

Reentry Council

City & County of San Francisco

AGENDA

Thursday, October 15, 2026

1:00pm – 3:00pm

City Hall

1 Dr Carlton B Goodlett Pl, Room 305

San Francisco, CA 94102

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1. Call to Order and Introductions.
2. Ramaytush Ohlone Land Acknowledgement (discussion only).
3. Public Comment on Any Item Listed Below as for “Discussion Only.” (**NOTE:** public comment on items listed as “possible action” will occur during that agenda’s time).
4. Review and Adoption of Meeting Minutes of July 16, 2026, Council Meeting (discussion & possible action).
5. Staff Report on Activities of the Reentry Council and its Subcommittees (discussion only).
 - a. Staff Updates
 - b. Subcommittee Updates
 - 1) Women 1st Subcommittee
 - 2) Legislation, Policy, and Practices Subcommittee
 - 3) Direct Action Subcommittee
6. San Francisco Public Library Jail Reentry Services – Services for People Negatively Impacted by Incarceration. Rachel Kinnon, JRS Manager; Natalie Enright, Literacy Manager (discussion only).
7. People with Disabilities Foundation - Mental Health Care for Individuals with Psychiatric Disabilities in Prisons and Jails. Mark Marymee, Program Director for Public Awareness and Education (discussion only).
8. Regular Update on Activities of the Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council, Collaborative Courts, and Community Corrections Partnership, STARR, (discussion only).
9. Racial Equity Work Updates – Departments are welcome to provide a Racial Equity Update for their Department (discussion only).
10. Council Members’ Comments, questions and Requests for Future Agenda Items (discussion only).
11. Public Comment on any item on today’s agenda, or on other business within the purview of the Reentry Council (discussion only).
12. Adjournment.

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DRAFT Meeting Minutes

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Members Present:

Alea Brown-Hoffmeister (SFAPD), Alissa Riker (SFSO), Carolyn Goosen (PDA), Melanie Kushnir (Superior Court), David McCahon (HSA), Lorenzo Juan Castaneda (BOS Appointee), Billey Hoang Le (BOS Appointee); Aaqilah Islam (HSH), Kevin Thomas (US Probation) Freda Randolph (CSS), Steve Adami (Mayoral Appointee), Joanna Pulido (BOS Appointee), Anthony Partee (BOS Appointee), Tatiana Lewis (Mayoral Appointee), Tiffany Sutton (DAT); Jasmine Dawson (DCYF); Derek Hom (Juvenile Probation)

Members Absent:

Reggie Daniels (Mayoral Appointee), Iowayna Pena (OEWD); Derrick Lew (SFPD), Phillip Rodriguez (State Parole), Steven Betz – Designee (Mayor’s Office); Teresa Ick (DPH); (BOS Appointee - Pretrial Diversion Services); Board of Supervisor Seat (Vacant)

1. Call to Order and Introductions.

Mayoral Appointee Steve Adami of Adult Probation called the meeting to order. He thanked Council members and members of the interested public for attending the meeting and acknowledged the five Co-Chairs:

- Cristel Tullock, Chief of Adult Probation
- Manohar Raju, Public Defender
- Brooke Jenkins, District Attorney
- Paul Miyamoto, Sheriff
- Mayor Daniel Lurie' Office

Alek Hartwick completed Reentry Council Roll Call and indicated there was quorum.

2. Ramaytush Ohlone Land Acknowledgement (discussion only).

Lorenzo Juan Castaneda read the Raymatush Ohlone Land Acknowledgement.

3. Public Comment on Any Item Listed Below as for “Discussion Only.”

(NOTE: public comment on items listed as “possible action” will occur during that agenda’s time).

There was no Public Comment.

4. Review and Adoption of Meeting Minutes of April 30, 2026, Council Meeting (discussion & possible action).

The Council reviewed and approved the meeting minutes from April 30, 2026, by roll call vote. The motion carried.

5. Staff Report on Activities of the Reentry Council and its Subcommittees (discussion only).

- a. Staff Updates
- b. Subcommittee Updates
 - 1) Women 1st Subcommittee
 - 2) Legislation, Policy, and Practices Subcommittee
 - 3) Direct Action Subcommittee

Staff and subcommittee members provided updates regarding Reentry Council activities, subcommittee coordination, and upcoming events and initiatives.

Women 1st Subcommittee

Rebecca Jackson provided an update on the Women 1st Subcommittee’s upcoming panel, “Breaking Barriers to Housing Access for Justice-Involved Women in San Francisco,” at the 2026 Reentry Conference and Expo. The panel will highlight housing barriers facing justice-involved women, including challenges accessing safe and

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stable housing, and explore opportunities for collaboration, advocacy, and policy solutions to improve housing access and successful reentry.

Legislation, Policy, and Practices (LPP) Subcommittee

The LPP Subcommittee reported out an update outlining the next steps in the process of reviewing state legislation affecting justice-involved individuals, reentry services, and criminal legal system policies.

Legislative proposals were prepared for consideration by the full Reentry Council, including AB 2122, AB 2384, and AB 2428, to determine whether the Council would recommend positions of support through the City's State Legislative Committee process.

The Direct-Action Subcommittee provided updates on upcoming events and community engagement efforts, designed to support recovery, reduce recidivism, and strengthen reentry pathways for justice-involved individuals. Events included:

- International Overdose Awareness Month activities planned for August 2026.
- Sixth Annual Recovery Day event scheduled for September 2026.
- Participation in the 2026 Reentry Conference.

6. **Presentation: 2026 Reentry Conference and Expo (discussion only)** The Council discussed the process for selecting the Justice-Involved Appointee Chair. Following discussion, a vote was conducted among eligible Council members.

Julio Escobar provided updates and information regarding the upcoming 2026 Reentry Conference and Expo.

The annual event brings together justice-involved individuals, community-based organizations, City departments, service providers, and community stakeholders to promote access to reentry resources, strengthen partnerships, and highlight programs supporting successful community reintegration.

The 2026 event is scheduled for September 18, 2026, and will provide opportunities for community engagement, resource sharing, and collaboration among organizations working to address barriers to successful reentry.

Various Council Members provided updates on tabling organizations that would be in attendance as well as panels that they would be participating in either as speakers or moderators.

7. **Current State Legislation: AB 2122, AB 2384, and AB 2428 (discussion and possible action)**

The Reentry Council reviewed and discussed three state legislative proposals recommended for support through the Legislation, Policy, and Practices Subcommittee. The legislation addresses barriers to successful reentry, including criminal record relief, financial obligations, and unnecessary justice system involvement.

AB 2122 (Kalra) – Infractions: Warrants and Penalties

AB 2122 seeks to eliminate the issuance of arrest warrants for failure to appear or pay fines associated with certain Vehicle Code infractions. The legislation aims to prevent low-level, non-jailable offenses from escalating into unnecessary arrests and additional justice system involvement. The proposal recognizes that unpaid fines and infraction warrants disproportionately impact low-income individuals and communities of color, creating barriers to employment, housing stability, and successful reintegration.

Following review and discussion, the Council voted to support AB 2122 by roll call vote. The motion to support AB 2122 carried.

AB 2384 (Lowenthal) – Crimes: Records: Sealing

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AB 2384 expands opportunities for eligible individuals to petition the court to seal certain arrest and conviction records following four conviction-free years after the applicable arrest, case resolution, or completion of their sentence. The legislation seeks to reduce the long-term collateral consequences of criminal records, particularly barriers to employment, housing, education, and economic stability. Council discussion focused on expanding opportunities for individuals who have demonstrated rehabilitation and reducing obstacles to successful reentry.

Following review and discussion, the Council voted to support AB 2384 by roll call vote. The motion to support AB 2384 carried.

AB 2428 (Rodriguez) – Criminal Fees

AB 2428 builds on previous state reforms by eliminating remaining criminal administrative fees, including fees associated with payment plans, community service, and participation in certain court-ordered programs. The legislation aims to reduce poverty-based financial penalties that create obstacles for justice-involved individuals seeking stability after incarceration. Removing unnecessary administrative fees supports rehabilitation and reduces financial barriers that can interfere with housing, employment, and compliance with court requirements.

Following review and discussion, the Council voted to support AB 2428 by roll call vote. The motion to support AB 2428 carried.

The Council approved support positions on all three legislative proposals for consideration through the City's State Legislative Committee process.

8. Updates on Commission Streamlining Task Force and Administrative Code Changes (discussion only)

The Reentry Council reviewed updates related to the Commission Streamlining Task Force and proposed amendments to the San Francisco Administrative Code affecting City boards, commissions, and advisory bodies. The discussion followed the Council's previous consideration of the Task Force recommendations and its efforts to maintain the Reentry Council as a formally established City advisory body.

The materials presented included proposed Administrative Code revisions addressing the Council's governance and operations, including its membership structure, terms of service, reporting responsibilities, and sunset provisions.

The Council also reviewed updates concerning public meeting notice requirements under the Ralph M. Brown Act and San Francisco's Sunshine Ordinance, including implications for public participation, transparency, and administrative compliance.

The discussion emphasized the importance of maintaining the Council's role as a forum for interdepartmental coordination, public engagement, and participation by individuals with lived experience of incarceration.

Appointee Steve Adami raised a question on membership structure moving forward in 2027 concerning the seats of Pretrial Diversion Services and Adult Probation for guidance from the City Attorney.

9. Regular Update on Activities of the Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council, Sentencing Commission, Collaborative Courts, and Community Corrections Partnership, STARR, Safety and Justice Challenge (discussion only).

Council members and departmental representatives were provided an opportunity to report on activities and developments across related justice system bodies and reentry initiatives.

The standing report provides a forum for sharing information regarding sentencing practices, collaborative courts, community supervision, behavioral health treatment, housing, and efforts to reduce unnecessary incarceration.

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Prop 47 HEART Program (Housing, Employment, and Recovery Transitional Support)

The Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing (HSH) provided an update on implementation of the Prop 47 HEART Program, a collaborative initiative designed to reduce justice system involvement and improve housing stability for justice-involved individuals.

The program will provide: Residential treatment and recovery services; Intensive case management; Peer support services; Housing navigation and placement assistance.

Just Home Transitional Housing Program

HSH also provided an update on the Just Home Program, a supportive housing initiative serving transitional-aged youth ages 18-27. The program includes: Twenty units of transitional housing in the Hunters Point neighborhood; On-site case management and supportive services; Workforce development and benefits navigation; Health and behavioral health supports; Individualized service planning designed to promote long-term stability and independence;

10. Racial Equity Work Updates –Departments are welcome to provide a Racial Equity Update for their Department (discussion only).

Departments were invited to share updates regarding racial equity initiatives, departmental equity planning, and efforts to address disparities in the justice system and reentry service delivery.

11. Council Members' Comments, questions and Requests for Future Agenda Items (discussion only).

Council members were provided an opportunity to raise questions, share comments, and recommend topics for future meetings.

Lorenzo Juan Castaneda requested two presentations for future Reentry Council meetings:

- San Francisco Adult Probation Department (SFAPD): A presentation providing updates on pretrial services, including current activities and developments involving the department's pretrial operations.
- San Francisco Sheriff's Office: A presentation regarding the RESET Center, including an overview of the program and its activities.

These requests were identified for consideration in future Reentry Council agenda planning.

12. Public Comment on any item on today's agenda, or on other business within the purview of the Reentry Council (discussion only).

Members of the public were provided an opportunity to address the Council regarding matters within its jurisdiction, including reentry services, community supervision, housing, recovery, and other related issues.

13. Adjournment.

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried. The meeting was adjourned.

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SFPL Services for People Impacted by Incarceration



Rachel Kinnon, Manager

Natalie Enright, Librarian

October 15, 2026

SFPL services to incarcerated people

- Weekly library service at two county jails and Juvenile Justice Center
- Hoopla on jail tablets: ebooks, audiobooks, movies, TV shows, music
- Reference by Mail
- Reentry resources and outreach
- Local projects and partnerships
- *Expanding Information Access to Incarcerated People* Mellon-funded grant project



San Francisco Juvenile Justice Center



San Francisco Public Library



Reference by Mail



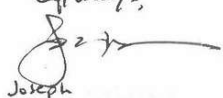
Dear San Francisco Public Library:

11/3/22

I just recieved your response to my inquiry request and wanted to thank you from the bottom of my heart. I was stunned at how extensive your group researched my question. It was amazing! You are amazing. It's kindness like yours that helps me realize I can make it on the outside.

I made you this thank you card. Please excuse the corrections; gel pen is an unforgiving lover. ☹️ I'm going to put my experience with your group in a special place in my heart.



W/ways,

Joseph
Federal Inmate
#

Local projects & partnerships



Reentry resources & outreach



San Francisco Public Library
Jail and Reentry Services
jailandreentryservices@sfppl.org

SFPL Reentry Resources

for People Who Recently Experienced Incarceration

Main Library
100 Larkin Street (at Grove Street)
(415) 557-4400
sfppl.org

Call your neighborhood library for info about similar programs at your branch. See the back of this brochure for branch information.

Get a free library card at any location to use our public computers.

All Library programs are free.

On the 4th floor

Call (415) 557-4400 and ask for the Business Desk for more information or to schedule an appointment.

Smart Money Coaching

One-on-one virtual sessions with a financial coach

- make a budget
- plan for your future
- address identity theft

By appointment only. Call or go to sfgov.org/ofc/meet-financial-coach to schedule an appointment.

Provided by BALANCE (formerly CCCSF), a non-profit service and a member of the National Foundation for Credit Counseling.

Career Coaching

Half-hour sessions with a career coach: résumé review, help with your job search, and more.

By appointment only, Wednesdays 3:00–5:00 PM. Call or go to hsfjobs.careers.youcanbook.me to schedule an appointment.

Job-Search Programs

- résumé writing
- interviewing
- networking
- more!

Call or go to sfppl.org/events and select "Work It" in the "Topic" drop-down menu.

To find reentry-friendly jobs information, scan this QR code with your smartphone camera or go to sfppl.org/jobresources and select "Resources for Groups" and click on "Reentry."



Small Business Center

- Learn about entrepreneurship and how to start your own small business.
- Get connected to free advising and free entrepreneurship classes from our partner organizations.

Call or email busscitech@sfppl.org. Subscribe to the monthly newsletter listing free events and programs: bit.ly/sfpplnewsletter.

Any librarian can help you sign up for virtual events.

In The Bridge at Main

The Bridge at Main is on the 5th floor of the Main Library. It is closed on Sundays. Call (415) 557-4388 for more information on any of these programs or to schedule an appointment.

Computer Drop-In

Learn how to:

- get an email address
- type and use a mouse
- get started with Word, Excel, and other Office programs
- use the Internet
- use your phone or other device

Tuesdays, 1:00–2:30 PM

Veterans Resources

Resources on veterans' benefits and local services. Call for a one-on-one appointment.

Read Better!

- English-speaking adults get FREE one-on-one tutoring to improve reading and writing skills.
- ESL tutoring for English-language learners.

Online learning

We have everything!

- coding
- language-learning
- online high school
- more!

Call, scan this QR code with your smartphone camera, or go to sfppl.org/research-learn/learning for more information about our online eLearning resources.



Fun for kids

Bring your kids to the library! Ask at your neighborhood branch about children's storytimes and special events.

Looking for more reentry support? Ask for the social worker at the Main Library.



Anza (415) 355-5717	Glen Park (415) 355-2858	Noe Valley / Sally Brunn (415) 355-5707	Presidio (415) 355-2880
Bayview / Linda Brooks-Burton (415) 355-5757	Golden Gate Valley (415) 355-5666	North Beach Marks (415) 355-5626	Richmond / Sen. Milton Marks (415) 355-5600
Bernal Heights (415) 355-2810	Ingleside (415) 355-2898	Ocean View (415) 355-5615	Sunset (415) 355-2808
Chinatown / Him Mark Lai (415) 355-2888	Main Library (415) 357-4400	Ortega (415) 355-5700	Visitation Valley (415) 355-2848
Eureka Valley / Harvey Milk Memorial (415) 355-5616	Marina (415) 355-2823	Park (415) 355-5656	West Portal (415) 355-2886
Excelsior (415) 355-2868	Merced (415) 355-2825	Parkside (415) 355-5770	Western Addition (415) 355-5727
	Mission (415) 355-2800	Portola (415) 355-5660	
	Mission Bay (415) 355-2838	Potrero (415) 355-2822	

Programs & Events (a sampling)

- Employment Resource Fair in partnership with CDCR Community Reentry Unit, featuring “Job Searching with a Conviction History,” presented by DHR at the Main Library: August 6, 2026
- Documentary screening at JJC of 26.2 to Life and visit from Markelle "the Gazelle" Taylor, featured in the film: July 2026
- Author visits in County Jail and Juvenile Justice Center: January 2026, Dorsey Nunn, author of *What Kind of Bird Can't Fly?*
- System-Impacted Authors' Book Fair: March 29, 2025
- Public screenings of relevant documentaries at the Main Library
- Host annual Recovery Summits, with Adult Probation Department
- Monthly PACT meetings for people recently paroled to San Francisco, with CDCR
- Free community trip to Alcatraz in collaboration with Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy
- *This Is Ear Hustle* was SFPL's 2022 One City One Book selection



Reentry resources & outreach

SFPL services to people in reentry

- Centered at The Bridge at Main, SFPL's Adult Literacy and Learning Center
- Inclusive services and programs with attention to experiences of people with employment gaps and need for tech literacy
- PACT meetings host / Welcome Home Bags
- Lifers' Meetings at Adult Parole Office
- Adult online high schools
- Computer classes
- 1:1 support
- ESL tutoring





The BRIDGE at Main
LEARNING RESOURCES + CLASSES + PEOPLE WHO CAN HELP



Expanding Information Access for Incarcerated People Initiative



Expanding Information Access for Incarcerated People Initiative

Expanding Information Access for Incarcerated People is an initiative based in San Francisco Public Library's (SFPL) Jail and Reentry Services program, in coordination with the American Library Association (ALA). This project exists to locate library services to incarcerated people and to support the development of new services. It is made possible by a generous grant from the Mellon Foundation.

PROJECT OUTCOMES



New Standards for
Library Services for
the Incarcerated and
Detained



Interactive digital
map of library
services for
incarcerated people



Publicly available
professional
development video
series



White paper on
digital literacy

Getting involved

- San Francisco Public Library's Expanding Information Access for Incarcerated People project, funded by the Mellon Foundation: <https://sfpl.org/services/jail-and-reentry-services/expanding-information-access-incarcerated-people-initiative#>
- Prison Library Support Network, for responding to information requests from incarcerated people: <https://plsn-nyc.tumblr.com/>
- Books to Prisons organizations
 - National list <https://prisonbookprogram.org/prisonbooknetwork/>
 - San Francisco Bay Area: <https://www.prisonlit.org/>
- Friends of the San Quentin Library: <https://www.friendsofthesanquentinprisonlibrary.com/>

“The library presence in this jail is the best program. We look forward to getting good books to read and occupy our time. Reading is very therapeutic and eases the mind when stressing over being away from home. Inmates need the library service inside of the jail! The librarians are fantastic and try to help and accommodate the inmates as much as possible.”

-- K.N., County Jail #3 patron

“I appreciate all of the guests who took time out of their day to come to the infamous San Quentin correctional setting and discuss literacy and how libraries can improve people’s lives.”

-- San Quentin resident at San Quentin 2025 Literacy Symposium

Thank you!
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