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LOCAL HOMELESS COORDINATING BOARD

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Authority:

Resolution Nos. 827-97; 926-99; 720-01; and 208-05. Ordinance No. 116-16.

Board Qualifications:

The Local Homeless Coordinating Board shall perform the following functions:

(a) Serve as the Continuum of Care governing body in accordance with applicable U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD") rules and regulations, including but not limited to 24 CFR Part 578 et seq., as amended. The Board shall adopt, and all members shall abide by, a written conflict of interest policy that complies with 24 CFR Part 578.95(b), as amended.

(b) Advise the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing on homeless policy and budget allocations.

The Coordinating Board shall hold a meeting not less than once every month. The Board shall elect officers and shall establish rules or bylaws for its organization and procedures.

The Board shall consist of nine (9) members, as follows:

Seat 1 shall be appointed by the Mayor and shall be a homeless or formerly homeless person.

Seats 2 through 4 shall be appointed by the Mayor. The appointees shall represent organizations or projects serving one or more of the following homeless subpopulations in San Francisco: families with children; single adults; veterans; the chronically homeless; unaccompanied youth;

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persons with HIV/AIDS; persons with substance use disorders; the seriously mentally ill; and victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking. One Board member may represent the interests of more than one homeless subpopulation.

Seats 5 through 8 shall be appointed by the Board of Supervisors. The appointees shall represent one or more of the homeless subpopulations listed in subsection (b) of Section 5.31-2. One Board member may represent the interests of more than one homeless subpopulation.

Seat 9 shall be appointed by the Controller and shall represent one or more of the homeless subpopulations listed in subsection (b) of this Section 5.31-2. One Board member may represent the interests of more than one homeless subpopulation.

All of the homeless subpopulations listed in subsection (b) of this Section 5.31-2 must be represented on the Coordinating Board to the extent that someone is available and willing to represent that subpopulation on the Board. At the time of appointment, the appointing authority shall identify the homeless subpopulation(s) represented by the appointee.

Each member of the Coordinating Board shall serve at the pleasure of the member's appointing authority for a term of four years.

Reports: None.

Sunset Clause: None.

(The Board of Supervisors amended the "Continuum of Care Plan" to incorporate the recommendations of the Ad Hoc Committee's proposal and disbanded the original Local Board, effective August 1, 2005. A new "Local Homeless Coordinating Board" was reconstituted, effective August 1, 2005, with nine members - Resolution No. 208-05. On June 28, 2016, the Board of Supervisors passed Ordinance No. 116-16, which amended the Aministrative Code to establish the Local Homeless Coordinating Board. The ordinance established new seat qualifications and duties.)