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Ms. Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board
Board of Supervisors, City Hall
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102-4694

Dear Ms. Calvillo:

RE: File No.180090-2

Ordinance amending the Building Code to enact an expedited and streamlined permit process for Electric Vehicle Charging Stations; affirming the Planning Department’s determination under the California Environmental Quality Act; and directing the Clerk to forward this Ordinance to the California Building Standards Commission upon final passage.

Sonya Harris
Secretary

Tom C. Hui
Director

This amendment was heard at the Code Advisory Committee (CAC) meeting on November 14, 2018. The CAC recommended the adoption of ordinance File #180090-2 as written with one amendment, to add a target date of 12-month time limit to page 4 line 14. “The Department shall publish guidance clarifying conditions where an electrical permit is sufficient.”

The Building Inspection Commission met and held a public hearing on November 21, 2018 regarding File No. 180090-2 on the proposed amendment to the San Francisco Building Code referenced above. Mr. Barry Hooper of the Department of Environment mentioned the CAC’s amendment, and the Commissioners had no objection. The Commissioners voted unanimously to support this proposed amendment.

The Commissioners voted to **recommend approval** of the proposed Ordinance **with suggested modifications**, as follows: Add a target date of a 12-month time limit to page 4 line 14. “The Department shall publish guidance clarifying conditions where an electrical permit is sufficient.”

President McCarthy	Yes	Vice-President Walker	Yes
Commissioner Clinch	Abstained	Commissioner Konstin	Excused
Commissioner Lee	Yes	Commissioner Moss	Excused
Commissioner Warshell	Yes		

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at 558-6164.

Sincerely,



Sonya Harris
Commission Secretary

cc: Tom C. Hui, S.E., Director
Mayor London N. Breed
Supervisor Katy Tang
Supervisor Aaron Peskin
Board of Supervisors