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Dear San Francisco Police Commission:

We believe it's wrong to end traffic enforcement and alleged pretext stops for illegal turns, broken headlights/taillights/brake lights, littering, missing license plates, etc. Please hold hearings and collect feedback from citizens throughout the city, including the Westside, Marina, OMI and the Mission.

This unwarranted policy will lead to more traffic accidents, more shootings and more crime.

It's foolish and simplistic to create these changes in the name of equity. Prove that the stops are illegal or pretextual, or that the color of the occupant is the reason the vehicle is stopped. If you have no proof, then go get some. Any statistician or data scientist will tell you that raw numbers shouldn't be manipulated in such fashion.

The laws were created to protect everyone. Abandoning them hurts everyone. The police are being systematically prevented from doing their jobs by your ill-conceived efforts to look like you are doing something. The public is sick of the police commission hampering the work of our law enforcement personnel. Get trained and understand the work of law enforcement before you presume to tell the guys on the front line what to do.

Respectfully,

Robert Chan