

SAN FRANCISCO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

City and County of San Francisco

London N. Breed Mayor

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA Tuesday, June 9, 2020 1:30 P.M.

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Order N-29-20 and the Twelfth Supplement to Mayoral Proclamation Declaring the
Existence of a Local Emergency Dated February 25, 2020

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> Harlan L. Kelly, Jr. General Manager

> > Donna Hood Secretary

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ORDER OF BUSINESS

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Approval of the Minutes of May 26, 2020
- 4. General Public Comment

 Members of the public may address the Commission on matters that are within the
 Commission's jurisdiction and are not on today's agenda
- 5. Communications (discussion only)
 - a) Contract Advertisement Report
 - b) Correspondence Log
 - c) Bay Area Watershed and Rights of Way Lands Wildfire Preparedness Update
 - d) Alternative Water Supply Planning Quarterly Report
 - e) CleanPowerSF Quarterly Report
 - f) General Manager Contract Delegation Report January to March 2020
 - g) Water Supply Conditions Update
- 6. Report of the General Manager (discussion only)
 - a) Update on SFPUC Operations During COVID-19 Emergency
 - b) Sewer System Improvement Program Quarterly Report
- 7. Sewer System Improvement Program Major Projects Update
- 8. New Commission Business (discussion only)

CONSENT CALENDAR

- 9. All matters listed hereunder constitute a Consent Calendar, are considered to be routine by the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission and will be acted upon by a single vote of the Commission. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a member of the Commission or the public so requests, in which event the matter will be removed from the Calendar and considered as a separate item.
 - a) Approve Modification No. 1 to <u>Job Order Contract</u>, <u>JOC-53R3</u>, Electrical (C-10 License) for San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara and Alameda Counties, with US Electric Technologies, Inc., to complete ongoing facility and asset improvements, increasing the duration by 1,095 consecutive calendar days (three years), for a total contract duration of 1,825 consecutive calendar days (five years), in accordance with San Francisco Administrative Code 6.62, with no change in the contract amount. (How)
 - b) Approve Modification No. 1 to <u>Job Order Contract</u>, <u>JOC-77</u>, Micro- LBE Set Aside, General Engineering (A-License) for San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara and Alameda Counties, with R&S Construction Management, to complete ongoing facility and asset improvements, increasing the contract amount by \$1,000,000 and

increasing the contract duration by 1,095 consecutive calendar days (three years), for a total contract amount not-to-exceed \$3,000,000, and a total contract duration of 1,825 consecutive calendar days (five years), in accordance with San Francisco Administrative Code Section 6.62. (How)

c) Authorize the General Manager to execute Amendment No.1 to the Multi-Party
Cost Share Agreement with Contra Costa Water District, Alameda County Flood
Control and Water Conservation District, Zone 7, Alameda County Water District,
Bay Area Water Supply & Conservation Agency, the City of Brentwood, East Bay
Municipal Utility District, Grassland Water District, San Luis & Delta-Mendota Water
Authority, and Valley Water (formerly Santa Clara Valley Water District) for the
planning of the potential expansion of Los Vaqueros Reservoir, extending the
Agreement by six months, until December 31, 2020, for a total duration of 20
months, with no change in the contract amount. (Ritchie)

REGULAR CALENDAR

- 10. Approve Amendment No. 2 to <u>Agreement No. CS-389</u>, Planning and Engineering Services Southeast Plant New 250 MGD Headworks Facility, with Carollo Engineers, Inc., for specialized wastewater process facility engineering design and engineering services during construction for Construction Contract No. WW-628, Southeast Water Pollution Control Plant New Headworks Facility Project; and authorize the General Manager to execute this amendment, increasing the agreement amount by \$21,000,000, and increasing the agreement duration by two years, for a total not-to-exceed agreement amount of \$54,500,000 and a total agreement duration of 11 years, subject to the Board of Supervisors approval pursuant to Charter Section 9.118. (How)
- 11. Adopt resolution (1) rescinding Commission Resolution No. 20-0091 adopted on May 12, 2020 and (2) approving the <u>Water Supply Assessment</u> for the proposed San Francisco Gateway Project which would construct two new mixed-use production, distribution, and repair buildings at 749 Toland Street and 2000 McKinnon Street in the Bayview Hunters Point Plan area, pursuant to the State of California Water Code Section 10910 et seq., California Environmental Quality Act Section 21151.9, and CEQA Guidelines Section 15155. (Ritchie)
- 12. Approve a <u>Water Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act</u> (WIFIA) loan agreement with the United States Environmental Protection Agency in the amount of \$699,242,023 to replace the existing 2018 WIFIA Loan Agreement in the same amount for the Wastewater Enterprise's Biosolids Digester Facilities Project for the purpose of reducing the loan interest rate from 3.09% to an estimated 1.84% interest rate. (Sandler)
- 13. Approve a <u>new Water Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act</u> loan agreement with the United States Environmental Protection Agency in an amount up to \$525,000,000 to provide partial funding for the Wastewater Enterprise's Headworks Project and Biosolids Digester Facilities Project, both of which are projects of the Sewer System Improvement Program located at the Southeast Treatment Plant. (Sandler)

- 14. Adopt a resolution (1) accepting the report on the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (SFPUC) Wildfire Mitigation Plan from the Independent Evaluator in accordance with Public Utilities Code Section 8387(c), and (2) adopting the revised version of the SFPUC Wildfire Mitigation Plan, to be submitted to the California Wildfire Safety Advisory Board, prior to July 1, 2020. (Ritchie)
- 15. Public comment on matters to be addressed during Closed Session
- 16. Motion on whether to assert the attorney-client privilege regarding the matters listed below as Conference with Legal Counsel

The Commission will go into Closed Session to discuss the following items:

CLOSED SESSION

17. Conference with Legal Counsel - Pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9 (d) (2) and San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.10 (d) (2) (action item) (Whipps)

Existing Unlitigated Claim

Chez Maman West v. City and County of San Francisco

Unlitigated File No.: 20-01490 / Date Filed: January 8, 2019

Proposed settlement of unlitigated claim with claimant's release of all claims and the City to pay claimant \$36,664.99

18. Conference with Legal Counsel – Pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9 (d) (2) and San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.10 (d) (2) (action item) (Whipps)

Existing Unlitigated Claim

Francisco Rivero v. City and County of San Francisco

Unlitigated File No.: 20-01452 / Date Filed: January 7, 2020

Proposed settlement of unlitigated claim with claimant's release of all claims and the City to pay claimant \$39,700

19. Conference with Legal Counsel - Pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9 (d) (1) and San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.10 (d) (1) (discussion only) (Whipps)

Existing Litigation

State Water Board Cases, Sacramento Superior Court, JCCP No. 5013 (originally filed on January 10, 2019 in Tuolumne Superior Court as San Joaquin Tributaries Authority, et al v. California State Water Resources Control Board, Case No. CU62094)

20. <u>Conference with Legal Counsel – Pursuant to California Government Code, Section 54956.9(a), and San Francisco Administrative Code, Section 67.10(d)(1) (discussion only) (Mueller)</u>

Conferring with, or receiving advice from, the City Attorney regarding the following existing litigation in which the City is a petitioner and Pacific Gas & Electric Company is an adverse party: In re: PG&E Corporation and Pacific Gas & Electric Company. United States Bankruptcy Court, Northern District of California, Case No. 9-30088-DM, filed January 29, 2019; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. EL 19-38-000, filed January 28, 2019; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. ER18-1482-000, filed April 30, 2018; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. ER18-1102-000, filed March 15, 2018; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. ER18-790-000, filed, February 2, 2018; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. ER18-768-000, filed January 31, 2018; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. ER18-198-000, filed October 31, 2017; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. ER17-2406-000, filed August 31, 2017; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. ER17-2181-000, filed July 31, 2017; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. ER17-2204, filed July 31, 2017; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. ER17-1509-000, filed May 1, 2017; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. ER17-910-000, filed January 31, 2017; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. EL 15-3-000, filed October 10, 2014; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. ER15-702-000, filed December 23, 2014; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. ER15-703-000, filed December 23, 2014; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. ER15-704-000, filed December 23, 2014; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. ER15-705-000, filed December 23, 2014; Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Case No. ER15-735-000, filed December 23, 2014; California Public Utilities Commission Case No. 1.15-08-019, filed February 25, 2015; California Public Utilities Commission Case No. R.18-10-007, filed October 25, 2018; California Public Utilities Commission Case No. R.19-01-006, filed January 10, 2019; and California Public Utilities Commission Case No. R.19-09-016, filed January 10, 2019.

Following Closed Session, the Commission will reconvene in Open Session

- 21. Announcement following Closed Session
- 22. Motion regarding whether to disclose the discussions during Closed Session pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.12(a)
- 23. Adjournment

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