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**ASSESSMENT APPEALS BOARD**  
City Hall, Room 405  
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## **NOTICE OF CLOSED SESSION MEETING**

**AGENDA/NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT APPEALS BOARD No. 1 HEARING  
ROOM 406, 1 DR. CARLTON B. GOODLETT PLACE, CITY HALL  
FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 2020  
9:30 AM**

Under the California Constitution and applicable statutes, hearings of the Assessment Appeals Board are judicial proceedings. The decisions of Assessment Appeals Boards must be based exclusively on properly admitted evidence. Assessment Appeals Boards may not base any factual determinations necessary for their decisions on anything other than the aforementioned evidence. Information presented through public comment, unless properly admitted into evidence in compliance with the Revenue and Taxation code and the Property Tax Rules of the State Board of Equalization, is not evidence upon which Assessment Appeals Boards may base findings.

The Assessment Appeals Board Agenda packet and documents are available for review in Room 405 at City Hall. Each item on the Agenda may include the following documents: (1) An Application for Changed Assessment (2) Comparable Sale Information (3) Department or Agency Correspondence (4) Public Correspondence.

Public comment will be taken for items on the agenda, as well as items not on the agenda but under the jurisdiction of the Board. Each person wishing to speak on an item before the Board shall be permitted to be heard once for up to three minutes.

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1. Public comment\* (For all items on the agenda, as well as items not on the agenda, but under the jurisdiction of the Board)
  2. Closed session with legal counsel to begin preparing findings of fact for the below listed applications that were decided in August of 2019. (Pursuant to Property Tax Rule 301):

A. Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:

APPLICATION:	2017-0300
APPLICANT:	100-120 POWELL OWNER LP
PARCEL NO:	0327 012
PARCEL ADDRESS:	100 - 118 POWELL ST
TOPIC:	Base Year/Change in Ownership-Incorrect Value
CURRENT ASSESSMENT:	\$94,080,000.00
APPLICANT'S OPINION:	\$50,000,000.00
TAXABLE YEAR:	2017
APPEAL TYPE:	Real Property
ROLL TYPE:	BASE YEAR

B. Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:

APPLICATION: 2017-0317  
APPLICANT: 100-120 POWELL OWNER LP  
PARCEL NO: 0327 013  
PARCEL ADDRESS: 120 POWELL ST  
TOPIC: Base Year/Change in Ownership-Incorrect Value  
CURRENT ASSESSMENT: \$40,320,000.00  
APPLICANT'S OPINION: \$20,000,000.00  
TAXABLE YEAR: 2017  
APPEAL TYPE: Real Property  
ROLL TYPE: BASE YEAR

C. Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:

APPLICATION: 2017-1272  
APPLICANT: SHR ST. FRANCIS LLC c/o STRATEGIC HOTELS AND RESORTS  
PARCEL NO: 0307 001  
PARCEL ADDRESS: 301 - 345 POWELL ST  
TOPIC: Base Year/Change in Ownership-Incorrect Value  
CURRENT ASSESSMENT: \$596,302,418.00  
APPLICANT'S OPINION: \$400,000,000.00  
TAXABLE YEAR: 2015  
APPEAL TYPE: Real Property  
ROLL TYPE: SUPPLEMENTAL

D. Hearing, discussion, and possible action involving:

APPLICATION: 2017-1273  
APPLICANT: SHR ST. FRANCIS LLC c/o STRATEGIC HOTELS AND RESORTS  
PARCEL NO: 0307 013  
PARCEL ADDRESS: 455 POST ST  
TOPIC: Base Year/Change in Ownership-Incorrect Value  
CURRENT ASSESSMENT: \$198,767,473.00  
APPLICANT'S OPINION: \$100,000,000.00  
TAXABLE YEAR: 2015  
APPEAL TYPE: Real Property  
ROLL TYPE: SUPPLEMENTAL

3. Possible report on action taken in closed session (pursuant to Government Code Section 54957.1 and San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.14)
4. Vote to elect whether to disclose any or all discussions held in closed session (pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.14(a).)
5. Adjournment.

## **KNOW YOUR RIGHTS UNDER THE SUNSHINE ORDINANCE**

Government's duty is to serve the public, reaching its decision in full view of the public. Commissions, boards, councils and other agencies of the City and County exist to conduct the people's business. This ordinance assures that deliberations are conducted before the people and the City operations are open to the people's review.

For more information on your rights under the Sunshine Ordinance (San Francisco Administrative Code, Chapter 67) or to report a violation of the ordinance, contact by mail Sunshine Ordinance Task Force, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244, San Francisco, CA 94102-4689; by phone at 415.554.7724, by fax at 415.554.5163, or by e-mail at [sotf@sfgov.org](mailto:sotf@sfgov.org).

Citizens may obtain a free copy of the Sunshine Ordinance by printing the San Francisco Administrative Code, Chapter 67 on the Internet, at <http://www.sfgov.org/sunshine/>

### **Ethics Requirements**

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Under Campaign and Governmental Conduct Code, Section 1.127, no person or entity with a financial interest in a land use matter pending before the Board of Appeals, Board of Supervisors, Building Inspection Commission, Commission on Community Investment and Infrastructure, Historic Preservation Commission, Planning Commission, Port Commission, or the Treasure Island Development Authority Board of Directors, may make a campaign contribution to a member of the Board of Supervisors, the Mayor, the City Attorney, or a candidate for any of those offices, from the date the land use matter commenced until 12 months after the board or commission has made a final decision, or any appeal to another City agency from that decision has been resolved. For more information about this restriction, visit [sfethics.org](http://sfethics.org).

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\* Public comment will be taken on every item on the agenda.