May 15, 2023

San Francisco Arts Commission
Meeting of the
Civic Design Review Committee
Item 1: Call to Order, Roll Call, Agenda Changes, Land Acknowledgment

- Call to order
- Agenda changes
- Roll call / Confirmation of quorum
- Ramaytush Ohlone Land Acknowledgement
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Land Acknowledgement

The San Francisco Arts Commission acknowledges that we are on the unceded ancestral homeland of the Ramaytush Ohlone who are the original inhabitants of the San Francisco Peninsula. As the indigenous stewards of this land and in accordance with their traditions, the Ramaytush Ohlone have never ceded, lost nor forgotten their responsibilities as the caretakers of this place, as well as for all peoples who reside in their traditional territory. As guests, we recognize that we benefit from living and working on their traditional homeland. We wish to pay our respects by acknowledging the ancestors, elders and relatives of the Ramaytush Community and by affirming their sovereign rights as First Peoples. As a department dedicated to promoting a diverse and equitable Arts and Culture environment in San Francisco, we are committed to supporting the traditional and contemporary evolution of the American Indian community.
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Item 3: San Francisco New Public Trash Receptacles Project: Phase 3

Action: Discussion and possible motion to approve San Francisco New Public Trash Receptacles Project - Phase 3
San Francisco New Public Trash Receptacles

Civic Design Review - Phase 3

May 15, 2023
• New trash receptacle criteria
• Trash can pilot program
  – Pilot trash cans, timeline, outreach strategies
• Pilot program results
• Recommendations
• Next steps
New Trash Receptacle Criteria

Design and Performance Criteria

- Rummage-resistant
- Construction is tamper-proof
- Durable and easy to maintain
- Easy to service
- Accommodate 32-gallon rolling toter
- Accommodate recycling exchange
- Aesthetically pleasing
- Sensor-ready
- Cost efficient: under $3,000/each
Pilot Program

Pilot Trash Can – Custom Models

**Soft Square**
- Stainless steel construction
- Openings for trash and bottles/cans are behind hopper door
- Bottle/can opening also in the back

**Slim Silhouette**
- Stainless steel pipe construction
- Slim side profile allows more space on sidewalks
- Single-sided access
- Chute-shaped opening

**Salt & Pepper**
- Galvanized steel construction
- Two separate openings, with cans and bottles above and regular trash below
- Height of opening and shape deter rummaging
Trash Can Pilot Program

Pilot Trash Can – Off-the-Shelf Models

Open Wire Mesh
Manufacturer: Global Industries

Ren Bin
Manufacturer: Victor Stanley

Bear Saver
Manufacturer: Securr
Pilot Program

- Total 26 pilot trash cans
- July 25 to September 23, with two 30-day installations

52 locations of pilot trash cans

First installation
- Off-the-shelf cans
- Custom cans

Second installation
- Off-the-shelf cans
- Custom cans
Pilot Program
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- QR codes affixed to trash cans
- Website with overview and online survey
- In-person public events: Chinatown, Manny’s in the Mission District

- Social media posts
  - 66,000+ impressions on Twitter
- Articles in Public Works digital newsletter
  - 7,676 views in July
  - 7,259 views in August
Pilot Program Results

- Public survey responses: 1,027 responses
  - 1,010 in English
  - 10 in Chinese
  - 6 in Spanish

- Survey responses and feedbacks from Recology
- Survey Responses and feedbacks from Public Works Operations Team
- 311 Reports

**Slim Silhouette** meets the most design and functional criteria, with a few design modifications identified from the pilot program.

“Innovative design; sleek design; distinctive; unobtrusive.”
Slim Silhouette meets the above criteria with a few modifications:

- Change the sides from rods to a sheet of perforated stainless steel
- Re-examine the locking mechanism
- Re-examine the size and shape of main opening
- Re-design symbol for recycling exchange
Next Steps

- CatEx received.
- Approved Administrative Certificate of Appropriated for Article 10 Landmark Districts.
- Approved Minor Permit to Alter for Article 11 Conservation Districts.
- Civic Design Review Phase 3 - underway
- Secure funding for trash can procurement – underway
- Issue RFP/RFQ document to solicit trash can manufacturing and procurement.
Thank you!
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Item 4: Staff Report

Joanne Lee, Deputy Director of Programs
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Item 6: Adjournment