



ISCOTT MINUTES

INTERDEPARTMENTAL STAFF COMMITTEE
ON TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORTATION FOR
TEMPORARY STREET CLOSURES

Meeting of October 12, 2023 - Thursday, 9:00 AM
1556th Regular Meeting
Online Meeting

COMMITTEE	REPRESENTATIVE
SFMTA	Bryant Woo (Chair)
SFPD	Sgt. Eric Elias, Off. Ronald Quock
SFFD	Sasha Crombie, Brandon Murray, Mark O’Hara, Dennis Sy
Public Health	Kyle Chan
Public Works	Absent
Entertainment Commission	May Liang
Planning	Absent

DEPARTMENTS	REPRESENTATIVE
SFMTA Special Events	Nick Chapman, Jarrett Hornbostel
SFMTA Transit	Helen Kwan, Gary Chau
SFMTA Enforcement	
SFMTA Temporary Signs	Gretchen Rude, Houston Forrester, Matthew Madsen
SFMTA Taxis	Scott Leon
Emergency Management	

GUESTS	ITEM	GUESTS	ITEM
Michelle Delaney	U	Scott Bravmann	V
Charity Fox		Sarah Beck	
Grant Patterson		Jordan Le Boeuf	u
Brian Weaver		Barry Taranto	
Kevin Pool		Ani Mason	
Jessica Tovar		Dusk B.	
Rennie		David Hooper	
Brett Cline		Andrea	G
Ilaria Salvadori	V	Preeti Ravaliya	
Kara		Andrew Casler	



MINUTES OF THE SEPTEMBER 28, 2023, MEETING (ACTION ITEM)

The Committee adopted the Minutes.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Barry Taranto raised the concern that posted parking signage for taxi zones at events did not always match what was agreed on at ISCOTT hearings. Issues with the Fillmore Jazz Festival and Castro Street Fair were cited, along with Hardly Strictly Bluegrass (which is not an ISCOTT permitted event and so is outside this meeting's purview).

These proposed actions are an Approval Action as defined by S.F. Administrative Code Chapter 31.

CONSENT CALENDAR

- A. Randall Street between Sanchez and Harper streets
Tuesday, October 31, 2023, 4 pm to 9 pm
Randall and Harper Halloween 2023

- B. Alvarado Street between Noe and Sanchez streets
Sunday, October 22, 2023, 10 am to 5 pm
Block Party - 400 Block Alvarado Street

- C. Otsego Avenue between Santa Ynez and Santa Ysabel avenues
(Intersections to remain open)
Tuesday, October 31, 2022, 5 pm to 10 pm
Otsego Trick-or-Treat

APPROVED (5-0)

REGULAR CALENDAR

- D. Jackson Street between Divisadero and Broderick streets
Saturday, November 4, 2023, 12 noon to 4 pm
Block Party - Jackson Street

APPROVED (5-0)



- E. Sanchez Street between 30th and Randall streets
Sunday, October 22, 2023, 11 am to 6 pm
Neighborfest - Sanchez St

APPROVED (5-0)

- F. College Ave between Mission Street and Saint Marys Ave
Sunday, October 22, 2023, 11 am to 5 pm
Neighborfest - College Ave

APPROVED (5-0)

- G. Steiner Street between Duboce Ave and Hermann Street
Sunday, October 22, 2023, 11 am to 5 pm
Neighborfest - Steiner Street

APPROVED (5-0)

- H. Chaves Ave between Evelyn Way and Agua Way
Sunday, October 22, 2023, 10 am to 6 pm
Neighborfest - Chaves Ave

APPROVED (5-0)

- I. Melrose Ave between Teresita Blvd and Detroit Street
Saturday, October 21, 2023, 10 am to 6 pm
Neighborfest - Melrose Avenue

APPROVED (5-0)

- J. Detroit Street between Stillings and Melrose avenues
Saturday, October 21, 2023, 10 am to 6 pm
Neighborfest - Detroit Street

APPROVED (5-0)

- K. 15th Ave between Lincoln Way and Irving Street
Sunday, October 29, 2023, 10 am to 6 pm
Neighborfest - 15th Ave

APPROVED (5-0)



- L. Farallones Street between Orizaba and Capitol avenues
Saturday, October 21, 2023, 7 am to 3 pm
OMI Roller Skate Block Party

WITHDRAWN

- M. Faxon Avenue between De Montfort and Ocean avenues
Saturday, October 28, 2023, 7 am to 3 pm
Ocean Avenue Halloween Block Party

WITHDRAWN

- N. Teddy Avenue between Rutland and Alpha streets; Arleta Avenue between Rutland and Alpha streets; Raymond Avenue between Rutland and Alpha streets
(Local access allowed on all blocks from either end, but no thru traffic)
Friday, November 10, 2023, 5 pm to 8 pm
and
Saturday, November 11, 2023, 5 pm to 8 pm
Visitacion Valley Light Festival

APPROVED (5-0)

- O. Otsego Avenue between Ocean and Onondaga avenues
Saturday, November 4, 2023, 8 am to 4 pm
Diwali Celebration

APPROVED (5-0)

- P. Fulton Street between Larkin and Hyde streets
Saturday, October 28, 2023, 8 am to 6 pm
Bay Beats Launch Party

APPROVED (5-0)

- Q. Barneveld Avenue between Apparel Way and Apparel Way
Sunday, December 31, 2023, 12 noon to
Monday, January 1, 2024, 8 am
Comfort & Joy Presents Afterglow NYE

APPROVED (5-0)



- R.** Michigan Street between Cesar Chavez and Marin Street; Marin Street between Illinois Street and Easterly Terminus; Intersection: Michigan Street at Marin Street
(Local Access Allowed on Michigan Street via Cesar Chavez and Marin Street via Illinois)

Friday, November 3, 2023, 4 pm to

Monday, November 6, 2023, 6 am

Midway - John Summit + Nora En Pure

APPROVED (5-0)

- S.** Utah Street between Alameda and 16th streets; 15th Street between Potrero Avenue and Vermont Street; Alameda Street between Potrero Avenue and Vermont Street; San Bruno Avenue between 16th and Alameda streets

Saturday, December 30, 2023, 5pm to

Tuesday, January 2, 2024, 6 am

Great Northern - Breakfast of Champions

APPROVED (5-0)

- T.** Oak Street between Stanyan and Broderick streets; Fell Street between Stanyan and Broderick streets; Baker Street between Hayes and Page streets; Masonic Avenue between Hayes and Haight streets; Stanyan Street between Hayes and Haight streets; Kezar Drive between Lincoln Way and Stanyan Street;

Intersection(s) closed: Shrader, Cole, Clayton, and Ashbury, Central, Lyon, and Baker at Oak and Fell Streets; Masonic and Stanyan at Page, Oak and Fell streets

Sunday, February 4, 2024, 7:15 am to 10 am

and

Great Highway between Sloat Blvd and Fulton Street

Sunday, February 4, 2024, 6 am to 12 Noon

Kaiser Permanente San Francisco Half Marathon

APPROVED (5-0)



- U.** Stockton Street between Post and O'Farrell streets; Maiden Lane from Grant Avenue and Stockton Street
Intersection(s) closed: Maiden Lane at Stockton Street
(Intersection of Stockton and Geary streets will remain open at all times)
Tuesday, December 12, 2023, 8 am to
Tuesday, December 26, 2023, 6 pm
Winter Walk

ON HOLD

Categorically exempt from CEQA: CEQA Guidelines Section 15304 Class 4(e) minor temporary use of land having negligible or no permanent effects on the environment, including carnivals, sales of Christmas trees, etc. and/or Section 15305 Class 5(b) minor alterations in land use limitations, including street closings and equipment for special events



ROADWAY SHARED SPACES CLOSURES (ACTION ITEMS)

The following item has been environmentally cleared by the Planning Department on April 19, 2021, Addendum #2 to San Francisco Better Streets Plan Project [Case No. 2021-003010ENV (addendum to Case No. 2007.1238E)]:

- V.** Minna Street between 2nd and New Montgomery streets
 Tuesday, October 17, 2023, through
 Wednesday, October 16, 2024
 4 pm to 11 pm, Tuesday through Thursday each week
 111 Minna Gallery – Shared Space

APPROVED (5-0)

ROADWAY SHARED SPACES CLOSURES (INFORMATIONAL ITEMS)

The following items are presented for informational purposes and public comment. Closures are subject to review and approval by the SFMTA Board.

- W.** Elm Street between Van Ness Avenue and Polk Street
 Monday, November 27, 2023, through
 Tuesday, November 26, 2024
 8 am to 4 pm, Monday through Friday (school days only)
 Elm St - Friends of Elm Alley

Recommended for referral to the SFMTA Board (5-0)



SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION FOR INTERDEPARTMENTAL STAFF COMMITTEE AGENDA ITEMS ARE AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW AT THE MUNICIPAL TRANSPORTATION AGENCY'S OFFICES, ONE SOUTH VAN NESS, SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94103, DURING NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS. PLEASE CONTACT TEMPORARY STREET CLOSURES AT specialevents@sfmta.com *

Sound Producing Devices

The ringing of and use of cell phones, pagers and similar sound-producing electronic devices are prohibited at this meeting. Please be advised that the Chair may order the removal from the meeting room of any person(s) responsible for the ringing or use of cell phone, pager, or other similar sound-producing electronic devices.

Disability Access

To obtain a disability-related modification or accommodation, including auxiliary aids or services, to participate in the meeting, please contact (415) 701-4683 at least two business days before the meeting. In order to assist the City's efforts to accommodate persons with severe allergies, environmental illness, multiple chemical sensitivity or related disabilities, attendees at public meetings are reminded that other attendees may be sensitive to perfumes and various other chemical-based scented products. Please help the City to accommodate these individuals.

Know Your Rights under the Sunshine Ordinance

Government's duty is to serve the public, reaching its decision in full view of the public. Commissions, boards, councils and other agencies of the City and County exist to conduct the people's business. This ordinance assures that deliberations are conducted before the people and that City operations are open to the people's review. For information on your rights under the Sunshine Ordinance (Chapter 67 of the San Francisco Administrative Code) or to report a violation of the ordinance, contact the Sunshine Ordinance Task Force Administrator by mail to Sunshine Ordinance Task Force, One Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244, San Francisco CA 94102, by phone at (415) 554-7724, by fax at (415) 554-7854 or by email at sof@sfgov.org. Citizens may obtain a free copy of the Sunshine Ordinance by contacting the Sunshine Ordinance Task Force Administrator or by printing Chapter 67 of the San Francisco Administrative Code on the Internet, at web site <http://www.sfgov.org/sunshine>.

Lobbyist Registration and Reporting Requirements

Individuals and entities that influence or attempt to influence local legislative or administrative action may be required by the San Francisco Lobbyist Ordinance [SF Campaign & Governmental Conduct Code Sec. 2.100] to register and report lobbying activity. For more information about the Lobbyist Ordinance, please contact the San Francisco Ethics Commission at 30 Van Ness Avenue, Suite 3900, San Francisco, CA 94102, telephone (415) 581-2200, fax (415) 581-2217, web site www.sfgov.org/ethics.

California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Appeal Rights under S.F. Admin. Code Chapter 31: For identified Approval Actions, the Planning Department or the SFMTA has issued a CEQA exemption determination or negative declaration, which may be viewed online at the Planning Department's website. Following approval of the item by ISCOTT, the CEQA determination is subject to appeal within the time frame specified in S.F. Administrative Code Section 31.16 which is typically within 30 calendar days. For information on filing a CEQA appeal, 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. 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 submitted in writing to the City prior to or at such hearing, or as part of the appeal hearing process on the CEQA decision.