



ISCOTT MINUTES

INTERDEPARTMENTAL STAFF COMMITTEE
ON TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORTATION FOR
TEMPORARY STREET CLOSURES

Meeting of January 11, 2024 - Thursday, 9:00 AM
1561st Regular Meeting
Online Meeting

COMMITTEE	REPRESENTATIVE
SFMTA	Bryant Woo (Chair)
SFPD	Sgt. Eric Elias
SFFD	Capt. Dennis Sy, Lt. Erin Yamamura, Insp. Staycee Lee, Insp. Sasha Crombie, Insp. Brandon Murray
Public Health	Absent
Public Works	Absent
Entertainment Commission	May Liang
Planning	Absent

DEPARTMENTS	REPRESENTATIVE
SFMTA Special Events	Nick Chapman, Mary McFadden, Dianne Yee
SFMTA Transit	Helen Kwan, Gary Chau
SFMTA Enforcement	Tony Chai
SFMTA Temporary Signs	Gretchen Rude, Houston Forrester, Matthew Madsen
SFMTA Taxis	Scott Leon
Emergency Management	

GUESTS	ITEM	GUESTS	ITEM
Tazos	A	Charity Fox	
Candace Huey (SEACC)	B	Brian Donohue	
Sonny (Balboa Merchants)	C	Barry Taranto	
Alex Asefaw	D	Meenu Jhigan	E
Diana Vuong (SEACC)	F	Brooke Oliver	G
Lucia Ippolito	G	Andrea Akers	I
Aprill Lacey	J		



MINUTES OF THE DECEMBER 21, 2023, MEETING (ACTION ITEM)

The Committee adopted the Minutes.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

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

CONSENT CALENDAR

- A. Jefferson Street between Hyde Street and westerly terminus
Sunday, February 4, 2024, 6 am to 6 pm
Blessing of the Waters SF Bay 2024

APPROVED (4-0)

REGULAR CALENDAR

- B. Grant Avenue between Clay and Washington streets
Friday, January 26, 2024, 12 noon to 11 pm
Edge On The Square Lantern Reveal

APPROVED (4-0)

- C. 37th Avenue between Cabrillo and Anza streets
(Intersection of 37th Avenue and Balboa Street remains open)
Saturday, February 3, 2024, 7 am to 5 pm
Balboa Lunar New Year Festival

APPROVED (4-0)

- D. Divisadero Street (parking spaces only) between Golden Gate Avenue and Turk Street
Friday, February 2, 2024, 3 pm to 6 pm
Ribbon Cutting Ceremony

APPROVED (4-0)



- E.** Jessie Street between New Montgomery and Annie streets
Sunday, February 4, 2024, 8 am to 6 pm
Hindu Wedding/Baraat

APPROVED (4-0)

- F.** Larkin Street between O'Farrell and Ellis streets
Saturday, February 3, 2024, 7 am to 7 pm
Tenderloin TET Festival

APPROVED (4-0)

- G.** Balmy Street between 24th and 25th streets; 25th Street between Harrison Street and Treat Avenue
Intersection(s) closed: Balmy Street at 25th Street
Saturday, February 10, 2024, 11 am to 7 pm
Lovers Lane

APPROVED (4-0)



- H.** Grant Avenue between Broadway and California Street;
Pacific Avenue between Stockton Street and Columbus Avenue;
Jackson Street between Stockton and Kearny Streets;
Washington Street between Stockton and Kearny Streets;
Commercial Street between Kearny Street and Grant Avenue;
Sacramento Street between Kearny Street and Grant Avenue
Beckett Street between Pacific Avenue and Jackson Street;
Ross Alley between Jackson and Washington Streets;
Wentworth Place between Jackson and Washington Streets;
Spofford Street between Washington and Clay Streets;
Waverly Place between Washington and Clay Streets;
Walter U. Lum Place between Washington and Clay Streets
Intersection(s) closed: Pacific, Jackson, Washington, Commercial and
Sacramento streets at Grant Avenue; Pacific Avenue at Beckett Street;
Beckett, Ross and Wentworth at Jackson Street; Ross, Wentworth, Spofford,
Waverly and Walter U. Lum at Washington Street

(Note: Clay Street and all intersections along Clay Street open)

Friday, February 2, 2024, 11 pm to

Sunday, February 4, 2024, 11 pm

Chinese New Year Flower Market Fair

and

Friday, February 23, 2024, 11 pm to

Sunday, February 25, 2024, 11 pm

Chinese New Year Community Fair

APPROVED (4-0)

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)]:

- I. 22nd Street between Valencia and Mission streets; Bartlett Street between 21st and 22nd streets
Intersection(s) closed: Bartlett Street at 22nd Street with the exception of northbound Bartlett Street traffic turning West
Thursday, March 14, 2024 to
Thursday, November 14, 2024
12:30 pm to 8:30 pm EACH THURSDAY
Mission Community Farmers' Market – Shared Space

APPROVED (4-0)

- J. Fern Street between Polk and Larkin streets
Saturday, April 6, 2024, through
Saturday, December 14, 2024
Noon to 6 pm, each Saturday, and
Noon to 4 pm, each Sunday
Music City – Shared Space

APPROVED (4-0)

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.

None



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 *

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