NOTICE OF CANCELED MEETING
HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the regular monthly meeting of the San Francisco Human Services Commission scheduled for Thursday, February 22, 2024 at 9:30am has been canceled.

In its stead, the Commission will hold a special meeting on Thursday, February 15, 2024 at 9am in the Born auditorium at 170 Otis Street, San Francisco, 94103.

Elizabeth LaBarre, Commission Secretary

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DISABILITY ACCESS

• The first floor of the Ronald H. Born Auditorium is wheelchair accessible.

• The commission meeting is accessible remotely as a disability accommodation. There are 2 remote options: online using Webex (includes closed captions) and by phone call. If you experience access issues while trying to join the meeting remotely, please text (415) 535-2386. The Human Services Commission Secretary will attempt to assist, when possible, during the meeting.

Here are some best practices when providing public comment remotely:

a. Join telephonically or via Webex from a quiet location. Remain muted when not speaking. Turn off any televisions or radios around you when not muted.

b. Speak slowly and clearly.

c. Address the Commission as a whole, do not address individual Commissioners.

d. Switch to call-in audio: If your internet audio and video experience does not work while using Webex, you can instead use a cell phone or land line to call into the meeting using the dial-in number and passcode to join.

e. For additional tips to ensure a successful remote meeting experience, contact the Commission Secretary in advance of the meeting.

• The closest accessible BART Station is at 16th and Mission Streets. Accessible MUNI Lines are the 14-Mission, 49-Mission/Van Ness, and 9-San Bruno. All the MUNI Metro Lines are accessible. Accessible curb-side parking has been designated at points on the 100 block of Otis Street.

• To make a request to be given an accommodation due to a disability, including auxiliary aids or services, sign language interpreters, or to obtain meeting materials in alternative format, please contact the Human Services Commission Secretary at least two business days before the meeting to help ensure availability.

• To accommodate persons with severe allergies, environmental illnesses, multiple chemical sensitivity or related disabilities, attendees at public meetings are reminded that other attendees may be sensitive to various chemical-based products. Please help the City accommodate these individuals.

POLICY ON AUDIO RECORDING OF COMMISSION MEETINGS

Under the San Francisco Sunshine Ordinance, all Human Services Commission meetings are audio recorded in digital form. Audio recordings of open sessions are available for public access no later than 10 days after the commission meeting by contacting the Human Services Commission Secretary.

TRANSLATION SERVICES

Interpreters for languages other than English are available on request. Please contact the Commission Secretary at least two business days before a meeting.

RAMAYTUSH OHLONE LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The San Francisco Human Services Commission acknowledges that we are on the unceded ancestral homeland of the Ramaytush Ohlone who are the original inhabitants of the San Francisco Peninsula. As the indigenous stewards of this land and in accordance with their traditions, the Ramaytush Ohlone have never ceded, lost, nor forgotten their responsibilities as the as the caretakers of this place, as well as for all peoples who reside in their traditional territory. As guests, we recognize that we benefit from living and working on their traditional homeland. We wish to pay our respects by acknowledging the Ancestors, Elders, and Relatives of the Ramaytush Ohlone community and by affirming their sovereign rights as First Peoples.
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Government’s duty is to serve the public, reaching its decisions 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 (Chapter 67 of the San Francisco Administrative Code) or to report a violation of the ordinance, contact the Sunshine Ordinance Task Force at (415) 554-7724; Fax (415) 554-7854; e-mail: sotf@sfgov.org. Copies of the Sunshine Ordinance may be obtained from the Clerk of the Sunshine Task Force, the San Francisco Public Library and on the City’s website at www.sf.gov.

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EXPLANATORY DOCUMENTS RELATED TO AGENDA ITEMS
Copies of explanatory documents are available through the Human Services Commission Secretary during normal business hours. They can be emailed, faxed or mailed to you upon request. They are also available on the Human Services Commission website: https://www.sfhsa.org/about/commissions-committees/human-services-commission

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SENATE BILL 343’S AGENDA NOTICE REQUIREMENT
If any materials related to an item on this agenda have been distributed to the Human Services Commission after distribution of the agenda packet, those materials are available for public inspection at 170 Otis Street, 8th Floor.