

SAN FRANCISCO PLANNING COMMISSION



Notice of Hearing & Agenda

Commission Chambers, Room 400
City Hall, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

Thursday, December 20, 2018
1:00 p.m.
Regular Meeting

Commissioners:

Rich Hillis, President

Myrna Melgar, Vice President

Rodney Fong, Milicent Johnson, Joel Koppel,

Kathrin Moore, Dennis Richards

Commission Secretary:

Jonas P. Ionin

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ROLL CALL:

President: Rich Hillis
 Vice-President: Myrna Melgar
 Commissioners: Rodney Fong, Milicent Johnson, Joel Koppel,
 Kathrin Moore, Dennis Richards

A. CONSIDERATION OF ITEMS PROPOSED FOR CONTINUANCE

The Commission will consider a request for continuance to a later date. The Commission may choose to continue the item to the date proposed below, to continue the item to another date, or to hear the item on this calendar.

1. 2018-011935CUA (M. CHRISTENSEN: (415) 575-8742)
2505 THIRD STREET – southeast corner of 3rd and 22nd Streets; Lot 001 of Assessor's Block 4173 (District 10) – Request for **Conditional Use Authorization**, pursuant to Planning Code Sections 210.3, 249.37, and [303](#) to expand an existing Retail Sales and Service use to a total size of 6,798 square (proposed as a Restaurant and Event Space, dba Magnolia Brewery) at the ground floor of an existing three-story industrial building within the PDR-1-G (Production, Distribution & Repair – 1 - General) Zoning District, the Innovative Industries Special Use District, and the 85-X and 68-X Height and Bulk districts. This action constitutes the Approval Action for the project for the purposes of CEQA, pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section [31.04\(h\)](#).
(Proposed Continuance to January 24, 2019)

2. 2018-007366CUA (N. FOSTER: (415) 575-9167)
838 GRANT AVENUE – east side of Grant Avenue, between Washington and Clay Streets, Lot 005 in Assessor's Block 0209 (District 3) – Request for **Conditional Use Authorization** to establish a new 7,138 gross square foot Restaurant Use (d.b.a. "Cityview") within an existing, ground-floor commercial tenant space fronting Walter U. Lum Place. The proposed restaurant would operate from 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 a.m. daily and utilize an ABC Type 47 License (on-sale general, eating place). The Project involves interior and exterior tenant improvements, including a 4'-4" horizontal expansion of the tenant space into a recessed opening fronting Walter U. Lum Place. This action constitutes the Approval Action for the project for the purposes of CEQA, pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section [31.04\(h\)](#).
Preliminary Recommendation: Approve with Conditions
(Proposed Continuance to January 31, 2019)

3. 2017-009635CUA (V. FLORES: (415) 575-9173)
432 CORTLAND AVENUE – between Bennington and Andover Streets; Lot 030 of Assessor's Block 5678 (District 8) – Request for **Conditional Use Authorization**, pursuant to Planning Code Sections [303](#) and [317](#) to allow demolition of an existing 2,376 square foot mixed-use building containing a residential unit and new construction of a three-story-over-basement 6,419 square foot mixed-use building with three residential units and one ground commercial unit (measuring approximately 1,284 square feet) in a NC-2 (Neighborhood Commercial, Small Scale) Zoning District and 40-X Height and Bulk District.

This action constitutes the Approval Action for the project for the purposes of CEQA, pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section [31.04\(h\)](#).

Preliminary Recommendation: Approve with Conditions

(Proposed Continuance to January 31, 2019)

4. [2017-009224CUA](#) (M. WOODS: (415) 558-6315)
[601 VAN NESS AVENUE](#) – west side of Van Ness Avenue; Lot 027 in Assessor’s Block 0762 (District 5) – Request for **Conditional Use Authorization** pursuant to Planning Code Sections 202.4 and 303(j) to discontinue a Movie Theatre use (Opera Plaza Cinema) of approximately 6,380 square feet and propose a Retail Sales and Service use within a RC-4 (Residential-Commercial High Density) Zoning District, the Van Ness Avenue Special Use District, and 130-V Height and Bulk District. This action constitutes the Approval Action for the project for the purposes of CEQA, pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section [31.04\(h\)](#).
Preliminary Recommendation: Approve with Conditions
(Continued from Regular hearing on October 18, 2018)
(Proposed Continuance to February 21, 2019)

B. CONSENT CALENDAR

All matters listed hereunder constitute a Consent Calendar, are considered to be routine by the Planning Commission, and may be acted upon by a single roll call vote of the Commission. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a member of the Commission, the public, or staff so requests, in which event the matter shall be removed from the Consent Calendar and considered as a separate item at this or a future hearing

5. [2018-008389CUA](#) (A. LINDSAY: (415) 575-9178)
[88 KING STREET](#) – northeast corner of the 2nd Street and King Street intersection, Lot 005 of Assessor’s Block 3793 (District 9) – Request for a **Conditional Use Authorization**, pursuant to Planning Code Sections 303(c) and 829, to install a Sprint Macro Wireless Telecommunications Facility which consists of installation of (6) new panel antennas; (12) new RRUs; (1) new microwave antenna; and (1) GPS antenna. All antennas will be located behind screen walls, and are proposed to be painted to match the existing building. Ancillary equipment will be located inside the rooftop penthouse equipment room as part of the Sprint Telecommunications Network. The subject property is located within the SB-DTR (South Beach Downtown Residential) Zoning District, and 105/200-R Height and Bulk Districts. This action constitutes the Approval Action for the project for the purposes of CEQA, pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section [31.04\(h\)](#).
Preliminary Recommendation: Approve with Conditions
6. [2018-012330CUA](#) (M. CHANDLER: (415) 575-9048)
[447 BROADWAY](#) – south side between Rowland Street and Nottingham Place; Lot 026 of Assessor’s Block 0163 (District 3) – Request for **Conditional Use Authorization**, pursuant to Planning Code Sections 303 and 714, to establish a 4,000 square foot General Entertainment Use (dba Escape SF) at the ground floor of an existing vacant space most recently used for private parking within the Broadway NCD (Neighborhood Commercial District) Zoning District and 65-A-1Height and Bulk District. This project was reviewed under the Community Business Priority Processing Program (CB3P). This action constitutes

the Approval Action for the project for the purposes of CEQA, pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section [31.04\(h\)](#).

Preliminary Recommendation: Approve with Conditions

C. COMMISSION MATTERS

7. Consideration of Adoption:

- [Draft Minutes for December 6, 2018](#)

8. Commission Comments/Questions

- Inquiries/Announcements. Without discussion, at this time Commissioners may make announcements or inquiries of staff regarding various matters of interest to the Commissioner(s).
- Future Meetings/Agendas. At this time, the Commission may discuss and take action to set the date of a Special Meeting and/or determine those items that could be placed on the agenda of the next meeting and other future meetings of the Planning Commission.

D. DEPARTMENT MATTERS

9. [Director's Announcements](#)

10. Review of Past Events at the Board of Supervisors, Board of Appeals and Historic Preservation Commission

E. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT – 15 MINUTES

At this time, members of the public may address the Commission on items of interest to the public that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Commission except agenda items. With respect to agenda items, your opportunity to address the Commission will be afforded when the item is reached in the meeting. Each member of the public may address the Commission for up to three minutes. When the number of speakers exceed the 15-minute limit, General Public Comment may be moved to the end of the Agenda.

F. REGULAR CALENDAR

The Commission Hearing Procedures provide for presentations by staff; followed by the project sponsor team; followed by public comment for and against the proposal. Please be advised that the project sponsor team includes: the sponsor(s) or their designee, lawyers, architects, engineers, expeditors, and/or other advisors.

11. (S. EDMONDSON: (415) 575-6818)
- [MODERNIZING LONG RANGE DATA ANALYSIS](#) – The **Informational Presentation** will summarize one initiative of the Citywide Division's work program to harness the power of current GIS technology to keep up with professional practice standards, address increasingly complex long range planning challenges, and meet public expectation for data services, including analysis and visualization of land use data and scenario planning. This capacity and related products are integral to the long-range planning work of the Planning Department and that of sister Departments, to meeting ongoing monitoring and

reporting requirements, for coordination with regional and state agencies, and for ongoing policy and project discussions at all scales. The program's goal is to create an integrated information system that reduces costs, streamlines production, and increases the ease of use, accessibility, and value of data needed to address San Francisco's complex long-range planning challenges.

Preliminary Recommendation: None – Informational

12. [2016-015675CUA](#) (A. LINDSAY: (415) 575-9178)
2990 24TH STREET – northeast corner of the Harrison Street and 24th Street intersection, Lot 040 of Assessor's Block 4206 (District 9) - Request for a **Conditional Use Authorization**, pursuant to Planning Code Sections 303(c) and 763, to install a new rooftop AT&T Mobility Macro Wireless Telecommunications Facility consisting of (2) new FRP enclosures; (9) new antennas; (24) new RRHs; (1) GPS antenna; ancillary equipment; and (1) equipment room within the existing building as part of the AT&T Mobility Telecommunications Network. The subject property is located within the 24th-Mission NCT (Neighborhood Commercial Transit), and 55-X Height and Bulk Districts. This action constitutes the Approval Action for the project for the purposes of CEQA, pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section [31.04](#)(h).
Preliminary Recommendation: Approve with Conditions
 (Continued from Regular hearing on November 8, 2018)
Note: On September 13, 2018, after being pulled off of Consent; Closing PC; and a Motion to Continue Indefinitely failed +1 -5 (Fong, Johnson, Koppel, Moore, Hillis against; Richards recused); Continued to November 8, 2018 by a vote of +5 -1 (Melgar against; Richards absent). On November 8, 2018, without hearing, continued to December 20, 2018 by a vote of +6 -0 (Moore absent).
- 13a. [2016-004905ENX](#) (D. VU: (415) 575-9120)
1052-1060 FOLSOM STREET & 190-194 RUSS STREET – northwest corner of Folsom and Russ Streets – Lots 021, 023 & 087 in Assessor's Block 3731 (District 6) – Request for **Large Project Authorization**, pursuant to Planning Code Section 329 for the demolition of five existing buildings containing commercial uses and four dwelling units, merger of three lots into a single parcel, and the construction of a new 64-ft. 6-in. tall, seven-story and 58,719 sq. ft. mixed use building containing 2,832 sq. ft. of ground floor commercial retail use and 55,887 sq. ft. of residential use for 63 dwelling units. The Project also includes 6,991 sq. ft. of combined private and common open space and a 3,572 sq. ft. ground floor garage for 17 automobile and 63 Class 1 bicycle parking spaces. The Project is also requesting modifications from the rear yard and dwelling unit exposure requirements pursuant to Planning Code Sections 134 and 140, respectively. The subject properties are located within a Residential Enclave (RED) and SoMa Neighborhood Commercial Transit (NCT) Districts, the SoMa Youth and Family Special Use District, and 65-X Height and Bulk District.
Preliminary Recommendation: Approve with Conditions
- 13b. [2016-004905CUA](#) (D. VU: (415) 575-9120)
1052-1060 FOLSOM STREET & 190-194 RUSS STREET – northwest corner of Folsom and Russ Streets – Lots 021, 023 & 087 in Assessor's Block 3731 (District 6) – Request for **Conditional Use Authorization**, pursuant to Planning Code Section 303, for development on a lot greater than 10,000 sq. ft. (Planning Code Section 121.1), merger of lots resulting in a single street frontage greater than 50 feet in the RED District (Planning Code Section 121.7), and for the demolition of dwelling units (Planning Code Section 317), for the

project involving for the demolition of five existing buildings containing commercial uses and four dwelling units, merger of three lots into a single parcel, and the construction of a new 64-ft. 6-in. tall, seven-story and 58,719 sq. ft. mixed use building containing 2,832 sq. ft. of ground floor commercial retail use and 55,887 sq. ft. of residential use for 63 dwelling units. The Project also includes 6,991 sq. ft. of combined private and common open space and a 3,572 sq. ft. ground floor garage for 17 automobile and 63 Class 1 bicycle parking spaces. The Project is also requesting modifications from the rear yard and dwelling unit exposure requirements pursuant to Planning Code Sections 134 and 140, respectively. The subject properties are located within a Residential Enclave (RED) and SoMa Neighborhood Commercial Transit (NCT) Districts, the SoMa Youth and Family Special Use District, and 65-X Height and Bulk District. This action constitutes the Approval Action for the project for the purposes of CEQA, pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section [31.04](#)(h).

Preliminary Recommendation: Approve with Conditions

- 13c. [2016-004905SHD](#) (D. VU: (415) 575-9120)
1052-1060 FOLSOM STREET & 190-194 RUSS STREET – northwest corner of Folsom and Russ Streets – Lots 021, 023 & 087 in Assessor’s Block 3731 (District 6) – Request for **Shadow Determination**, pursuant to Planning Code Section 295, the project requires authorization from the Planning Commission for shadow impacts on the Victoria Manalo Draves Park, for the project involving for the demolition of five existing buildings containing commercial uses and four dwelling units, merger of three lots into a single parcel, and the construction of a new 64-ft. 6-in. tall, seven-story and 58,719 sq. ft. mixed use building containing 2,832 sq. ft. of ground floor commercial retail use and 55,887 sq. ft. of residential use for 63 dwelling units. The Project also includes 6,991 sq. ft. of combined private and common open space and a 3,572 sq. ft. ground floor garage for 17 automobile and 63 Class 1 bicycle parking spaces. The Project is also requesting modifications from the rear yard and dwelling unit exposure requirements pursuant to Planning Code Sections 134 and 140, respectively. The subject properties are located within a Residential Enclave (RED) and SoMa Neighborhood Commercial Transit (NCT) Districts, the SoMa Youth and Family Special Use District, and 65-X Height and Bulk District.
Preliminary Recommendation: Adopt Shadow Findings
- 13d. [2016-004905VAR](#) (D. VU: (415) 575-9120)
1052-1060 FOLSOM STREET & 190-194 RUSS STREET – northwest corner of Folsom and Russ Streets – Lots 021, 023 & 087 in Assessor’s Block 3731 (District 6) – Request for a **Variance** to the rear yard requirement pursuant to Planning Code Section 134, and dwelling unit exposure requirement under Planning Code Section 140, for the project involving for the demolition of five existing buildings containing commercial uses and four dwelling units, merger of three lots into a single parcel, and the construction of a new 64-ft. 6-in. tall, seven-story and 58,719 sq. ft. mixed use building containing 2,832 sq. ft. of ground floor commercial retail use and 55,887 sq. ft. of residential use for 63 dwelling units. The Project also includes 6,991 sq. ft. of combined private and common open space and a 3,572 sq. ft. ground floor garage for 17 automobile and 63 Class 1 bicycle parking spaces. The Project is also requesting modifications from the rear yard and dwelling unit exposure requirements pursuant to Planning Code Sections 134 and 140, respectively. The subject properties are located within a Residential Enclave (RED) and SoMa Neighborhood Commercial Transit (NCT) Districts, the SoMa Youth and Family Special Use District, and 65-X Height and Bulk District.

14. [2018-012420CUA](#) (S. ADINA: (415) 575-8722)
1169 MARKET STREET – southwest corner of Market Street and 8th Street, Lot 390 of Assessor's Block 3702 (District 6) – Request for **Conditional Use Authorization**, pursuant to Planning Code Section 303, 303.1, and 210.1 to establish a Formula Retail Grocery (d.b.a. Whole Foods Market) within a C-3-G (Downtown General) Zoning District and 150-X, 120-X, 240-S Height and Bulk District. This action constitutes the Approval Action for the project for the purposes of CEQA, pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section [31.04\(h\)](#).
Preliminary Recommendation: Approve with Conditions

G. DISCRETIONARY REVIEW CALENDAR

The Commission Discretionary Review Hearing Procedures provide for presentations by staff; followed by the DR requestor team; followed by public comment opposed to the project; followed by the project sponsor team; followed by public comment in support of the project. Please be advised that the DR requestor and project sponsor teams include: the DR requestor and sponsor or their designee, lawyers, architects, engineers, expeditors, and/or other advisors.

15. [2016-015887DRP](#) (D. WINSLOW: (415) 575-9159)
2025 15TH AVENUE – between Pacheco and Quintara; Lot 001D in Assessor's Block 2135 (District 7) – Request for **Discretionary Review** of Building Permit Application No. 2016.1205.4125, for construction of a horizontal rear addition and a one-story vertical addition to a single-family dwelling an existing 2-story single-family home within a RH-1(D) (Residential, House, One-Family- Detached) Zoning District and 40-X Height and Bulk District. This action constitutes the Approval Action for the project for the purposes of CEQA, pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section [31.04\(h\)](#).
Preliminary Recommendation: Do Not Take Discretionary Review and Approve
(Continued from Regular hearing on October 11, 2018)
16. [2017-010630DRP](#) (D. WINSLOW: (415) 575-9159)
1621 DIAMOND STREET – between 28th & Valley; Lot 029 in Assessor's Block 6611 (District 8) – Request for **Discretionary Review** of Building Permit Application No. 2017.0810.4463 for a one-story vertical addition and a three-story rear horizontal addition, including alterations to the front façade within a RH-1 (Residential, House, One-Family) Zoning District and 40-X Height and Bulk District. This action constitutes the Approval Action for the project for the purposes of CEQA, pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section [31.04\(h\)](#).
Preliminary Recommendation: Do Not Take Discretionary Review and Approve
(Continued from Regular hearing on November 29, 2018)
17. [2018-008820DRP](#) (D. WINSLOW: (415) 575-9159)
440 MOLIMO DRIVE – Myra Way; Lot 016 in Assessor's Block 2962A (District 7) – Request for **Discretionary Review** of Building Permit Application No. 2018.0619.2350 for construction of a 498 s.f. one-story horizontal addition to an existing 3 story, single-family dwelling within a RH-1 (Residential-House, Single family) Zoning District and 40-X Height and Bulk District. This action constitutes the Approval Action for the project for the purposes of CEQA, pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section [31.04\(h\)](#).
Preliminary Recommendation: Do Not Take Discretionary Review and Approve

18. [2017-010924DRP](#) (D. WINSLOW: (415) 575-9159)
10 ALADDIN TERRACE – Taylor St.; Lots 034A and 035A in Assessor’s Block 0100 (District 3)
– Request for **Discretionary Review** of Building Permit Application No. 2017.1103.3069 for construction of a one-story vertical addition to a 3 story, two-family dwelling. Extensive changes to the front, rear and side facades are proposed within a RM-1 (Residential-Mixed, Low density) Zoning District and 40-X Height and Bulk District. This action constitutes the Approval Action for the project for the purposes of CEQA, pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section [31.04\(h\)](#).
Preliminary Recommendation: Do Not Take Discretionary Review and Approve

ADJOURNMENT

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Hearing Procedures

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Public Comments: Persons attending a hearing may comment on any scheduled item.

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Sound-Producing Devices Prohibited: The ringing of and use of mobile phones and other sound-producing electronic devices are prohibited at this meeting. Please be advised that the Chair may order the removal of any person(s) responsible for the ringing or use of a mobile phone, pager, or other similar sound-producing electronic devices (*67A.1 Sunshine Ordinance: Prohibiting the use of cell phones, pagers and similar sound-producing electronic devices at and during public meetings*).

For most cases (CU's, PUD's, 309's, etc...) that are considered by the Planning Commission, after being introduced by the Commission Secretary, shall be considered by the Commission in the following order:

1. A thorough description of the issue(s) by the Director or a member of the staff.
2. A presentation of the proposal by the Project Sponsor(s) team (includes sponsor or their designee, lawyers, architects, engineers, expeditors, and/or other advisors) would be for a period not to exceed 10 minutes, unless a written request for extension not to exceed a total presentation time of 15 minutes is received at least 72 hours in advance of the hearing, through the Commission Secretary, and granted by the President or Chair.
3. A presentation of opposition to the proposal by organized opposition for a period not to exceed 10 minutes (or a period equal to that provided to the project sponsor team) with a minimum of three (3) speakers. The intent of the 10 min block of time provided to organized opposition is to reduce the number of overall speakers who are part of the organized opposition. The requestor should advise the group that the Commission would expect the organized presentation to represent their testimony, if granted. Organized opposition will be recognized only upon written application at least 72 hours in advance of the hearing, through the Commission Secretary, the President or Chair. Such application should identify the organization(s) and speakers.
4. **Public testimony from proponents of the proposal:** An individual may speak for a period not to exceed three (3) minutes.
5. **Public testimony from opponents of the proposal:** An individual may speak for a period not to exceed three (3) minutes.
6. Director's preliminary recommendation must be prepared in writing.
7. Action by the Commission on the matter before it.
8. In public hearings on Draft Environmental Impact Reports, all speakers will be limited to a period not to exceed three (3) minutes.
9. The President (or Acting Chair) may impose time limits on appearances by members of the public and may otherwise exercise his or her discretion on procedures for the conduct of public hearings.
10. Public comment portion of the hearing shall be closed and deliberation amongst the Commissioners shall be opened by the Chair;
11. A motion to approve; approve with conditions; approve with amendments and/or modifications; disapprove; or continue to another hearing date, if seconded, shall be voted on by the Commission.

Every Official Act taken by the Commission must be adopted by a majority vote of all members of the Commission, a minimum of four (4) votes. A failed motion results in the disapproval of the requested action, unless a subsequent motion is adopted. Any Procedural Matter, such as a continuance, may be adopted by a majority vote of members present, as long as the members present constitute a quorum (four (4) members of the Commission).

For Discretionary Review cases that are considered by the Planning Commission, after being introduced by the Commission Secretary, shall be considered by the Commission in the following order:

1. A thorough description of the issue by the Director or a member of the staff.

2. A presentation by the DR Requestor(s) team (includes Requestor(s) or their designee, lawyers, architects, engineers, expeditors, and/or other advisors) would be for a period not to exceed five (5) minutes for each requestor.
3. Testimony by members of the public in support of the DR would be up to three (3) minutes each.
4. A presentation by the Project Sponsor(s) team (includes Sponsor(s) or their designee, lawyers, architects, engineers, expeditors, and/or other advisors) would be for a period up to five (5) minutes, but could be extended for a period not to exceed 10 minutes if there are multiple DR requestors.
5. Testimony by members of the public in support of the project would be up to three (3) minutes each.
6. DR requestor(s) or their designees are given two (2) minutes for rebuttal.
7. Project sponsor(s) or their designees are given two (2) minutes for rebuttal.
8. The President (or Acting Chair) may impose time limits on appearances by members of the public and may otherwise exercise his or her discretion on procedures for the conduct of public hearings.

The Commission must Take DR in order to disapprove or modify a building permit application that is before them under Discretionary Review. A failed motion to Take DR results in a Project that is approved as proposed.

Hearing Materials

Advance Submissions: To allow Commissioners the opportunity to review material in advance of a hearing, materials must be received by the Planning Department eight (8) days prior to the scheduled public hearing. All submission packages must be delivered to 1650 Mission Street, Suite 400, by 5:00 p.m. and should include fifteen (15) hardcopies and a .pdf copy must be provided to the staff planner. Correspondence submitted to the Planning Commission after eight days in advance of a hearing must be received by the Commission Secretary no later than the close of business the day before a hearing for it to become a part of the public record for any public hearing.

Correspondence submitted to the Planning Commission on the same day, must be submitted at the hearing directly to the Planning Commission Secretary. Please provide ten (10) copies for distribution. Correspondence submitted in any other fashion on the same day may not become a part of the public record until the following hearing.

Correspondence sent directly to all members of the Commission, must include a copy to the Commission Secretary (commissions.secretary@sfgov.org) for it to become a part of the public record.

These submittal rules and deadlines shall be strictly enforced and no exceptions shall be made without a vote of the Commission.

Persons unable to attend a hearing may submit written comments regarding a scheduled item to: Planning Commission, 1650 Mission Street, Suite 400, San Francisco, CA 94103-2414. Written comments received by the close of the business day prior to the hearing will be brought to the attention of the Planning Commission and made part of the official record.

Appeals

The following is a summary of appeal rights associated with the various actions that may be taken at a Planning Commission hearing.

Case Type	Case Suffix	Appeal Period*	Appeal Body
Office Allocation	OFA (B)	15 calendar days	Board of Appeals**
Conditional Use Authorization and Planned Unit Development	CUA (C)	30 calendar days	Board of Supervisors
Building Permit Application (Discretionary Review)	DRP/DRM (D)	15 calendar days	Board of Appeals
EIR Certification	ENV (E)	30 calendar days	Board of Supervisors
Coastal Zone Permit	CTZ (P)	15 calendar days	Board of Appeals
Planning Code Amendments by Application	PCA (T)	30 calendar days	Board of Supervisors
Variance (Zoning Administrator action)	VAR (V)	10 calendar days	Board of Appeals
Large Project Authorization in Eastern Neighborhoods	LPA (X)	15 calendar days	Board of Appeals
Permit Review in C-3 Districts, Downtown Residential Districts	DNX (X)	15-calendar days	Board of Appeals
Zoning Map Change by Application	MAP (Z)	30 calendar days	Board of Supervisors

* Appeals of Planning Commission decisions on Building Permit Applications (Discretionary Review) must be made within 15 days of the date the building permit is issued/denied by the Department of Building Inspection (not from the date of the Planning Commission

hearing). Appeals of Zoning Administrator decisions on Variances must be made within 10 days from the issuance of the decision letter.

****An appeal of a Certificate of Appropriateness or Permit to Alter/Demolish may be made to the Board of Supervisors if the project requires Board of Supervisors approval or if the project is associated with a Conditional Use Authorization appeal. An appeal of an Office Allocation may be made to the Board of Supervisors if the project requires a Conditional Use Authorization.**

For more information regarding the Board of Appeals process, please contact the Board of Appeals at (415) 575-6880. For more information regarding the Board of Supervisors process, please contact the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors at (415) 554-5184 or board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org.

An appeal of the approval (or denial) of a **100% Affordable Housing Bonus Program application** may be made to the **Board of Supervisors within 30 calendar days** after the date of action by the Planning Commission pursuant to the provisions of Sections 328(g)(5) and 308.1(b). Appeals must be submitted in person at the Board's office at 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244. For further information about appeals to the Board of Supervisors, including current fees, contact the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors at (415) 554-5184.

An appeal of the approval (or denial) of a **building permit application** issued (or denied) pursuant to a 100% Affordable Housing Bonus Program application by the Planning Commission or the Board of Supervisors may be made to the **Board of Appeals within 15 calendar days** after the building permit is issued (or denied) by the Director of the Department of Building Inspection. Appeals must be submitted in person at the Board's office at 1650 Mission Street, 3rd Floor, Room 304. For further information about appeals to the Board of Appeals, including current fees, contact the Board of Appeals at (415) 575-6880.

Challenges

Pursuant to Government Code Section 65009, if you challenge, in court, (1) the adoption or amendment of a general plan, (2) the adoption or amendment of a zoning ordinance, (3) the adoption or amendment of any regulation attached to a specific plan, (4) the adoption, amendment or modification of a development agreement, or (5) the approval of a variance, conditional-use authorization, or any permit, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning Commission, at, or prior to, the public hearing.

CEQA Appeal Rights under Chapter 31 of the San Francisco Administrative Code

If the Commission's action on a project constitutes the Approval Action for that project (as defined in S.F. Administrative Code Chapter 31, as amended, Board of Supervisors Ordinance Number 161-13), then the CEQA determination prepared in support of that Approval Action is thereafter subject to appeal within the time frame specified in S.F. Administrative Code Section 31.16. This appeal is separate from and in addition to an appeal of an action on a project. Typically, an appeal must be filed within 30 calendar days of the Approval Action for a project that has received an exemption or negative declaration pursuant to CEQA. For information on filing an appeal under Chapter 31, contact the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors at City Hall, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244, San Francisco, CA 94102, or call (415) 554-5184. If the Department's Environmental Review Officer has deemed a project to be exempt from further environmental review, an exemption determination has been prepared and can be obtained on-line at <http://www.sf-planning.org/index.aspx?page=3447>. Under CEQA, in a later court challenge, a litigant may be limited to raising only those issues previously raised at a hearing on the project or in written correspondence delivered to the Board of Supervisors, Planning Commission, Planning Department or other City board, commission or department at, or prior to, such hearing, or as part of the appeal hearing process on the CEQA decision.

Protest of Fee or Exaction

You may protest any fee or exaction subject to Government Code Section 66000 imposed as a condition of approval in accordance with Government Code Section 66020. The protest must satisfy the requirements of Government Code Section 66020(a) and must be filed within 90 days of the date of the first approval or conditional approval of the development referencing the challenged fee or exaction. For purposes of Government Code Section 66020, the date of imposition of the fee shall be the date of the earliest discretionary approval by the City of the subject development.

The Planning Commission's approval or conditional approval of the development subject to the challenged fee or exaction as expressed in its Motion, Resolution, or Discretionary Review Action or the Zoning Administrator's Variance Decision Letter will serve as Notice that the 90-day protest period under Government Code Section 66020 has begun.