

1 [Initiating Landmark Designation - Firehouse : Hose Company No. 30]

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3 **Resolution initiating a landmark designation under Article 10 of the Planning Code for**  
4 **Firehouse : Hose Company No. 30, located at 1757 Waller Street, Assessor's Parcel**  
5 **Block No. 1250, Lot No. 029.**  
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7 WHEREAS, Under Planning Code, Section 1004.1, the Board of Supervisors may by  
8 Resolution initiate landmark designation; and

9 WHEREAS, Planning Code, Section 1004.2(b), requires the Historic Preservation  
10 Commission to respond to historic district or individual landmark designations initiated by the  
11 Board of Supervisors within 90 days, and authorizes the Board, by Resolution, to extend the  
12 time within which the Historic Preservation Commission is to render its decision; and

13 WHEREAS, Firehouse : Hose Company No. 30 was constructed in 1896 at 1757  
14 Waller Street, Assessor's Parcel Block No. 1250, Lot No. 029, in the Haight Ashbury  
15 neighborhood and operated as a firehouse until 1959; and

16 WHEREAS, The building remains in its original location and is amongst the oldest  
17 standing firehouses in San Francisco; and

18 WHEREAS, From 1912-1956 Truck Company Number 12 resided at the property with  
19 a district covering the entire Sunset neighborhood to the Pacific Ocean; and

20 WHEREAS, The property is an intact example of a granite and wood firehouse in  
21 Italianate design with extant facade detailing; and

22 WHEREAS, The property includes intact features including its denticulated beltcourse,  
23 bracketed cornice line, molded panels with circle motifs, Classical-inspired plaster moldings,  
24 and intact lettering ("Chemical 5", "S.F.F.D." and "Truck 12"); and  
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1 WHEREAS, Italianate architecture was the first Victorian era style to gain popularity in  
2 San Francisco and remained a dominant style between 1865 and 1886; and

3 WHEREAS, The 1968 book "Here Today, San Francisco's Architectural Heritage", by  
4 the Junior League of San Francisco, Inc. describes the property as "exuding the character of a  
5 structure of Gold Rush Days"; and

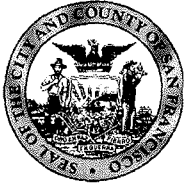
6 WHEREAS, In 2022 the San Francisco Historic Preservation Commission adopted the  
7 Victorian Era Styles (1870-1910) Historic Context Statement which provided frameworks for  
8 identifying and evaluating Italianate and other Victorian-era buildings for historical significance  
9 and integrity; and

10 WHEREAS, Through applying the evaluative framework as outlined in the Victorian Era  
11 Styles (1870-1910) Historic Context Statement, the property can be considered as an  
12 individually eligible historic resource based on year built, architectural expression, extant  
13 character defining features, and sufficient integrity; now, therefore, be it

14 RESOLVED, The Board of Supervisors hereby initiates a landmark designation of the  
15 Firehouse : Hose Company No. 30 under Planning Code, Section 1004.1; and, be it

16 FURTHER RESOLVED, The Board requests that the Planning Department prepare a  
17 landmark designation report to submit to the Historic Preservation Commission for its  
18 consideration of the full historical, architectural, aesthetic, and cultural interest and value of  
19 Firehouse : Hose Company No. 30; and, be it

20 FURTHER RESOLVED, The Board of Supervisors requests that the Historic  
21 Preservation Commission consider whether the Firehouse : Hose Company No. 30 warrants  
22 landmark designation and submit its recommendation to the Board according to Article 10 of  
23 the Planning Code.



**City and County of San Francisco**  
**Tails**  
**Resolution**

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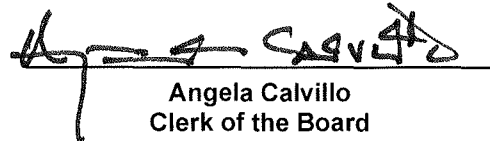
October 06, 2025 Land Use and Transportation Committee - RECOMMENDED

October 21, 2025 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

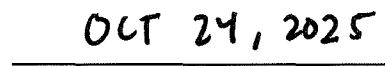
Ayes: 10 - Chan, Chen, Dorsey, Fielder, Mahmood, Mandelman, Melgar, Sauter, Sherrill and Walton

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I hereby certify that the foregoing  
Resolution was ADOPTED on 10/21/2025 by  
the Board of Supervisors of the City and  
County of San Francisco.

  
Angela Calvillo  
Clerk of the Board

  
Daniel Lurie  
Mayor

  
Date Approved