



ISCOTT MINUTES

INTERDEPARTMENTAL STAFF COMMITTEE
ON TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORTATION FOR
TEMPORARY STREET CLOSURES

Meeting of January 25, 2024 - Thursday, 9:00 AM
1562nd Regular Meeting
Online Meeting

COMMITTEE	REPRESENTATIVE
SFMTA	Bryant Woo (Chair)
SFPD	Sgt. Eric Elias,
SFFD	Capt. Carol W. Wong, Insp. Kimberly Grinton, Victor Wong, Ramon Chea
Public Health	Aron Wong
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, Sonja Kos
SFMTA Enforcement	Tony Chai
SFMTA Temporary Signs	Gretchen Rude, Houston Forrester, Matthew Madsen
SFMTA Taxis	Scott Leon
Emergency Management	Kayleigh Hillcoat

GUESTS	ITEM	GUESTS	ITEM
Vicky Lam	G	Mike O’Brien	C
Ronan O’Neill	B	Frog Gilmore	E
Noah Skinner	J	Ana Kapor	D
Carol Lau	O, P, Q	Tamara Walker	H
Sade Jones	N	Erris Edgerly	N
J. Ramos		Angie Petitt	O, P, Q
Viktoriya Ershova	N	Kendy Tello	
Mark Metzler (KTVU)	M	John Bouvier	G
Yolanda Jones		Barry Taranto	
Brian Donahoe (SFMTA)			



MINUTES OF THE JANUARY 11, 2024, 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. Divisadero Street (parking spaces only) between Golden Gate Avenue and Turk Street
Saturday, February 3, 2024, 3 pm to 6 pm
Ribbon Cutting Ceremony

- B. Mark Lane between Bush Street and Harlan Place; Harlan Place between Mark Lane and Grant Avenue
Intersection(s) closed: Harlan Place at Mark Lane
Saturday, March 16, 2024, 1 pm to midnight
and
Sunday, March 17, 2024, 1 pm to midnight
Irish Bank St. Patrick's Day Celebration

- C. Front Street between California and Sacramento streets
Friday, March 15, 2024, 12 noon to 10 pm
Royal Exchange St. Patrick's Day Celebration

APPROVED (5-0)

REGULAR CALENDAR

- D. 11th Ave between Irving and Judah streets
Saturday, March 9, 2024, 9 am to 7 pm
Block Party - 11th Avenue

APPROVED (5-0)



- E. Vermont Street between 20th and 22nd streets
Sunday, March 31, 2024, 9 am to 9 pm
Bring Your Own Big Wheel

APPROVED (5-0)

- F. O'Farrell Street between Fillmore and Steiner streets
Tuesday, February 13, 2024, 12:30 pm to 8 pm
Mardi Gras San Francisco Style

APPROVED (5-0) conditional on final approval of site plan by SFFD

- G. 17th Street between Carolina and Wisconsin streets
Saturday, June 1, 2024, 5 am to 10:30 pm
Book Sale Block Party

APPROVED (5-0)

- H. Oakdale Avenue between 3rd and Lane streets
Saturday, February 24, 2024, 7 am to 2 pm
Black History Parade

APPROVED (5-0)

- I. Fulton Street between Larkin and Hyde streets
Saturday, March 2, 2024, 3 pm to
Sunday, March 3, 2024, 1 am
Night of Ideas

APPROVED (5-0)

- J. Grove Street between Polk and Larkin streets
Monday, May 13, 2024, 10 am to 8 pm
UC Hastings Graduation

APPROVED (5-0)

- K. Wisconsin Street between 17th and 16th streets
Saturday, March 16, 2024, 10 am to 7 pm
PolaCon BayArea

APPROVED (5-0)



- L. Grant Avenue between California Street and Pacific Avenue; Pacific Avenue between Grant Avenue and Stockton Street; Stockton Street (northbound traffic lane only) between Pacific Avenue and North Point Street; North Point Street (eastbound traffic lane only) between Stockton Street and southbound Embarcadero; Southbound Embarcadero (bike lane and one lane of traffic only) between North Point and Washington streets; Washington Street (one westbound traffic lane only) between southbound Embarcadero and Battery Street; Battery Street (most westerly traffic lane only) between Washington and Pine streets; Pine Street (most northerly traffic lane only) between Battery Street and Grant Avenue; Kearny Street (most easterly parking and traffic lanes only) between Pine and Clay streets; Walter U. Lum Place between Washington and Clay streets

Sunday, March 3, 2024, 7 am to 10 am

Chinatown YMCA's 46th Annual CCHP Lunar New Year Run

APPROVED (5-0)

- M. Geary Street (most northerly lane only) between Stockton and Powell streets; Stockton Street (westerly right turn lane only) between Post and Geary Streets; Geary Street (south side parking lane only) between Stockton and Powell Streets; Powell Street (most easterly lane only) from mid-block (bollards at ticket booth) to Geary Street; Geary Street (south side parking lane only between Parking Meter #s 440-03010 thru 440-03110) between Powell Street and 130 feet westerly

Friday, February 23, 2024, 5 am to

Saturday, February 24, 2024, 11 pm

and

Geary Street between Stockton and Powell Streets

Saturday, February 24, 2024, 3 pm to 11 pm

KTVU Broadcast of the Chinese New Year Parade

APPROVED (5-0)

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)]:

- N. O'Farrell Street between Fillmore and Steiner streets
Sunday, February 4, 2024, through
Sunday, October 27, 2024
11 am to 6pm, **each Sunday**
Soulful Sundays – Shared Space

APPROVED (5-0) with modifications to frequency of entertainment

- O. 37th Avenue between Ortega and Quintara streets; Pacheco Street between Sunset Boulevard and 37th Avenue
Intersection(s) closed: 37th Avenue at Pacheco Street
Sunday, April 7, 2024, through
Sunday, March 30, 2025
6 am to 4 pm **each Sunday**
Outer Sunset Farmers Market & Mercantile - Shared Space

APPROVED (5-0)

- P. 37th Avenue between Ortega and Pacheco streets
Saturday, April 20, 2024, through
Saturday, November 16, 2024
7:30 am to 5:30 pm, **third Saturday of each month**
Secondhand Saturdays – 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.



- Q.** Irving Street between 9th and 11th avenues
(Intersection of 10th Avenue and Irving Street to remain open)
Sunday, April 14, 2024, through
Sunday, November 10, 2024
7 am to 6 pm, ***second Sunday of each month***
Inner Sunset Flea Market - Shared Space

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 *

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