#### City and County of San Francisco

## Shelter Monitoring Committee

# POLICY SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES SHELTER MONITORING COMMITTEE OCTOBER 8, 2025 3:00 pm - 4:15 pm [DRAFT]

Present: Subcommittee Chair Kaleese Street

Subcommittee Member Belinda Dobbs Excused: Member Britt Creech

#### CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL/AGENDA ADJUSTMENTS

5 min

The meeting began at 3:06 PM, with a quorum.

I. MINUTES ACTION

A. August 2025 Minutes Chair Street 5 min

The Subcommittee reviewed the minutes for the previous (draft) Minutes.

Explanatory document - Draft Minutes

Public Comment: None

Proposed Action: Approval of August 2025 Draft Minutes

M/S/C: Street/Britt/Approved

#### II. OLD BUSINESS DISCUSSION/ACTION

### A. MORE GRANULARITY/DETAIL IN SOCS Member Creech

Members discussed how some <u>Standards</u>, eg, SOC #1, cover too broad an array of problems. Adding Equity into SOC #1 was again emphasized. Suggestion was made to begin informally tracking allegations using informal subgroupings of Standards.

**Public Comment:** None

Proposed Action: Begin informally differentiating in advance of formal revision of SOCs.

M/S/C: Street/Dobbs/Approved

#### B. NO APPEAL OF 48-HR RULE VIOLATIONS Chair Street 15 min

Members discussed claims from clients that they have been DOS'd for violating the 48-Hour rule. The lack of any formal appeals process is troubling, though staff have had some luck speaking to decisionmakers in the more egregious situations.

**Public Comment: None** 

#### C. INCREASING EQUITY AT SHELTERS Chair Street 10 min

Members briefly discussed equity and how SOCs should be to improve the chances that this goal is given the priority is deserves.

**Public Comment:** None

#### III. NEW BUSINESS DISCUSSION

#### A. WHEN TO HOLD NEXT FULL COMMITTEE MEETING Chair Street 8 min

Members agreed to ask SMC's Chair to move the December meeting to November.

Proposed Action: Ask staff to see what Chair Illo thinks of the idea

M/S/C: Dobbs/ Street/approved

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#### IV. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT

5 min

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**Public Comment:** Member Creech shared that <u>6M Gallery/Vanguard Lab</u> reopened and they have events Thursday nights. The art gallery is also open every weekend. There is an art auction tomorrow night. See <u>Coalition on Homelessness – Ending Poverty and Homelessness in San Francisco</u> for details.

#### V. ADJOURNMENT

Proposed Action: Approve adjournment

M/S/C: Street/Britt/unanimous - Meeting adjourned at 4:05 p.m.

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