



Memorandum

To: CITY COUNCIL

From: Mayor Sam Liccardo

Subject: SAN JOSÉ DOWNTOWN
DESIGN GUIDELINES AND
STANDARDS – BIRD SAFE
DESIGN

Date: May 6, 2019

Approved:

5/6/19

RECOMMENDATION

Defer approval of Section, 4.4.2.b, Bird Safety, of the Downtown Design Guidelines for two weeks to conduct further outreach to stakeholders and allow for additional staff analysis.

BACKGROUND

As indicated in the May 3rd supplemental memorandum, there was significant progress made at the May 2nd meeting with stakeholders. However, the revised Bird Safety section was only released on May 3rd and some additional time is merited to be sure that all stakeholders are satisfied with those changes, particularly for those property owners within 300 feet of a riparian corridor where additional standards apply.