

**LEGISLATIVE DIGEST**

[Transportation Code - Fee Waiver for Sunday Streets]

**Ordinance amending Division I of the Transportation Code to waive all fees other than Municipal Transportation Agency fees for Sunday Streets events.**

Existing Law

The Sunday Streets events are subject to a variety of fees, which are paid to various City departments including the Interdepartmental Staff Committee on Traffic and Transportation (ISCOTT), the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA), the Entertainment Commission, Public Works, the Department of Public Health, the Fire Department, and the Recreation and Park Department.

Amendments to Current Law

The ordinance would waive all fees for Sunday Streets except for the SFMTA fees.

Background Information

Sunday Streets is a recurring event that temporarily closes public streets in particular neighborhood on particular Sundays, to transform those streets into car-free community spaces for strolling, play, exercise, meeting, and exchange. The event is celebrating its eleventh year in San Francisco, having grown from two waterfront events in 2008 to ten annual events in neighborhoods across the City. The events are organized and presented by Livable City, a local nonprofit organization, in partnership with various City departments including the ones listed above. The permit fees are intended to reimburse the departments for their costs to permit the events. The events are partially funded by City budget allocations and grants, matched by grants, sponsorships, and exhibitor fees secured by Livable City.

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