Planning Commission Resolution No. 20210

HEARING DATE: MAY 24, 2018

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Project Name:

Obstructions in Required Setbacks, Yards, and Usable Open Space

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Case Number:

2018-001876PCA [Board File No. TBD]

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INITIATING AMENDMENTS TO THE PLANNING CODE TO ALLOW IN REQUIRED SETBACKS, YARDS, AND USABLE OPEN SPACE ALL PROJECTIONS OF AN ARCHITECTURAL NATURE IF THEY MEET THE SPECIFIED REQUIREMENTS AND TO ALLOW BAY WINDOWS THAT DO NOT MEET THE SPECIFIED REQUIREMENTS TO APPLY FOR A ZONNING ADMINISTRATOR WAIVER; ADOPTING FINDINGS, INCLUDING ENVIRONMENTAL FINDINGS, PLANNING CODE SECTION 302 FINDINGS, AND FINDINGS OF CONSISTENCY WITH THE GENERAL PLAN AND PLANNING CODE SECTION 101.1.

WHEREAS, The Planning Commission (hereinafter "Commission") conducted a duly noticed public hearing at a regularly scheduled meeting to consider initiation of the proposed Ordinance on May 24, 2018; and,

WHEREAS, the proposed amendments would amend the Planning Code to allow in required setbacks, yards, and usable open space all projections of an architectural nature if they meet the specified requirements and to allow bay windows that do not meet the specified requirements to apply for a Zoning Administrator waiver; and

WHEREAS, the Environmental Review will be completed prior to the Commission taking action on this Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has heard and considered the testimony presented to it at the public hearing and has further considered written materials and oral testimony presented on behalf of Department staff and other interested parties; and

WHEREAS, all pertinent documents may be found in the files of the Department, as the custodian of records, at 1650 Mission Street, Suite 400, San Francisco; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has reviewed the proposed Ordinance; and

MOVED, that pursuant to Planning Code Section 302(b), the Commission adopts a Resolution to initiate amendments to the Planning Code;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that pursuant to Planning Code Section 306.3, the Commission authorizes the Department to provide appropriate notice for a public hearing to consider the above referenced Planning Code amendments contained in the draft ordinance, approved as to form by the City Attorney in Exhibit A, to be considered at a publicly noticed hearing on or after July 12, 2018.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Commission at its meeting on May 24, 2018.

Jonas P. Ionin

Commission Secretary

AYES:

Hillis, Fong, Koppel, Melgar, Johnson

NOES:

Moore

ABSENT:

Richards

ADOPTED:

May 24, 2018