LEGISLATIVE DIGEST

[General Plan – Amendments Related to the 2014 Update of the Recreation and Open Space Element]

Ordinance amending the San Francisco General Plan by adding the Glen Park Area Plan; and making findings, including environmental findings and findings of consistency with the General Plan and the Priority Policies of Planning Code Section 101.1.

Existing Law

The General Plan of the City and County of San Francisco is a planning document that sets a strategic and long term vision for the City. State law requires that the General Plan address seven issues: land use, circulation, housing, conservation, open space, noise and safety. In addition, a general plan can also contain area plans, which cover specific geographic areas of a city.

Amendments to Current Law

This Ordinance would amend the Recreation and Open Space Element (ROSE) of the General Plan. The ROSE is a policy document that consists in general objectives and policies to guide comprehensive long-term planning, conservation and use of open space and recreational facilities.

Background Information

San Francisco last updated the ROSE in 1986.

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