City and County of San Francisco

Government Audit and Oversight Committee

Legislative Chambers, City Hall, Room 250



Meeting Agenda Monday, June 11, 2007 10:00 AM Special Meeting

Members: Sean Elsbernd, Michela Alioto-Pier

Clerk: Beverly Kline (415) 554-7711

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AGENDA CHANGES

REGULAR AGENDA

1. 070736 [North of Market/Tenderloin Community Benefit District Annual Reports to the City]

Supervisor Daly

Resolution regarding North of Market/Tenderloin Community Benefit District annual reports to the City: modifying the "Authority to Contract" provision of the Resolution establishing the District (Resolution No. 584-05) to require an annual financial report that has been reviewed by a Certified Public Accountant who provides a statement of negative assurance, to change the current requirement for an annual CPA "independent audit" to instead require a CPA independent audit upon request of the City, and authorizing amendment of the District's management contract with the City to conform; and receiving and approving the District's Annual Report for 2005-2006 as submitted pursuant to Section 3.4 of the District's management contract.

5/22/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070732) to Board as a Committee Report for consideration on June 12, 2007.

2. 070673 [Contract with Owner's Association for administration/management of Central Market Community Benefit District]

Supervisor Daly

Resolution approving an agreement with the nonprofit Owners' Association for administration/management of the property-based business improvement district known as the "Central Market Community Benefit District," pursuant to Section 36651 of the Streets and Highways Code.

5/15/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070733) to Board as a Committee Report for consideration on June 12, 2007.

3. 070732 [2500 Block of Mission Street Business Improvement District Annual Reports to the City]

Supervisor Ammiano

Resolution regarding 2500 Block of Mission Street Business Improvement District annual reports to the City: modifying the "Authority to Contract" provision of the Resolution establishing the District (Resolution No. 539-05) to require an annual financial report that has been reviewed by a Certified Public Accountant who provides a statement of negative assurance, to change the current requirement for an annual CPA "independent audit" to instead require a CPA independent audit upon request of the City, and authorizing amendment of the District's management contract with the City to conform; and receiving and approving the District's Annual Report for 2005-2006 as submitted pursuant to Section 3.4 of the District's management contract.

5/22/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee. Sponsor requests that the item be calendared at the Government Audit & Oversight Committee on June 4, 2007.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070734) to Board as a Committee Report for consideration on June 12, 2007.

4. 070733 [Castro/Upper Market Community Benefit District Annual Reports to the City; making assessment formulas the same for all District residential property]

Supervisor Dufty

Resolution regarding Castro/Upper Market Community Benefit District annual reports to the City, and making assessment formulas the same for all District residential property: modifying the "Authority to Contract" provision of the Resolution establishing the District (Resolution No. 582-05) to require an annual financial report that has been reviewed by a Certified Public Accountant who provides a statement of negative assurance, to change the current requirement for an annual CPA "independent audit" to instead require a CPA independent audit upon request of the City, and authorizing amendment of the District's management contract with the City to conform; providing that all residential property be assessed by the same lot size and linear frontage formula, receiving and approving the District Assessment Engineer's Report in support, and authorizing conforming amendments and administrative clarifications to the District's management plan and management contract; and receiving and approving the District's Annual Report for 2005-2006 as submitted pursuant to Section 3.4 of the District's management contract.

5/22/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070735) to Board as a Committee Report for consideration on June 12, 2007.

5. 070735 [Noe Valley Community Benefit District Annual Reports to the City] Supervisor Dufty

Resolution regarding Noe Valley Community Benefit District annual reports to the City: modifying the "Authority to Contract" provision of the Resolution establishing the District (Resolution No. 583-05) to require an annual financial report that has been reviewed by a Certified Public Accountant who provides a statement of negative assurance, to change the current requirement for an annual CPA "independent audit" to instead require a CPA independent audit upon request of the City, and authorizing amendment of the District's management contract with the City to conform; and receiving and approving the District's Annual Report for 2005-2006 as submitted pursuant to Section 3.4 of the District's management contract.

5/22/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070736) to Board as a Committee Report for consideration on June 12, 2007.

6. 070734 [Fisherman's Wharf Community Benefit District Annual Supervisor Peskin Reports to the City]

Resolution regarding Fisherman's Wharf Community Benefit District annual reports to the City: modifying the "Authority to Contract" provision of the Resolution establishing the District (Resolution No. 540-05) to require an annual financial report that has been reviewed by a Certified Public Accountant who provides a statement of negative assurance, to change the current requirement for an annual CPA "independent audit" to instead require a CPA independent audit upon request of the City, and authorizing amendment of the District's management contract with the City to conform; and receiving and approving the District's Annual Report for 2005-2006 as submitted pursuant to Section 3.4 of the District's management contract.

5/22/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070737) to Board as a Committee Report for consideration on June 12, 2007.

7. 070737 [Union Square Business Improvement District Annual Supervisor Peskin Reports to the City]

Resolution regarding Union Square Business Improvement District annual reports to the City: modifying the "Authority to Contract" provision of the Resolution renewing the District (Resolution No. 798-03) to require an annual financial report that has been reviewed by a Certified Public Accountant who provides a statement of negative assurance, to change the current requirement for an annual CPA independent audit to instead require a CPA independent audit upon request of the City, to acknowledge that the Mayor's Office of Economic and Workforce Development is the successor to the Mayor's Office of Public Finance and Business Affairs, and authorizing amendment of the District's written agreements (contracts) with the City to conform; and receiving and approving the District's Annual Report for 2005-2006 as submitted pursuant to California Streets and Highways Code §36650.

5/22/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070673) to Board as a Committee

8. 070838 [Contract with Owners' Association for administration/management of Fisherman's Wharf Portside Community Benefit District]

Supervisor Peskin

Resolution approving an agreement with the nonprofit Owners' Association for administration/management of the business-based business improvement district known as the Fisherman's Wharf Portside Community Benefit District, pursuant to Section 36651 of the Streets and Highways Code.

6/5/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070838) to Board as a Committee Report for consideration on June 12, 2007.

9. 070616 [Pine Lake Meadow]

Supervisor Elsbernd

Hearing to discuss Pine Lake Meadow's recent renovation and the plan for parking measures during the Stern Grove Summer Festival.

5/8/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

5/11/07, TRANSFERRED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

5/21/07, CONTINUED. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Supervisor Elsbernd; Supervisor Alioto-Pier; Yomi Agunbiade, Recreation and Park Department; Steve Haines, Stern Grove Festival Festival Association; Norma Miller; Paul Anderson; Heddy Pilpel; Patrick Skain; Monio Pilpel; David Pilpel; Connie Campbell; Bill Coleman; Bill Coleman; Felcia Zweiger; Marcia Seaman; Nicky Trasuing; Sally Stephens; Deborah Sorfin; Patrick Noakes; Nancy Stafford; Melinda McMurray; Millicent Jacobsen; Douglas Yep. Continued to June 11, 2006.

10. 070715 [Unrepresented Employees]

Mayor, Supervisor McGoldrick

Ordinance fixing compensation for persons employed by the City and County of San Francisco whose compensations are subject to the provisions of Section A8.409 of the Charter, in job codes not represented by an employee organization, and establishing working schedules and conditions of employment and, methods of payment, effective July 1, 2007.

(Fiscal Impact.)

5/22/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070715) to Board as a Committee Report for consideration on June 12, 2007.

11. 070716 [MOU, Amendment No. 1 - SEIU, Locals 535, 790 and United Healthcare Workers - West]

Mayor

Ordinance adopting and implementing Amendment #1, the agreement that amends the 2006-2009 Memorandum of Understanding between the City and County of San Francisco and the Service Employees International Union, Locals 535, 790 and United Healthcare Workers - West, relating to certain wages, hours, and working conditions.

(Fiscal Impact.)

5/22/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070716) to Board as a Committee Report for consideration on June 12, 2007.

12. 070717 [MOU, Amendment No. 1 - International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local Union 6, AFL-CIO]

Mayor

Ordinance adopting and implementing Amendment #1, the agreement that amends the 2006-2009 Memorandum of Understanding between the City and County of San Francisco and the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local Union 6, AFL-CIO, by amending the parties' agreement with respect to certain wages, hours, and working conditions.

(Fiscal Impact.)

5/22/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070717) to Board as a Committee Report for consideration on June 12, 2007.

13. 070718 [MOU, Freight Checkers, Clerical Employees & Helpers, Local 856 (Supervising Registered Nurses, Unit 11.B.)]

Mayor

Ordinance adopting and implementing the Memorandum of Understanding between the City and County of San Francisco and the Freight Checkers, Clerical Employees & Helpers, Local 856 (Supervising Registered Nurses, Unit 11.B.), to be effective July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2011.

(Fiscal Impact.)

5/22/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070718) to Board as a Committee Report for consideration on June 12, 2007.

14. 070719 [MOU, Amendment No. 1 - Laborers International Union, Local No. 261]

Mayor

Ordinance adopting and implementing Amendment #1, the agreement that amends the 2006-2009 Memorandum of Understanding between the City and County of San Francisco and the Laborers International Union, Local No. 261, by amending the parties' agreement to allocate funds related to programs for Environmental Service Workers.

(Fiscal Impact.)

5/22/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070719) to Board as a Committee Report for consideration on June 12, 2007.

15. 070720 [MOU, Amendment No. 1 - Municipal Executives' Association, AFL-CIO]

Mayor

Ordinance adopting and implementing Amendment #1, the agreement that amends the 2006-2009 Memorandum of Understanding between the City and County of San Francisco and the Municipal

Executives' Association, AFL-CIO, relating to Management Training Funds.

5/22/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070720) to Board as a Committee Report for consideration on June 12, 2007.

16. 070721 [MOU, San Francisco Police Officers' Association (SFPOA)]

Mayor

Ordinance adopting and implementing the Memorandum of Understanding between the City and County of San Francisco and the San Francisco Police Officers' Association (SFPOA), to be effective July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2011.

(Fiscal Impact.)

5/22/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070721) to Board as a Committee Report for consideration on June 12, 2007.

17. 070722 [MOU, SEIU, Local 790 Staff & Per Diem Nurses]

Mayor

Ordinance adopting and implementing the Memorandum of Understanding between the City and County of San Francisco and the Service Employees International Union, Local 790 Staff & Per Diem Nurses, to be effective July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2010.

(Fiscal Impact.)

5/22/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

The Chair intends to entertain a motion to send this item (File 070722) to Board as a Committee Report for consideration on June 12, 2007.

18. 070668

[Rejecting the 2007-2008 water and wastewater rates adopted by the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission on May 8, 2007]

Supervisors Alioto-Pier, Jew, Elsbernd

Resolution rejecting the 2007-2008 water and wastewater rates adopted by the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission at its public meeting on May 8, 2007, and requiring the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission to adopt new water and wastewater rates that do not adversely affect persons that reside in single-family homes.

(Submitted 5/17/07 - Charter Section 2.109 requires Board of Supervisors rejection within 30 days; Fiscal Impact.)

5/15/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee. Sponsor requests that the item be calendared at the Government Audit & Oversight Committee on June 4, 2007. 6/8/07 -Received correspondence from the Public Utilities Commission informing that the PUC had rescinded its Resolution 07-0079 and 07-0080 adopting schedules of rates, fees and charges of the San Francisco Public Utilities Water and Wasterwater Enterprise for water and wastewater services.

6/4/07, CONTINUED. Heard in Committee: Speakers: Supervisor Elsbernd; Supervisor Alioto-Pier; Suzanne Leal, PUC; Tony Irons, PUC; Ellen Levin, PUC;, Scott Mc Donnell, PUC; Ken Bruce, Budget Analyst's Office; Walter Carlin, PUC; Julie Labonte, PUC; Richard Ow; Jane Kwong; Harris Epstein; Bonnie Kam; David Bisho; Charles Fergusen; Roberta Borganovo; Michael Barnes, Brisbane City Council; Patricia Vaughn; Denise La Pointe; Ron Lee; Joan Girardot; Sonia Ng; Jennifer Clary; Heather Dempsey; Ron Miguel; Nancy Wuerfel; Steve Lawrence; Jin Liu Li Lee; Jim Fabris; Douglas Yep; Susan Berkowicz; Mae Woo; Brook Turner; Richard Hart; John O'connor; Angus McCarthy; Diane Wesley-Smith; Ruth Johnson. Continued to June 11, 2007 meeting.

19. 070428 [Relationship between parking, neighborhood businesses Supervisor Alioto-Pier and families]

Hearing on the relationship between parking, neighborhood businesses, and families, including: (1) the amount of parking available to customers and employees of small business; (2) the impact of parking availability on neighborhood small businesses; (3) the impact of parking availability on families; (4) the feasibility of creating a one-to-one parking ratio per housing unit, to help families city-wide. The hearing should also address issues related to neighborhood parking garages including: (1) the regulations regarding use of neighborhood parking garages and the associated revenues; (2) parking garage revenues and expenditures since FY 2000-2001; (3) the number of parking garages built since FY 2000-2001; and (4) the factors that have limited or encouraged construction of parking garages.

4/10/07, RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Land Use and Economic Development Committee. 4/20/07, TRANSFERRED to Government Audit and Oversight Committee.

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(Not to be considered at this meeting)

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20. 070680

[Administrative Penalties and Fees for Fare Evasion or Passenger Misconduct Offenses]

Supervisor Peskin

Ordinance amending San Francisco Traffic Code Sections 127, 128, 128.1, 128.1-A, 128.2, and 128.3 to clarify the definition of "Proof of Payment" and impose administrative penalties and fees for certain types of fare evasion or passenger misconduct offenses instead of criminal penalties for offenders over the age of eighteen where authorized by state law, and authorizing the Municipal Transportation Agency's Board of Directors to set the specific penalty and fee amounts.

5/15/07, ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Government Audit and Oversight Committee, expires on 6/14/2007.

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