

# City and County of San Francisco Meeting Minutes

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## **Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee**

Members: Matt Dorsey, Bilal Mahmood, Danny Sauter

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Thursday, March 13, 2025

10:00 AM

City Hall, Legislative Chamber, Room 250

### **Regular Meeting**

Present: 3 - Matt Dorsey, Bilal Mahmood, and Danny Sauter

The Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee met in regular session on Thursday, March 13, 2025, with Chair Matt Dorsey presiding. Chair Dorsey called the meeting to order at 10:02 a.m.

#### **ROLL CALL AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

On the call of the roll, Chair Dorsey, Vice Chair Mahmood, and Member Sauter were noted present. A quorum was present.

#### **COMMUNICATIONS**

Monique Crayton, Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee Clerk, instructed members of the public that public comment is taken on each item on the agenda. Alternatively, written comments may be submitted through email (monique.crayton@sfgov.org) or the U.S. Postal Service at City Hall, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244, San Francisco, CA 94102.

#### **AGENDA CHANGES**

There were no agenda changes.

#### **REGULAR AGENDA**

#### 250151 [Liquor License Transfer - 1266 9th Avenue - Luke's Local]

Hearing to consider that the person-to-person, premise-to-premise transfer of a Type-21 off-sale general beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to LUKE'S LOCAL, INC., doing business as Luke's Local, located at 1266 9th Avenue (District 7), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

02/05/25; RECEIVED. The applicant submitted a request for a determination on the public convenience or necessity of the transfer of a Type-21 off-sale general beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to LUKE'S LOCAL INC., doing business as Luke's Local, located at 1266 9th Avenue (District 7).

02/07/25; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

02/12/25; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to the Planning Department and Police Department for recommendation.

02/20/25; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Planning Department is recommending approval accesssory liquor store use is permitted with a general grocery store use Per PC Section 102. Lukes Local is permitted per BPA 202410304068 subject to the conditions outlined in PC Section 202.2.

03/04/25; RESPONSE RECEIVED. The Police Department submitted a response recommending approval with the following condition:

1) Petitioner(s) shall actively monitor the area under their control in an effort to prevent the loitering of persons on any property adjacent to the licensed premises as depicted on the ABC-253.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Officer Andrew Froines (Police Department); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion.

Chair Dorsey moved that this Hearing be PREPARED IN COMMITTEE AS A RESOLUTION, making a determination that the person-to-person, premise-to-premise transfer of a Type-21 off-sale general beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to the applicant will serve the public convenience or necessity. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Mahmood, Sauter

Resolution determining that the person-to-person, premise-to-premise transfer of a Type-21 off-sale general beer, wine, and distilled spirits liquor license to LUKE'S LOCAL, INC., doing business as Luke's Local, located at 1266 9th Avenue (District 7), will serve the public convenience or necessity of the City and County of San Francisco, in accordance with California Business and Professions Code, Section 23958.4; and requesting that the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control impose a condition on the issuance of the license. (Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee)

Chair Dorsey moved that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Mahmood, Sauter

# 250197 [Urging Implementation of Drug Market Intervention (DMI) Strategy in San Francisco]

Sponsors: Mahmood; Dorsey, Mandelman, Sherrill, Engardio and Sauter

Resolution urging the implementation of a comprehensive drug market intervention (DMI) strategy to address San Francisco's Fentanyl Crisis.

02/25/25; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): None.

Vice Chair Mahmood moved that this Resolution be AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING SAME TITLE, on Page 1, Lines 12-17, by inserting 'WHEREAS, DMI focuses the criminal legal system on disrupting public drug markets by: acknowledging that enforcement alone cannot eliminate the market and should be minimized whenever possible; prioritizing interagency collaboration between law enforcement, public health, and social service agencies; replacing enforcement with direct communication and deterrence whenever feasible; and providing nonviolent dealers and users with pathways to employment, education, and rehabilitation; and'. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Mahmood, Sauter

Vice Chair Mahmood moved that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED AS AMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Mahmood, Sauter

#### **250051** [Hearing - Public Trash Cans]

Sponsor: Sauter

Hearing to discuss the City's policies and procedures for procuring, installing, and maintaining public trash cans; and requesting the Department of Public Works to report.

01/14/25; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.

01/21/25; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. Referred to Department of Public Works for informational purposes.

Chair Dorsey recessed the meeting at 10:31 a.m., and reconvened the meeting at 10:45 a.m.

Heard in Committee. Speaker(s): Ian Schneider (Department of Public Works); Kevin Flanagan (Recology Golden Gate); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the discussion. Blair Helsing (North Beach Neighbors); Devin; Julie Christensen; Alex Ludlum (Soma West Community Benefit District); David Thompson; Michael Lai; Barbara; Speaker; Gloria Rogan; Nancy; Speaker; Vince Yuen; Nicole; Diane Thompson; spoke in support of the Hearing matter.

Supervisor Sauter moved that this Hearing be CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Dorsey, Mahmood, Sauter

## **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee adjourned at the hour of 12:01 p.m.

N.B. The Minutes of this meeting set forth all actions taken by the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee on the matters stated, but not necessarily in the chronological sequence in which the matters were taken up.