SAN FRANCISCO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
City and County of San Francisco

Edwin M. Lee
MAYOR

AGENDA
Tuesday, March 14, 2017

1:30 P.M.
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
City Hall, Room 400
San Francisco, CA 94102

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ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Call to Order

2. Roll Call

3. Approval of the Minutes of February 28, 2017

4. General Public Comments
   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
   a) Advance Calendar
   b) Correspondence Log
   c) Contract Advertisement Report
   d) Annual Energy Storage Procurement Policy
   e) Sewer Inspection and Replacement Update
   f) Alameda Creek Watershed Center Update

6. Other Commission Business

7. Report of the General Manager
   a) CleanPowerSF Update (Hale)
   b) Quarterly Audit and Performance Review Report (Sandler)
      i. California Independent System Operator, Scheduling Coordinators Self-Audit
      ii. Pacific Gas and Electric Franchise Fee Audit
      iii. NRG Energy Center Franchise Fee Audit
      iv. Sales and Use Tax Audit
      v. Community Benefits, Phase II: Commitments in Contracts
   c) Hetch Hetchy Water and Power Enterprise Capital Improvement Program (CIP) Quarterly Report (How)
   d) Wastewater Enterprise CIP Quarterly Report (How)
   e) Sewer System Improvement Program Update (How)

8. Central Bayside Tunnel (How)

The following matters before the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission are recommended for action as stated by the General Manager and City Attorney, where applicable. Explanatory documents provided to the Commission in connection with this agenda are available for public inspection and copying at the Office of the Commission Secretary, 525 Golden Gate Avenue, 13th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94102, Telephone: (415) 554-3165; Fax: (415) 554-3424.

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 an additional time extension to the previously approved construction contract duration contingency for Contract No. WD-2548, Lake Merced Pump Station Essential Upgrades Project, with Western Water Constructors, Inc., of up to 639 consecutive calendar days** (approximately one year and nine months); and **authorize** the General Manager to approve **future modifications to the contract for a total revised contract duration up to 3,044 consecutive calendar days** (approximately eight years and four months). The requested time extension is needed to continue investigation and monitoring of the electrical reliability of the station’s pump starter equipment and to coordinate with the equipment vendor to make any necessary modifications and/or repairs. (How)

b) **Accept** work performed by Cal State Constructors, Inc., for **Contract No. WD-2685**, Auxiliary Water Supply System Reservoir and Tanks Improvement (2013); **Approve** Modification No. 24 (Final), **decreasing the contract by $1,340**, for a total contract amount of $9,505,582; and **authorize** final payment to the contractor. (How)

c) **Approve** the plans and specifications, and **award** **Contract No. WW-650**, Foerster Street Auxiliary and Mangels/Hearst/Detroit Sewer Replacement, **in the amount of $3,112,150**, to the lowest, qualified, responsible and responsive bidder, Precision Engineering, to perform sewer capacity improvements, paving work, and traffic routing along the subject streets. (How)

d) **Ratify correction of the contract award amount** associated with Resolution No. 17-0037, adopted by the Commission on February 28, 2017, which awarded **Contract No. WW-653**, Marin Street Sewer Replacement, **from $4,762,200 to $4,860,250**. The agenda Item referenced the correct contract award amount of $4,860,250, however, the Resolution incorrectly referenced a contract amount of $4,762,200. (How)

**REGULAR CALENDAR**

10. **Approve** the **Water Supply Assessment for the proposed Biosolids Digester Facilities Project**, pursuant to the State of California Water Code Section 10910 et seq. and California Environmental Quality Act Section 21151.9 and CEQA Guidelines Section 15155. (Ritchie)

11. **Authorize** the General Manager to execute a **Memorandum of Understanding with the Solano County Water Agency** to implement a High-Efficiency Clothes Washer Rebate Initiative to provide SFPUC customers with rebates for the purchase and installation of qualifying high-efficiency clothes washers, **for an amount not to exceed $175,000, and with a total duration of 24 months** (two years). (Ritchie)
12. **Approve** the plans and specifications, and **award** Contract No. PW-006R, Tenderloin Pedestrian Lighting Improvement Project, **in the amount of $2,430,260**, to the lowest, qualified, responsible and responsive bidder, Bay Area Lightworks, to install street light infrastructure on Larkin, Hyde, Leavenworth, Jones and Eddy Streets in San Francisco. (Hale)

13. **Award** As-Needed Power Operations Support agreements to Siemens Industry, Inc., (PRO.0018.A), and Utilicast, LLC (PRO.0018.B), to perform short-term, highly specialized work for the Power Enterprise; and **authorize** the General Manager to negotiate and execute **two professional services agreements**, each for an amount not to exceed **$4,000,000**, and with a **duration of five years**. (Hale)

14. Public Comments on matters to be discussed in Closed Session.

15. Motion on whether to assert the attorney-client privilege regarding the matters listed below as Conference with Legal Counsel.

**CLOSED SESSION**

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

16. Conference with Legal Counsel - Pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9 (d) (1) and San Francisco Administrative Code Section 76.10 (d) (2) (Ambrose)

**Anticipated Litigation as Plaintiff**

17. Conference with Legal Counsel - Pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9 (d) (3) and San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.10 (d) (2) (Ambrose)

**Anticipated Litigation as Defendant**

18. Conference with Legal Counsel - Pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9 (d) (1) and San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.10 (d) (1) (Ambrose)

**Existing Litigation**

*Restore Hetch Hetchy v. City and County of San Francisco*

California Court of Appeal, Fifth Appellate District Court: Case No. F074107
City Law No.: 151139/Date Filed: July 12, 2016

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) (Ambrose)

**Existing Claim:**

*Recommended Partial Final Settlement*
Material Terms: Payment of $347,702 by SFPUC, for Claimant's agreement to complete Sewer Alignment Stitch Pier Repair at 266 Casitas Avenue, San Francisco.

Magzhi, Charleen
City Attorney Claim No.: 16-02226
Date Filed: February 17, 2016

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

Existing Litigation:
Pacific Gas & Electric
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
Tariff Withdrawal per 35.15: Notice of Termination of the 1987 CCSF Interconnection Agreement – PG&E Rate Schedule FERC No. 114 to be effective 6/30/15.
Case No.: ER15-702-000/Date Filed: December 23, 2014

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

Existing Litigation:
Pacific Gas & Electric
Tariff Withdrawal per 35.15: Notice of Termination of The CCSF Facilities Charge Agreement for Moscone to be effective 6/30/15.
Case No.: ER15-703-000/Date Filed December 23, 2014

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

Existing Litigation:
Pacific Gas & Electric
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
§205(d) rate filing per 35.13 (a)(2)(iii): City and County of San Francisco Transmission Owner Tariff Replacement Agreements to be effective 7/1/15
Case No.: ER15-705-000/Date Filed: December 23, 2014

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

Existing Litigation:
Pacific Gas & Electric
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
§205(d) rate filing per 35.13 (a)(2)(iii): City and County of San Francisco Wholesale Distribution Tariff Replacement Agreements to be effective 7/1/15
24. Conference with Legal Counsel - Pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9 (d) (1) and San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.10 (d) (1) (Mueller)

Existing Litigation:
Pacific Gas & Electric
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
Notice of Termination of Facilities Charge Agreements between PG&E and the City and County of San Francisco
Case No.: ER15-735-000/Date Filed: December 23, 2014

25. Threat to Public Services or Facilities – Pursuant to California Government Code Section 54957 and San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.10 (a) (Carroll)

Following Closed Session, the Commission will reconvene in Open Session

26. Announcement following Closed Session.

27. Motion regarding whether to disclose the discussions during Closed Session.

28. Adopt a Resolution authorizing the General Manager requesting the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors approve a Supplemental Appropriation in the amount of $5,000,000 for the Wastewater Enterprise, for the purpose of paying claims, settlements, legal expenses, litigation costs, judgements and related expenses. (Sandler)

29. Other New Business.

30. Adjournment.