

#### CODE ADVISORY COMMITTEE Joint Meeting of the Administrative & General Design Subcommittee and the Disability Access Subcommittee Meeting

DATE: April 10, 2013 (Wednesday)

TIME: 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

LOCATION: 1650 Mission Street, Room 431

These subcommittees meet regularly every second Wednesday of the month at 1650 Mission Street, Room 431, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor (City Planning Department). If you wish to be placed on a mailing list for agendas, please call (415) 575-6832.

Note: Public comment is welcome and will be heard during each agenda item. Reference documents relating to agenda are available for review at the 1660 Mission Street, 1st floor. For information, please call Kirk Means at (415) 575-6832.

### AGENDA

1.0 Call to Order, Roll Call and confirmation of quorum. Administrative & General Design Subcommittee: Tony Sanchez-Corea, Chair, Arnie Lerner, AIS, CASp, Jerry Cunningham, P.E. Disability Access Subcommittee: Tony Sanchez-Corea, Chair, Lee Yvonne Phillips, Zachary Nathan, AIA, CASp, Arnie Lerner, AIA, CASp, Shane O'Reilly

- 2.0 Discussion and possible action to consider merging of the two Subcommittees forming the Administrative General Design & Disability Access (A&GD & DA) Subcommittee as previously recommended by the Code Advisory Committee Chair. (10 minutes)
- 3.0 Discussion and possible action to consider a proposed ordinance (File #130284) recognizing Small Business Month in May 2013; amending the Planning Code, Sections 302, 355(a), and 355(e); and amending the Building Code, Tables 1A-A, and 1A-E, to waive fees for the month of May for certain façade improvements; and making findings, including environmental findings and findings of consistency with the General Plan and priority policies of Planning Code, Section 101.1. The possible action is to make a recommendation to the full Code Advisory Committee for their further action. (20 minutes)
- 4.0 Introduction, discussion and possible action to consider a proposed ordinance amending the Health and Building Codes to 1) expand the boundaries and types of projects for which soil testing is required, 2) require testing of groundwater under specified circumstances; 3) change

Technical Services Division 1660 Mission Street – San Francisco CA 94103 Office (415) 558-6205 – FAX (415) 558-6401 – www.sfdbi.org references from the Public Works Code to the Building Code; 4) eliminate soil testing references from the Public Works Code; and 5) adopt findings, including environmental findings. (20 minutes)

- 5.0 Subcommittee Members' and Staff's identification of new agenda items, as well as current agenda items to be continued to another subcommittee regular meeting or special meeting. Subcommittee discussion and possible action regarding administrative issues related to building codes.
- 6.0 Public Comment: Public comment will be heard on items not on this agenda but within the jurisdiction of the Code Advisory Committee. Comment time is limited to 3 minutes per person or at the call of the Chair.

#### 7.0 Adjournment.

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