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Hello, can you please distribute the attached comment (PDF file) on the proposed non-binding Resolution item #36, file #220272, for the Tuesday March 22, 2022 Board of Supervisors meeting. Thank you.

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The Board of Supervisors is apparently reacting to satirical image(s) offered by an anonymous artist to the Yes on Recall Chesa Boudin Committee as criticism of failed progressive district attorney Chesa Boudin, who is now approaching 75 days til his recall. The Supervisors continue on a trend of assault on voters rights and now seek to censure and violate the rights of Americans' First Amendment free expression, satirical images they don't like on social media with a farcical "resolution" against political "campaign antics."

A group called API Council, comprised of many outlier Chesa Boudin supporters, last week lied about the existence of a "racist poster" to manufacture outrage; they condemn an alleged "poster" and demand "removal" of it. Yet there never were any posters actually produced. We've all been gaslit.

Political commentary, caricatures, parody, satire and lampooning is a long-held American tradition dating back centuries and protected under the First Amendment of our US Constitution. Searching social media, one can find Chesa Boudin portrayed as a communist dictator in a Mao suit, as well as being portrayed as Lenin, as Stalin, in several iterations of clown face, as Hugo Chavez, as a crying baby in a diaper and as a thug in Luis Vuitton suit and cap. Each of the 11 members of the Board of Supervisors themselves have also been portrayed as any of the aforementioned caricatures, and much more. And social media reacts with overwhelming support in favor of satirical political parodies. City Hall officials *apparently deserve it.*

When one is a public figure, especially a controversial, failed, embarrassing elected official, everyone is fair game. It's our protected, guaranteed right.

Richie Greenberg, Chairman

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