

BUILDING SAN FRANCISCO

DESIGNING, BUILDING, AND MAINTAINING
CITY INFRASTRUCTURE



WHAT THE BUILDING SAN FRANCISCO REPORT INTENDED TO ACCOMPLISH

- Provide the Public Works Commission a roadmap for developing meaningful, public oversight of major construction projects
- Encourage the City to properly fund the Capital Planning Fund which will save us money in the long run
- Improve the quality of information about the financial and operational impact of not maintaining City infrastructure

CITY RESPONSE TO THE REPORT

“While we do not agree that additional oversight processes or structures are the best way to improve outcomes, the City will strive to implement any educational or transparency measures that would allow the public to hold it’s government accountable”

THE JURY'S COMMENTS TO THE CITY'S RESPONSES

DPW Transparency and Accountability

- Role of the Public Works Commission
- Information about large capital projects on the website
- Departments' views that "DPW costs too much"

Degraded Assets

- How can the City improve its understanding of the impact of not properly maintaining existing City assets to City finances and operations to better inform decision makers of the impacts of budget trade-off decisions

Capital Planning Fund

- What, if anything can be done to increase the Fund's budget to help reduce the risk of costly changes to large capital projects and save the City money in the long run

