City and County of San Francisco Budget and Finance Committee Legislative Chamber, City Hall, Room 250



Meeting Agenda
Wednesday, July 9, 2008
1:00 PM
Regular Meeting

Members: Jake McGoldrick, Sean Elsbernd, Ross Mirkarimi, Chris Daly, Carmen Chu

Clerk: Victor Young (415) 554-7723

If a quorum of the Board of Supervisors members is present, the chair will hold a Special Board of Supervisors meeting to discuss items on this Budget and Finance Committee Agenda.

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AGENDA CHANGES

REGULAR AGENDA

1. 080922 [Redevelopment Agency Bond]

Resolution approving the Issuance by the Redevelopment Agency of Bonds in an aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$202,824,283 to finance a portion of redevelopment activities described in such approved Budget for fiscal year 2008-2009.

6/26/08, CONTINUED AS DIVIDED. 06/26/08 - Divided from File No. 080728. Continued to July 9, 2008.

2. 080737 [Planning Department Fee Adjustment]

Mayor, Supervisor Elsbernd

Ordinance amending the San Francisco Planning Code by amending Article 3.5 to adjust fees for Planning Department services; and making Section 302 and environmental findings.

6/3/08, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Budget and Finance Committee. 06/05/08 - Referred to Planning for determination of environmental impact. 06/123/08 - Response received from Planning, recommend approval with amendments. 06/06/08 - Fee notice place in the 06/07/08 and 06/14/08 edition of the San Francisco Chronicle. 06/07/09 - Referred to the Youth Commission and the Small Business Commission for review and comment.

6/19/08, CONTINUED. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Nani Coloretti, Mayor's Budget Director; Cheryl Adams, Deputy City Attorney; Monique Zmuda, Deputy Controller; Harvey Rose, Budget Analyst; Margaret Brodkin, Director, Children, Youth and Their Families; female speaker; Karen Roye, Child Support Services; Phil Arns, Human Services; Trent Rhorer, Director, Human Services; Jay Shu, Director, Asian Arts Museum; Mark McGloton, CFO, Asian Arts Museum; John Buchanan, Director, Fine Arts Museums; Chris Andrews, Director, Steinhart Aquarium; Chris Vein, Acting Director, Telecommunication and Information Services; Chris Robinson, Budget Analyst's Office; Ed Lee, City Administrator; Ara Minasian, City Administrator's Office; Amy Brown, Director of Real Estate; Edward Reiskin, Director, Public Works; Mark Gozanlez, Budget Analyst's Office; Greg Sass, Public Health; female speaker; Mr. Delvicky; Dr. Rajif Youbah; Dr. Mitch Katz, Director, Public Health; Vera Hale, male speaker; London Bree; Kimberly Tipman; Tina Colins; male speaker; Shanay Hopper; Latonya Johnson; Pat Scott, Executive Director, Booker T. Washington Community Center; Female Speaker; Muriel; Cheryl Davis, Magic Program; Female Speaker; Female Speaker; Female Speaker; Mr. Serchin, APA; Ms. Chan; Female Speaker;

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6/25/08, CONTINUED AS AMENDED. Continued to July 9, 2008.

3. 080738 [Environmental review fees, Community fee, and related fees]

Mayor

Ordinance amending the San Francisco Administrative Code by amending Sections 31.22 and 31.23 to increase environmental review fees 1.63 percent, to adopt a new fee for Determination of Historical Resources, and to increase fees to recover cost of producing area plans from projects in Plan Areas; adding Section 31.24 to adopt new fees for Community Plans; and making environmental findings.

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4. 080769 [Transferring \$5 million from the Election Campaign Fund to the General Fund]

Mayor

Ordinance amending Chapter 1 of Article I of the Campaign and Governmental Conduct Code by amending sections 1.138 and 1.144 to transfer \$5 million from the Election Campaign Fund to the General Fund in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007.

6/3/08, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Budget and Finance Committee. 6/12/08 - Referred to Ethics Commission for review pursuant to Campaign and Government Code Section 1.103.

5. 080854 [Amendment to Contract with Geomatrix Consultants, Inc.]

Resolution approving an amendment to the contract with Geomatrix Consultants, Inc. to extend the term through June 30, 2009, to modify the scope of services, and to increase the contract by an amount not to exceed \$180,000 for a new total amount not to exceed \$1,439,000 for environmental consulting services. (Treasure Island Development Authority)

6/16/08, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Budget and Finance Committee.

6. 080882 [Lease of Real Property - 1449 Webster Street]

Supervisor Mirkarimi

Resolution authorizing the lease of 3,900 sq. ft. at 1449 Webster Street for employment assistance programs.

(Fiscal Impact.)

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7. 080794 [Appropriating \$16,864,000 to support cost overruns at San Francisco General and Laguna Honda Hospitals in the Department of Public Health for Fiscal Year 2007-2008]

Mayor

Ordinance appropriating \$16,864,000, including \$15,449,000 million in surplus hospital revenues and \$1,415,000 million from a de-appropriation of General Fund savings in Health at Home, for cost overruns at San Francisco General Hospital and Laguna Honda Hospital in the Department of Public Health for Fiscal Year 2007-2008; and de-appropriating \$5,801,000 of the Healthy San Francisco revenues and expenditures due to lower program participation in the Department of Public Health for Fiscal Year 2007-2008.

(Fiscal Impact.)

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8. 080793 [Appropriating \$6,196,211 of revenue and General Fund Reserve for a new voting system and election services in the Department of Elections for Fiscal Year 2007-2008]

Mayor

Ordinance appropriating \$3,544,110 of State Proposition 41 grant revenue, \$898,965 of settlement revenue, \$86,446 of revenue from candidate filing fees and other general government charges, and \$1,666,690 of General Fund Reserve, for a total appropriation of \$6,196,211, for a new voting system and election services in the Department of Elections for Fiscal Year 2007-2008.

(Fiscal Impact.)

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ADJOURNMENT

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(Not to be considered at this meeting)

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9. 080830 [Pre-Tax Commuter Benefits for Qualifying Transit]

Supervisor Mirkarimi

Ordinance amending the San Francisco Environment Code by adding a new Section 421 to require San Francisco employers to offer commuter benefits to encourage employees to use public transit

or van pools; to authorize the Department of the Environment to implement an Emergency Ride Home program; and making environmental findings.

(Fiscal Impact.)

6/10/08, ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Budget and Finance Committee, expires on 7/10/2008. 06/24/08 - Referred to Planning for determination of environmental impact. 06/24/08 - Referred to the Dept. of the Environment for review and coment.

10. 080880 [Recreation and Park Department - Events]

Supervisor McGoldrick

Ordinance making environmental findings and amending San Francisco Park Code, Article 12, Section 12.22 to amend the fees for use of the parks for events.

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11. 080881 [Recreation and Park Department - Athletic Field Fees]

Supervisor McGoldrick

Ordinance making environmental findings and amending San Francisco Park Code, Article 12, Section 12.36 to amend the Athletic Field Fees.

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