



City and County of San Francisco

Meeting Minutes

Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee

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Members: Matt Dorsey, Bilal Mahmood, Alan Wong

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Thursday, April 9, 2026

10:00 AM

Legislative Chamber, Room 250

Regular Meeting

Present: 3 - Matt Dorsey, Bilal Mahmood, and Alan Wong

The Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee met in regular session on Thursday, April 9, 2026, with Chair Matt Dorsey presiding. Chair Dorsey called the meeting to order at 10:03 a.m.

ROLL CALL AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

On the call of the roll, Chair Dorsey and Member Wong were noted present. Vice Chair Mahmood was noted not present. A quorum was present.

Vice Chair Mahmood was noted present at 10:05 a.m.

COMMUNICATIONS

Monique Crayton, Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee Clerk, instructed members of the public that public comment is taken on each item on the agenda. Alternatively, written comments may be submitted through email (monique.crayton@sfgov.org) or the U.S. Postal Service at City Hall, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244, San Francisco, CA 94102.

AGENDA CHANGES

There were no agenda changes.

REGULAR AGENDA

260208 [Liquor License Transfer - 700 4th Street - Tazza D' Amore Cafe]

Hearing to consider that the person-to-person, premise-to-premise transfer of a Type-21 off-sale general beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to Tazza D' Amore, Inc, doing business as Tazza D' Amore Cafe, located at 700 4th Street (District 6), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

03/06/26; RECEIVED. The applicant submitted a request for a determination on the public convenience or necessity of the transfer of a Type-21 off-sale general beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to Tazza D' Amore Inc., doing business as Tazza D' Amore Cafe, located at 700 4th Street.

03/06/26; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

03/11/26; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Department and Police Department for recommendation.

03/13/26; RESPONSE RECEIVED. Recommend approval for ABC license for an existing General Retail Sales and Service Use (d.b.a. Tazza d'Amore) in the CalTrain depot.

03/19/26; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Police Department submitted a response recommending approval with the following conditions:

1. 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 ABC-257.
2. The Petitioner(s) shall be responsible for maintaining free of litter the area adjacent to the premises over which they have control, as depicted on ABC-257.
3. Sales and service of alcoholic beverages shall be permitted only between the hours of 11 AM and 7 PM each day of the week.
4. There shall be no exterior advertising or sign of any kind or type, including advertising directed to the exterior from within, promoting or indicating the availability of alcoholic beverages.
5. Any graffiti painted or marked upon the premises or on any adjacent area under the control of the licensee(s) shall be removed or painted over within 72 hours of being applied.
6. No beer, wine and distilled spirits shall be sold in bottles or containers of less than 100 ml (3.4 oz.).
7. Beer or malt beverage products, regardless of size, shall only be sold in pre-packaged multi-unit quantities.
8. No wine shall be sold with an alcohol content greater than 15% by volume.
9. Peace officers, as listed in Section 830.1 of the California Penal Code, and the Director and other persons employed by the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control for the administration and enforcement of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Act are hereby authorized to visit and inspect the proposed premises as outlined in red on the most recently certified ABC -257, at any time the undersigned is exercising the privileges authorized by the license on such premises.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Officer Brandon Erickson (Police Department); Markus Merlino (Tazza D' Amore Cafe); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion.

Chair Dorsey moved that this Hearing be PREPARED IN COMMITTEE AS A RESOLUTION, making a determination that the person-to-person, premise-to-premise transfer of a Type-21 off-sale general beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to the applicant will serve the public convenience or necessity. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Mahmood, Wong

Resolution determining that the that the person-to-person, premise-to-premise transfer of a Type-21 off-sale general beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to Tazza D' Amore, Inc, doing business as Tazza D' Amore Cafe, located at 700 4th Street (District 6), 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)

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

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Mahmood, Wong

260280 [Liquor License Transfer - 77 Cambon Drive - Bark 77]

Hearing to consider that the person-to-person, premise-to-premise transfer of a Type-48 on-sale general public premises beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to 77 ASSETS LLC, doing business as Bark 77, located at 77 Cambon Drive (District 7), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

03/03/26; RECEIVED. The applicant submitted a request for a determination on the public convenience or necessity of the transfer of a Type-48 on-sale general public premises beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to 77 ASSETS LLC, to do business as Bark 77, located at 77 Cambon Drive (District 7).

03/06/26; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

03/17/26; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Department and Police Department for recommendation.

03/26/26; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Police Department submitted a response recommending approval with the following conditions:

1. 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 ABC-257.
2. The petitioner(s) shall be responsible for maintaining free of litter the area adjacent to the premises over which they have control, as depicted on ABC-257.
3. When the said outdoor patio area of the premises is being utilized for the sales, service and consumption of alcoholic beverages, a premise employee shall be in attendance and maintain continuous supervision at all times of said area to ensure orderly conduct of patrons.
4. The parking lot of the premises shall be equipped with lighting of sufficient power to illuminate and make easily discernible the appearance and conduct of persons on or about the parking lot. Additionally, the position of such lighting shall not disturb the normal privacy and use of any neighboring residences.

03/30/26; RESPONSE RECEIVED.

04/06/26; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Police Department submitted an updated response recommending approval with the following conditions:

1. (1) Except as provided in Condition 2 below, no noise shall be audible beyond the area under the control of the licensee.
2. (2) Any noise caused by entertainment or amplified sound that is subject to the provisions of an active Entertainment Permit issued by the San Francisco Entertainment Commission shall be authorized in accordance with the limits established by that Entertainment Permit, including any limitation on hours during which entertainment or amplified sound is permitted. A violation of the entertainment or amplified sound noise conditions of the Entertainment Permit, as determined by the San Francisco Entertainment Commission (or any successor agency), shall be deemed to be a violation of this Condition. Any noise that is not subject to, or is beyond the scope of, the Entertainment Permit shall be subject to Condition 1 above. "Entertainment Permit" means any of the following: a Just Add Music permit, a Limited Live Performance permit, a Place of Entertainment permit, a Fixed Place Amplified Sound permit, or any similar such permit issued by the San Francisco Entertainment Commission.
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 ABC-257.
4. The petitioner(s) shall be responsible for maintaining free of litter the area adjacent to the premises over which they have control, as depicted on ABC-257.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Officer Brandon Erickson (Police Department); Speaker, K. Johnson (Bark 77); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion. Speaker; Patrick Kelly; Antonio; Rebecca Shannon; spoke in support of the hearing matter.

Chair Dorsey moved that this Hearing be PREPARED IN COMMITTEE AS A RESOLUTION, making a determination that person-to-person, premise-to-premise transfer of a Type-48 on-sale general public premises beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to the applicant will serve the public convenience or necessity. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Mahmood, Wong

Resolution determining that the that the person-to-person, premise-to-premise transfer of a Type-48 on-sale general public premises beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to 77 ASSETS LLC, doing business as Bark 77, located at 77 Cambon Drive (District 7), 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)

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

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Mahmood, Wong

260307 [Condemning ICE Action at San Francisco International Airport]

Sponsors: Chan; Chen, Fielder, Walton, Mahmood and Melgar

Resolution condemning Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) Action; urging the United States Congress to fund the Transportation and Security Agency; and urging San Francisco Law Enforcement Agencies to recommit to Sanctuary City policies.

03/24/26; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

03/27/26; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Police Department, Sheriff's Department, and Office of the District Attorney for informational purposes.

04/01/26; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Youth Commission for review and comment.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Derrick Lew, Chief (Police Department); Brooke Jenkins, District Attorney (Office of the District Attorney); Paul Miyamoto, Sheriff (Sheriff's Department); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion. Tom; Pete; Jeri Garber; spoke on various concerns relating to the ordinance matter.

Chair Dorsey moved that this Resolution be CONTINUED to the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee meeting of April 23, 2026. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Mahmood, Wong

Member Wong was noted not present at 11:09 a.m. and for the remainder of the meeting.

Supervisor Wong Excused from Attendance

Chair Dorsey moved to excuse Member Wong from attending the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee Meeting of April 9, 2026, for the remainder of the meeting. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 2 - Dorsey, Mahmood

Excused: 1 - Wong

251162 [Health Code - Spaying, Neutering, and Sterilizing of Dogs]

Ordinance amending the Health Code to require that every dog in San Francisco, with certain exceptions, be spayed, neutered, or chemically sterilized, rather than requiring such procedures only for pit bulls; to establish a process and fee for applying for an unaltered dog permit, and a process for granting, denying, or revoking such permit, with a hearing following a denial or revocation; to regulate the transfer, sale, and breeding of unaltered dogs; and to establish penalties and conditions of impoundment for violations of the mandatory spay, neuter, or chemical sterilization requirements.
(City Administrator)

11/10/25; RECEIVED FROM DEPARTMENT.

12/02/25; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

12/09/25; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to Animal Care and Control for informational purposes.

03/12/26; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Lukas Illa; spoke on various concerns relating to the ordinance matter.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Richard; Bob Smith; spoke on various concerns relating to the ordinance matter.

Supervisor Dorsey moved that this Ordinance be CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR by the following vote:

Ayes: 2 - Dorsey, Mahmood

Excused: 1 - Wong

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee adjourned at the hour of 11:17 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.