



City and County of San Francisco

Meeting Agenda

Rules Committee

City Hall
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

Members: Ahsha Safai, Sandra Lee Fewer, Norman Yee

Clerk: Alisa Somera (415) 554-7711

Wednesday, November 1, 2017

1:00 PM

City Hall, Committee Room 263

Regular Meeting

ROLL CALL AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

AGENDA CHANGES

REGULAR AGENDA

Additional information and qualifications, including supplementary criteria, requirements, definitions, exclusions, or prohibitions, for seats being considered at this meeting may be found in the Vacancy Notice or Information Sheet, which are in the packet materials for the corresponding matter.

- [170866](#)** **[Administrative, Campaign and Governmental Conduct Codes - Changing References from Office of Citizen Complaints to Department of Police Accountability]**
Sponsor: Cohen
Ordinance amending the Administrative and Campaign and Governmental Conduct Codes to change all references from "Office of Citizen Complaints" to "Department of Police Accountability," and to make related terminology changes, to reflect that name change resulting from the passage of Proposition G at the November 8, 2016 election.

7/25/17; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.
- [171152](#)** **[Appointment, Market and Octavia Community Advisory Committee]**
Hearing to consider appointing one member, term ending December 16, 2018, to the Market and Octavia Community Advisory Committee. (Clerk of the Board)

Seat 4, succeeding Kenneth Wingard, resigned, must be a local merchant and live or work within the Plan area, for the unexpired portion of a two-year term ending December 16, 2018.

10/27/17; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Rules Committee.

1 seat / 3 applicants
Chase Chambers, seat 4
Daniel Singer, seat 4
Robert Anton Patterson, seat 4

3. [171093](#) **[Appointments, Park Recreation, and Open Space Advisory Committee]**

Hearing to consider appointing two members, terms ending February 1, 2020, to the Park, Recreation and Open Space Advisory Committee. (Clerk of the Board)

Seat 9, succeeding Winnie Chu, term expired, must be nominated by the District 7 Supervisor from the organizations listed in Resolution No. 391-13, for a two-year term ending February 1, 2020.

Seat 21, succeeding Sharon Eberhardt, resigned, must be nominated by the District 11 Supervisor from the organizations listed in Resolution No. 391-13, for a two-year term ending February 1, 2020.

10/13/17; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to the Rules Committee.

2 seats / 2 applicants

Cally Wong, seat 9

Ken McGary, seat 21

4. [171042](#) **[Various Codes - Regulation of Cannabis Businesses]**

Sponsors: Mayor; Sheehy

Ordinance amending the Administrative, Business and Tax Regulations, Health, and Police Codes to comprehensively regulate commercial activities relating to the cultivation, manufacture, distribution, testing, sale, and delivery of medicinal and adult use cannabis by, among other things: 1) requiring businesses that engage in commercial cannabis activities to obtain a permit from the Office of Cannabis; 2) requiring the Director of the Office of Cannabis to establish an Equity Program to promote equitable ownership and employment opportunities in the cannabis industry; 3) defining eligibility for temporary and permanent cannabis business permits; 4) establishing priorities for the review of cannabis business permit applications; 5) establishing operating standards for cannabis businesses; 6) establishing criteria for granting, denying, suspending, and revoking cannabis business permits; 7) incorporating state law governing commercial cannabis activities into local law for enforcement purposes; 8) authorizing the imposition of fines and penalties for violation of local and state laws governing cannabis businesses, and establishing procedures by which cannabis businesses may appeal a fine or permit penalty; 9) prohibiting the smoking and vaping of cannabis on the premises of all cannabis businesses, except select Medicinal Cannabis Retailers, as authorized by the Department of Public Health; 10) prohibiting the consumption of cannabis and cannabis products, other than by smoking or vaping, on the premises of all cannabis businesses, except Storefront Cannabis Retailers and Cannabis Microbusinesses that obtain consumption permits from the Department of Public Health; 11) prohibiting until January 1, 2019, tours of cannabis cultivators, manufacturers, and cannabis microbusinesses, and authorizing the Director of Cannabis to extend the prohibition on tours, or establish guidelines for the operation of tours; 12) prohibiting the acceptance of new applications for medical cannabis dispensary permits, starting January 1, 2018; 13) prohibiting medical cannabis dispensaries from cultivating cannabis under the authority of a medical cannabis dispensary permit, starting April 1, 2018; 14) establishing a sunset date of December 31, 2018, for Article 33 of the Health Code ("Medical Cannabis Act"); 15) eliminating the duty of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to send letters annually to state and federal officials requesting that cannabis be regulated and taxed; and affirming the Planning Department's determination under the California Environmental Quality Act.

9/26/17; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

10/4/17; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT.

10/24/17; SUBSTITUTED AND ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

ADJOURNMENT

LEGISLATION UNDER THE 30-DAY RULE

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171066 [Campaign and Governmental Conduct Code - Failure to File Form 700s]

Sponsor: Peskin

Ordinance amending the Campaign and Governmental Conduct Code to disqualify members of City boards and commissions who have not filed their Form 700s from participating in or voting on certain matters. (Ethics Commission)

10/3/17; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

10/10/17; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT.

171106 [Administrative Code - Reauthorizing Sentencing Commission]

Sponsor: Cohen

Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to reauthorize the San Francisco Sentencing Commission and extend the sunset date to June 30, 2020.

10/17/17; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

10/24/17; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT.

171107 [Administrative Code - Appraisals for Jurisdictional Transfers of Real Property for Affordable Housing]

Sponsor: Peskin

Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to exempt certain City jurisdictional transfers for affordable housing from appraisal requirement.

10/17/17; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

10/24/17; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT.

171138 [Administrative Code - Indigenous Peoples Day]

Sponsor: Cohen

Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to declare the second Monday in October to be Indigenous Peoples Day.

10/24/17; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

171140

[Administrative Code - Process for Establishment of Cultural Districts]

Sponsors: Ronen; Cohen, Kim, Fewer, Sheehy, Yee and Farrell

Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to create a process for the establishment of cultural districts in the City to acknowledge and preserve neighborhoods with unique cultural heritage, and to require City departments to report to the Board of Supervisors and the Mayor regarding existing cultural districts previously established by resolution; and affirming the Planning Department's determination under the California Environmental Quality Act.

10/24/17; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to the Rules Committee.

Agenda Item Information

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- 1) Legislation, 2) Budget and Legislative Analyst report,
- 3) Department or Agency cover letter and/or report, 4) Public correspondence

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