kevin Chi Duong, doing business as Ichipub, located at 1706 Post Street (District 5), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco, in accordance with California Business and Professions Code, Section 23958.4; and requesting that the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control impose conditions on the issuance of the license. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

Vice Chair Ronen moved that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Mandelman, Ronen, Peskin

180732 [Police Code - Neighborhood-Restricted Liquor Licenses]**Sponsors: Mayor; Ronen**

Ordinance amending the Police Code to authorize the Chief of Police, or the Chief's designee, to provide signed verification of preapplication meetings for neighborhood-restricted liquor licenses.

07/10/18; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee, expires on 8/9/2018.

07/17/18; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Police Department and Office of Economic and Workforce Development for informational purposes.

Heard in Committee. Speaker: Laurel Arvanitidis (Office of Economic and Workforce Development); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion.

Vice Chair Ronen moved that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Mandelman, Ronen, Peskin

Chair Mandelman recessed the meeting at 10:15 a.m., and reconvened at 10:20 a.m.

180804 [Health Code - Surplus Medication Repository and Distribution Program]**Sponsors: Safai; Stefani and Ronen**

Ordinance amending the Health Code to establish a Surplus Medication Repository and Distribution Program, to be overseen by the Department of Public Health.

07/31/18; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee, expires on 8/30/2018.

08/03/18; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Department of Public Health for informational purposes.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Supervisor Ahsha Safai (Board of Supervisors); David Woods (Department of Public Health); Supervisor Catherine Stefani (Board of Supervisors); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion. Claire Howlett (Sirum); Janet Reilly (Clinic By the Bay); Brenda Storey, Director (Mission Neighborhood Health Centers); Sabra Matovsky, CEO and President (San Francisco Community Clinic Consortium); Scott Hauge (Clinic By the Bay); spoke in support of the hearing matter.

Vice Chair Ronen requested to be added as a co-sponsor.

Vice Chair Ronen moved that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Mandelman, Ronen, Peskin

170781 [Administrative Code - Maya Angelou Artistic Representation at Main Library - City Policy Regarding Depiction of Women on City Property - Women's Recognition Public Art Fund]

Sponsor: Stefani

Ordinance directing the Arts Commission to erect a statue of Maya Angelou at the Main Library; setting a City policy that at least 30% of nonfictional figures depicted or commemorated in statues and other works of art on City-owned property, public building names, and street names, be women; amending the Administrative Code to create a fund to accept gifts to pay for the design, construction, repair, maintenance, and improvement of public art depicting historically significant women on City property; and affirming the Planning Department's determination under the California Environmental Quality Act.

06/27/17; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee, expires on 7/27/2017.

07/03/17; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Arts Commission, the City Librarian, the Library Commission, and the Department on the Status of Women for informational purposes; Planning Department for environmental review.

07/03/17; RESPONSE RECEIVED. Not defined as a project under CEQA Guidelines Sections 15378 and 15060(c)(2) because it does not result in a physical change in the environment.

01/18/18; RESPONSE RECEIVED. Received a response from the Department on the Status of Women reporting the Commission on the Status of Women's unanimous support for the Ordinance.

01/24/18; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: None.

07/31/18; REMAIN ACTIVE. Supervisor Stefani requested this matter remain active for additional six months until January 31, 2019.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Supervisor Catherine Stefani (Board of Supervisors); Elizabeth Newman (Department on the Status of Women); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion.

Vice Chair Ronen requested to be added as a co-sponsor.

Member Peskin moved that this Ordinance be AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING NEW TITLE, by broadening the applicability of the ordinance to works of art, and not only statues; by adding a policy of promoting representation of women on City property, including regular progress reporting from City departments; and making other conforming and clarifying changes. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Mandelman, Ronen, Peskin

Ordinance directing the Arts Commission to erect a work of art depicting Maya Angelou at the Main Library; setting a City policy that at least 30% of nonfictional figures depicted or commemorated in statues and other works of art on City-owned property, public building names, and street names, be women; amending the Administrative Code to create a fund to accept gifts to pay for the design, construction, repair, maintenance, and improvement of public art depicting historically significant women on City property; and affirming the Planning Department's determination under the California Environmental Quality Act.

Vice Chair Ronen moved that this Ordinance be RECOMMENDED AS AMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Mandelman, Ronen, Peskin

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee adjourned at the hour of 10:46 a.m.

N.B. The Minutes of this meeting set forth all actions taken by the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee on the matters stated, but not necessarily in the chronological sequence in which the matters were taken up.