



San Francisco Public Library

NOTICE OF MEETING

A special joint meeting of the San Francisco Public Library and Recreation and Park Commissions will be held as follows:

PLEASE NOTE DIFFERENT TIME AND MEETING LOCATION

DATE: Monday, April 25,, 2011
TIME: 10:00 AM
PLACE: City Hall, 1 Dr. Carlton Goodlett Place, Room 400

The meeting will be called to order.

1. Roll Call – Recreation and Park Commission - Library Commission

2. North Beach Branch Library

(Presentation of and discussion of joint issues regarding the North Beach Branch Library and possible action adopting Environmental Findings, approving construction of the new North Beach Library on 701 Lombard Street and a portion of Mason Street as proposed for vacation, approving demolition of the existing North Beach Library, making various recommendations to the Recreation and Park Commission and Board of Supervisors in relation to the project and authorizing other official acts in connection with the project) **ACTION**

(Explanatory Documents: Memo from City Librarian dated April 21, 2011; Draft Resolution; Attachment A California Environmental Quality Findings; Exhibit 1: Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program; Planning Department Report Case No. 2008.0968E; Planning Department Case No. 2008.0968ERZ; and letter from Luis Herrera to Planning Department dated April 15, 2011).

The draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR) and Comments and Responses are available at: <http://www.sfplanning.org/index.aspx?page=1828>.

(Pursuant to California Government Code Sec. 54954.3(a) ("Brown Act") and SF Admin. Code Sec.67.15(b) ("Sunshine Ordinance"), each member of the public shall have the opportunity to address the Joint Library and Recreation and Park Commissions on the subject of this meeting. There will be no additional general public comment at this special meeting.)

3. Adjournment

Sue Blackman Library Commission Secretary, 4/21/2011

Explanatory documents: Copies of listed explanatory documents are available as follows: (1) from the commission secretary/custodian of records, 6th floor,

Main Library; (2) in the rear of Room 400 immediately prior to, and during, the meeting; and (3), to the extent possible, on the Public Library's website <http://sfpl.org/librarycommission>.

Additional materials not listed as explanatory documents on this agenda, if any, that are distributed to library commissioners prior to or during the meeting in connection with any agenda item will be available to the public for inspection and copying in accordance with Government Code Section 54954.1 and Sunshine Ordinance Sections 67.9, 67.28(b), and 67.28(d).

Room 400 is wheelchair accessible. The closest accessible BART Station is the Civic Center station located at the intersection of Market, Hyde and Grove Streets, three blocks from City Hall. Accessible curbside parking has been designated at points along McAllister Street. Accessible MUNI lines serving City Hall are: the 9 San Bruno, the #71 Haight/Noriega and the F Line. Accessible MUNI Metro lines are the J, K, L, M and N. For more information about MUNI services, call 923-6142.

SAN FRANCISCO PUBLIC LIBRARY COMMISSION - Accessible Meetings Policy

To ensure the participation of the disabled public in all Commission public meetings, the following items concerning accessibility will be available:

Sign Language interpreters or note takers will be available upon request. Please contact Services for the Deaf and Hearing Impaired at 415/557-4433 (TDD) or 415/557-4434 (Voice) at least 48 hours prior to the meeting. Late requests will be honored if possible.

A sound enhancement system will be available upon request at the meetings. Please contact Services for the Deaf and Hearing Impaired at 415/557-4433 (TDD) or 415/557-4434 (Voice) at least 48 hours prior to the meeting. Late requests will be honored if possible.

A person who is deaf or hearing impaired may gain meeting information prior to the meeting by calling 415/557-4433 (TDD) or 415/557-4434 (Voice). In addition, the California Relay Service can be used by individuals with hearing and speech impairments by calling 1-800/735-2929 (TDD) or 1-800/735-2992 (Voice).

Minutes of the meetings are available in alternative formats. If you require the use of a reader during the meeting, please contact the Library for the Blind and Print Handicapped at 415/557-4253 at least 48 hours in advance of the need.

Individuals with severe allergies, environmental illness, multiple chemical sensitivity or related disabilities should call the accessibility hotline at 415/554-8925 to discuss meeting accessibility. In order to assist San Francisco's efforts to accommodate such people, attendees at public meetings are reminded that other attendees may be sensitive to various chemical-based products. Please help the City to accommodate these individuals.

Library Commission meetings will be held at the Main Library, 100 Larkin Street at Grove, Lower Level, Koret Auditorium, except when otherwise noticed. The Commission meeting room is wheelchair accessible. The closest accessible BART station is Civic Center. The accessible MUNI line serving this location is the #19 Polk. For information about Muni's accessible service, please call 415/923-6142.

There is accessible parking available at 355 McAllister, Civic Center Plaza Garage. Call 415/863-1537.

Accessible seating for persons with disabilities (including those using wheelchairs) will be available at meetings.

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 a cell phone, pager, or other similar sound producing electronic devices.

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 more information on your rights under the Sunshine Ordinance or to report a violation of the ordinance, contact Chris Rustom Darby by mail to Administrator, Sunshine Ordinance Task Force, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244, San Francisco CA 94102-4689; by phone at 415 554 7724; by fax at 415 554 7854; or by email at soff@sfgov.org.

Citizens interested in obtaining a free copy of the Sunshine Ordinance can request a copy from Ms. Rustom or by printing Chapter 67 of the San Francisco Administrative Code on the Internet, <http://www.sfgov.org/sunshine/>

San Francisco Lobbyist Ordinance

Attention: 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 Ethics Commission at 30 Van Ness Avenue, Suite 3900, San Francisco, CA 94102, telephone (415) 581-2300, fax (415) 581-2317 and web site: sfgov.org/ethics.