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MEMORANDUM

PUBLIC SAFETY AND NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES COMMITTEE

SAN FRANCISCO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

TO: Supervisor Rafael Mandelman, Chair
Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee

FROM: John Carroll, Assistant Clerk

DATE: December 11, 2018

SUBJECT: **COMMITTEE REPORT, BOARD MEETING**
Tuesday, December 11, 2018

The following file should be presented as a COMMITTEE REPORT at the Board meeting, Tuesday, December 11, 2018. This item was acted upon at the special Public Safety and Neighborhood Service Committee meeting on Monday, December 10, 2018, at 4:00 p.m., by the vote indicated.

Item No. 61 File No. 181053

Resolution declaring support for the Tree of Life Synagogue and the global Jewish community following the atrocious anti-Semitic shooting that killed eleven and injured six others on October 27, 2018, in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and repeating the call for common sense gun laws to protect our families and communities.

RECOMMENDED AS AMENDED AS A COMMITTEE REPORT

Vote: Supervisor Rafael Mandelman - Aye
Supervisor Hillary Ronen - Aye
Supervisor Aaron Peskin - Excused

Cc: Board of Supervisors
Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board
Alisa Somera, Legislative Deputy
Jon Givner, Deputy City Attorney

File No. 181053

Committee Item No. 1

Board Item No. 61

COMMITTEE/BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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Date: Dec. 10, 2018

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Prepared by: John Carroll

Date: Dec. 6, 2018

Prepared by: John Carroll

Date: Dec. 11, 2018

1 [Declaring Support for the Tree of Life Synagogue and the Global Jewish Community]

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3 **Resolution declaring support for the Tree of Life Synagogue and the global Jewish**
4 **community following the atrocious anti-Semitic shooting that killed eleven and injured**
5 **six others on October 27, 2018, in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and repeating the call for**
6 **common sense gun laws to protect our families and communities.**

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8 WHEREAS, We all should be able to live and worship freely without fear of gun
9 violence. Yet once again, we have learned that hate armed with a gun is deadly.

10 WHEREAS, Whether worshipping at a synagogue in Pittsburgh, a historically African-
11 American Methodist church in Charleston, a Baptist church in Texas, or a Sikh temple in
12 Wisconsin, people should never have to worry about gun violence when praying or attending
13 services at their place of worship; and

14 WHEREAS, On October 24, in Kentucky, a gunman tried to enter a predominantly
15 African-American church. When he failed, he went to a nearby grocery store and shot and
16 killed two African-American customers; and

17 WHEREAS, On October 27, in Pittsburgh, a gunman entered a Shabbat service at
18 Tree of Life Synagogue, killing eleven and injuring six others; and

19 WHEREAS, Our hearts are with the Jewish community in Pittsburgh and all the families
20 who have been affected by the gun violence epidemic affecting our nation; and

21 WHEREAS, Over the last week, dozens of families became members of a club that no
22 one wants to join: the millions of Americans whose lives have been forever ripped apart by
23 gun violence; and

24 WHEREAS, In an average year, more than 10,300 hate crimes involve a firearm - more
25 than 28 each day; of those, and

1 WHEREAS, Over 2,000 were motivated by bias against a faith, most often anti-Semitic
2 or anti-Islamic prejudice; we must do more to disarm hateful people, and

3 WHEREAS, No other high-income nation accepts this horrifying level of gun violence; it
4 is up to us to make our voices heard and call on leaders at every level of government to put
5 the safety of our families and communities first, and

6 WHEREAS, In the words of Tree of Life rabbi Jeffrey Myers, who wrote recently about
7 gun violence, "We deserve better," we deserve better gun laws; now, therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco declares its support for the
9 Tree of Life Synagogue, the global Jewish community, and all communities ripped apart by
10 gun violence. Across our country, this terrifying shooting must be a reminder that the status
11 quo is unacceptable and that we as a nation can do better; and, be it

12 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco recommits to doing
13 everything possible to provide and promote common sense solutions to gun violence in order
14 to keep children, families, and communities safe.

Member, Board of Supervisors
District 8



City and County of San Francisco

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RAFAEL MANDELMAN

DATE: December 5th, 2018

TO: Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

FROM: Supervisor Rafael Mandelman
Chairperson

RE: Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee
COMMITTEE REPORT

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
SAN FRANCISCO

Pursuant to Board Rule 4.20, as Chair of the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee, I have deemed the following matter is of an urgent nature and request it be considered by the full Board on December 11, 2018, as a Committee Report:

1181083 Declaring Support for the Tree of Life Synagogue and the Global Jewish Community


Resolution declaring support for the Tree of Life Synagogue and the global Jewish community following the atrocious anti-Semitic shooting that killed eleven and injured six others on October 27, 2018, in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and repeating the call for common sense gun laws to protect our families and communities.

This matter will be heard at the Special Meeting of the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee on December 10, 2018 at 4:00 p.m.

Introduction Form

By a Member of the Board of Supervisors or Mayor

RECEIVED
@ 5:05 P.M.
OCTOBER 30, 2018

Time stamp
or meeting date


I hereby submit the following item for introduction (select only one):

- 1. For reference to Committee. (An Ordinance, Resolution, Motion or Charter Amendment).
- 2. Request for next printed agenda Without Reference to Committee.
- 3. Request for hearing on a subject matter at Committee.
- 4. Request for letter beginning : "Supervisor inquiries"
- 5. City Attorney Request.
- 6. Call File No. from Committee.
- 7. Budget Analyst request (attached written motion).
- 8. Substitute Legislation File No.
- 9. Reactivate File No.
- 10. Question(s) submitted for Mayoral Appearance before the BOS on

Please check the appropriate boxes. The proposed legislation should be forwarded to the following:

- Small Business Commission
- Youth Commission
- Ethics Commission
- Planning Commission
- Building Inspection Commission

Note: For the Imperative Agenda (a resolution not on the printed agenda), use the Imperative Form.

Sponsor(s):

Subject:

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