

# SAN FRANCISCO HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION



## Notice of Hearing & Agenda

This Meeting will be held in:  
Commission Chambers, Room 400  
City Hall, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett-Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

**Wednesday, October 19, 2022**  
**12:00 p.m.**  
**Architectural Review Committee**  
**Meeting**

Commissioners:  
Ruchira Nageswaran, Kate Black, Lydia So  
Diane Matsuda, Ex-Officio

Commission Secretary:  
Jonas P. Ionin

Hearing Materials are available at:  
[Architectural Review Committee Packet and Correspondence](#)

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[commissions.secretary@sfgov.org](mailto:commissions.secretary@sfgov.org) or (628) 652-7536 at least 48 hours in advance.

### **Ramaytush Ohlone Acknowledgement**

The Historic Preservation 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 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.

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Transit: The nearest accessible BART station is Civic Center. Accessible MUNI Metro lines are the F, J, K, L, M, N, T (exit at Civic Center or Van Ness stations). MUNI bus routes also serving the area are the 5, 6, 9, 19, 21, 47, 49, 71, and 71L. For more information regarding MUNI accessible services, call (415) 701-4485 or call 311.

Parking: Accessible parking is available at the Civic Center Underground Parking Garage (McAllister and Polk), and at the Performing Arts Parking Garage (Grove and Franklin). Accessible curbside parking spaces are located all around City Hall.

Disability Accommodations: To request assistive listening devices, real time captioning, sign language interpreters, readers, large print agendas or other accommodations, please contact the Commission Secretary at (628) 652-7589, or [commissions.secretary@sfgov.org](mailto:commissions.secretary@sfgov.org) at least 72 hours in advance of the hearing to help ensure availability.

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**SPANISH:** Agenda para la Comisión de Planificación. Si desea asistir a la audiencia, y quisiera obtener información en Español o solicitar un aparato para asistencia auditiva, llame al (628) 652-7550. Por favor llame por lo menos 48 horas de anticipación a la audiencia.

**CHINESE:** 規劃委員會議程。聽證會上如需要語言協助或要求輔助設備，請致電(628) 652-7550。請在聽證會舉行之前的至少48個小時提出要求。

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This meeting will be held in person at the location listed above. As authorized by California Government Code Section 54953(e) and Mayor Breed’s 45th Supplement to her February 25, 2020 emergency proclamation, it is possible that some members of the Historic Preservation Commission may attend this meeting remotely. In that event, those members will participate and vote by video. Members of the public may attend the meeting to observe and provide public comment at the physical meeting location listed above or online at <https://www.sfgovtv.org>. Instructions for providing remote public comment are below.

**Remote Access to Information and Participation**

*In accordance with Governor Newsom’s statewide order for all residents to Shelter-in-place - and the numerous preceding local and state proclamations, orders and supplemental directions - aggressive directives have been issued to slow down and reduce the spread of the COVID-19 virus.*

*On May 29, 2020, the Historic Preservation Commission was authorized to conduct their hearings remotely. Therefore, the Historic Preservation Commission meeting will be held via videoconferencing and allow for remote public comment. The Commission strongly encourages interested parties to submit their comments in writing, in advance of the hearing to [commissions.secretary@sfgov.org](mailto:commissions.secretary@sfgov.org).*

*Below you will find information on how to participate remotely. You may do so by calling in or joining via Webex link.*

	<i>Architectural Review Committee Remote Participation</i>
<i>Hearing</i>	<i>October 19, 2022</i>
<i>Call-in</i>	<i>+1-415-655-0001</i>
<i>Access Code</i>	<i>2482 015 5636</i>
<i>WebEx Link</i>	<i><a href="https://ccsf.webex.com/ccsf/onstage/g.php?MTID=ecb82cfe8ed79a3f8087874ba73fbc92b">https://ccsf.webex.com/ccsf/onstage/g.php?MTID=ecb82cfe8ed79a3f8087874ba73fbc92b</a></i>

*This information will also be provided on the Department’s webpage <https://sfplanning.org/>.*

*As the COVID-19 emergency progresses, please visit the Planning website regularly to be updated on the current situation as it affects the hearing process and the Historic Preservation Commission.*

## ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL:                   Members:                   Kate Black, Lydia So, Ruchira Nageswaran  
                                  Ex-Officio:               Diane Matsuda

### A. COMMITTEE MATTERS

1. Committee Comments & Questions
  - Disclosures.
  - Inquiries/Announcements. Without discussion, at this time Commissioners may make announcements or inquiries of staff regarding various matters of interest to the Commissioner(s).
  - Future Meetings/Agendas. At this time, the Commission may discuss and take action to set the date of a Special Meeting and/or determine those items that could be placed on the agenda of the next meeting and other future meetings of the Historic Preservation Commission.

### B. REGULAR

2. [2018-011365PTA](#) (G. GUNTHER: (628) 652-7607)  
420 SUTTER STREET – north side between Stockton and Powell Streets, Block 0285, Lot 005A (District 3). **Review and Comment** by the Architectural Review Committee regarding the proposal to demolish an existing two-story Category V commercial building and construct a 12-story, 149 room hotel. The subject property is located in the Article 11 Kearny-Market-Mason-Sutter Conservation District, C-3-R (Downtown - Retail) Zoning District and 80-130F Height and Bulk District.  
*Preliminary Recommendation: Review and Comment*

ADJOURNMENT