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Subject: PLEASE TAKE NOTICE RE: Appeal of Statutory Exemption From Environmental Review - MTA - Slow Streets, Phase 1 - Appeal Hearing - September 1, 2020
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President Yee and
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RE: Hearing set for September 1, 2020, File No. 200883
Appeal of Statutory Exemption "Slow Streets-Phase 1"

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Appellant has requested a continuance of the referenced hearing to October 27, 2020. As stated in Appellant's Request for Continuance filed August 24, 2020, I have not had adequate time to brief this Appeal on behalf of Appellant or prepare for a hearing due to the short notice provided.

PLEASE ALSO NOTE: Appellant and counsel for Appellant are not equipped at this time with the technical capability to participate by the "protocols" noted in the email from the Clerk's office dated August 28, 2020 (attached below), and therefore will not be able to engage a "camera" or "mic" or otherwise participate in "videoconferencing" of this hearing. No alternative to such "videoconferencing" has been provided.

Please distribute this notice to all members of the Board of Supervisors and place a copy in all applicable files on this Appeal.

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Slow Streets, Phase 1 - Appeal Hearing - September 1, 2020

Greetings,

Prior to the hearing, our office wanted to reiterate a few protocols for the Board meeting:

1. When you join the meeting, please make sure you select options for your camera and mic to be off when entering. It is disruptive when you appear unexpectedly and it is not appropriate for you to appear when you are not speaking.
2. **KEEP YOUR CAMERA AND MIC TURNED OFF** unless it is your turn to speak. Do not turn your camera on until the President calls your name for presentations during the hearing or if you are requested to answer a question.
3. **DO NOT SPEAK UNLESS THE PRESIDENT CALLS UPON YOU.** If you have something to say during the hearing, please use the “chat window” to place your name and wait to be called. This window is utilized as the roster and is monitored. If you are not called upon after entering your name, you still may not speak up or interrupt the proceedings. The President has the authority to recognize speakers and it is not appropriate for anyone to interrupt discussions without being acknowledged.
4. After the hearing is over, please leave the Microsoft Teams meeting. If you wish to continue watching, please tune in to SFGovTV.org or watch Cable Channel 26. If you do not leave you will be removed automatically after your items are done.

Also attached to this email, are instructions, best practices, and how to join the meeting on Tuesday.

Appellants and project sponsors may present/share presentation through screen share when the item is called upon. Instructions to do so is under the attachment “Participant Videoconferencing Meeting Procedure.” Please also provide an electronic copy to our office in advance, in case parties have technical difficulties on Tuesday’s meeting.

Although the appeal items are scheduled for Special Order, at 3:00 p.m., the Board meeting begins at 2:00 p.m., and you may log-in half hour before then to make sure you are able to access the meeting.

The Board Agenda for next Tuesday, may be found here, which will include the public comment call-in information: <https://sfbos.org/meetings/42>

Thank you for your consideration, and let me know if you have any questions or concerns regarding these protocols.

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(VIRTUAL APPOINTMENTS) To schedule a “virtual” meeting with me (on Microsoft Teams), please ask and I can answer your questions in real time.

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