

1 [Waiver of Banner Fee - Filipino American Arts Exposition]

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3 **Ordinance waiving the banner fee under Public Works Code, Section 184.78, for up to**
4 **100 banners to be placed on City-owned utility poles by the Filipino American Arts**
5 **Exposition to publicize the August 2018 Pistahan Festival and Parade.**

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7 NOTE: **Unchanged Code text and uncodified text** are in plain Arial font.
8 **Additions to Codes** are in *single-underline italics Times New Roman font*.
9 **Deletions to Codes** are in *strikethrough italics Times New Roman font*.
10 **Board amendment additions** are in double-underlined Arial font.
11 **Board amendment deletions** are in ~~strikethrough Arial font~~.
12 **Asterisks (* * * *)** indicate the omission of unchanged Code
13 subsections or parts of tables.

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12 Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

13 Section 1. Findings.

14 (a) The Pistahan Festival is a two-day cultural and community event in San
15 Francisco that promotes Filipino-American art and business through interactive pavilions,
16 cultural performances, educational exhibits, food concessions, and exhibitor booths. The
17 Festival will be held at Yerba Buena Gardens as part of the year-round series of cultural
18 events known as the Yerba Buena Gardens Festival. The Pistahan Festival will be held on
19 August 11 and 12, 2018, and will be free to the public. The Pistahan Parade will be held on
20 Saturday, August 11, 2018, beginning at 11:00 a.m. in Civic Center area. The Parade will be
21 a dazzling display of Filipino pride and a celebration of a dynamic community with festive
22 floats, lively community contingents, and marching bands along Market Street from the Civic
23 Center area to the Yerba Buena Gardens. The event is organized by the Filipino American
24 Arts Exposition, whose mission is to broaden awareness and deepen the understanding of

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1 Filipino culture and heritage through events that spark cultural pride and foster community
2 empowerment.

3 (b) In connection with the Festival and the Parade, the Filipino American Arts
4 Exposition intends to post up to 100 banners on City-owned utility poles in the Civic Center
5 area, along Market Street between Civic Center Plaza and Fourth Street, and in the area
6 surrounding the Yerba Buena Center for the Arts, subject to approval by Public Works.

7 Section 2. Fee Waiver. The fees set forth in Public Works Code Section 184.78 shall
8 be waived for the Filipino American Arts Exposition for up to 100 banners posted on City-
9 owned utility poles publicizing the Festival and the Parade in July and August 2018. All other
10 provisions of Public Works Code Section 184.78 shall remain in full effect.

11 Section 3. Effective Date and Retroactivity. This ordinance shall become effective 30
12 days after enactment. Enactment occurs when the Mayor signs the ordinance, the Mayor
13 returns the ordinance unsigned or does not sign the ordinance within ten days of receiving it,
14 or the Board of Supervisors overrides the Mayor's veto of the ordinance. However, this
15 ordinance shall be retroactive to July 10, 2018. The Board of Supervisors intends that the
16 Department of Public Works exercise administrative discretion to waive the fee during the
17 period before the effective date of this ordinance. Otherwise, in light of the retroactivity
18 provision above, upon the effective date of this ordinance, the Department of Public Works
19 shall be obligated to refund any excess fees collected during that time period.

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21 APPROVED AS TO FORM:
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