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Memorandum

TO: RULES AND OPEN

GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

FROM: Jacky Morales-Ferrand

SUBJECT: SEE BELOW DATE: December 7, 2020

Approved Date

12/7/20

SUBJECT: PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE ON THE PROPOSED

MODIFICATIONS TO THE SPENDING PLAN FOR MEASURE E TAX REVENUES FOR FY 2020-2021 PURSUANT TO COUNCIL POLICY 1-18

REPLACMENT

REASON FOR REPLACMENT

The reason for this replacement memorandum was to update the second public hearing period from February 16, 2021 to February 9, 2021.

RECOMMENDATION

Approve the public hearing schedule on February 2, 2021 and February 9, 2021 regarding the proposed modifications to the spending plan for Measure E tax revenues for FY 2020-2021 pursuant to Council Policy 1-18.

ANALYSIS

This memorandum provides a calendar of public hearings to be used as a plan in preparing, reviewing, and approving the proposed modifications to the spending plan (**Attachment A**) for Measure E Tax Revenues for FY 2020-2021 pursuant to <u>Council Policy 1-18</u>. The public hearing schedule is summarized in **Table 1**:

Table 1: Public Hearing Schedule for Proposed Modifications to Measure E Spending Plan

Date	Action/Event
December 9, 2020	Rules Committee to set the hearings. Begin public comment period.
February 2, 2021	Public Hearing #1: City Council
February 9, 2021	Public Hearing #2: City Council. End public comment period.

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On November 10, 2020, City Council approved a plan to allocate money from Measure E to fund affordable housing and homelessness prevention, with 45% for permanent supportive housing for extremely low-income families, 35% for low-income rentals, 10% for middle-income housing, and 10% for homelessness prevention programs. Additionally, staff was asked to initiate the process for possible amendments to the Measure E spending priorities by reallocating funds to rent relief based upon concerns of an impending rent cliff due to the pending expiration of State eviction moratoriums. The attached proposal recommends a potential reallocation dedicating an additional \$6 million in rental assistance to provide stability to households potentially facing eviction. These modifications would exceed the spending allocations included in City Council Policy 1-18 of dedicating 10% of the spending plan towards homeless prevention and rental assistance.

In order to modify the spending allocation of Measure E funds, <u>City Council Policy 1-18</u> requires 60-days' notice and at least two public hearings held by the legislative body prior to the City Council approving by two-thirds vote any changes to the annual spending plan. These requirements comply with <u>City Council Policy 1-18</u> to ensure the use of Measure E funds are consistent with the City Council's original intent. The notice and public comment period will begin at the Rules Committee hearing on **December 9, 2020** and end on **February 9, 2021**.

COORDINATION

The public hearing schedule on the proposed modifications to the spending plan for Measure E Tax Revenues have been coordinated with the City Attorney's Office and the City Manager's Office.

/s/ JACKY MORALES-FERRAND Director Housing Department

For questions, please contact Rachel VanderVeen, Deputy Director, at (408) 535-8231.

ATTACHMENT:

• Attachment A: Proposed Modifications to the Spending Plan

Proposed Modifications to the Spending Plan for Measure E Tax Revenues for FY 2020-2021

Spending Category / Item Administration		Dollar Value
		\$1,500,000
• 5% of the total revenue (\$30,000,000) collected		\$1,500,000
Remaining Funds Available & Allocations		\$28,500,000
1) Permanent supportive and affordable rental housing for	32%	\$9,225,000
extremely low-income households		
 Funding for land acquisition and new development of affordable 		\$9,225,000
housing		
• Reallocate \$3,600,000 to rent relief		
2) Affordable rental housing for low-income households	27%	\$7,575,000
 Funding for land acquisition and new development of new 		\$3,775,000
affordable housing		
 Acquisition and rehabilitation of existing buildings for low- 		\$3,800,000
income households		
• Reallocate \$2,400,000 to rent relief		
3) Rental and for-sale housing for moderate-income households		\$2,850,000
ADU Program		\$2,850,000
4) Homelessness prevention and rental assistance	31%	\$8,850,000
Homelessness Prevention		\$2,735,000
Student Housing FY 2020/21		\$55,000
Student Housing FY 2021/22		\$60,000
• Add \$6,000,000 for Rent Relief		\$6,000,000
Total	:	\$30,000,000

Proposed changes are italicized.