

TEXT OF PROPOSED DECLARATION OF POLICY PROPOSITION Q

DECLARATION OF POLICY

It shall be the policy of the City and County of San Francisco to create a Pedestrian Safety Fund which shall include at least the baseline funding provided in the City and County of San Francisco's 2000-01 budget for the Livable Streets program as well as the City and County's portion of revenues generated by fines from violations that endanger pedestrians, and to spend proceeds from this fund to promote pedestrian safety. To that end, the voters of the City and County of San Francisco urge the Mayor, Board of Supervisors, Department of Parking and Traffic and Controller to take the steps necessary to track and designate the aforementioned City and County funding as well as the City and County's portion of revenues generated by fines for violations of California Vehicle Code Sections 21456, 21456.2, 21456.3, 21461.5, 21950, 21951, 21952, 21953, 29154 and 21955 and to deposit these monies into the Pedestrian Safety Fund. The voters of the City and County further urge the Mayor, Board of Supervisors, Department of Parking and Traffic and Controller to appropriate revenues in the Pedestrian Safety Fund to promote the health and safety of pedestrians on the streets of the City and County of San Francisco, including, but not limited to the installation of pedestrian countdown clocks, lighted crosswalks, stop signs, a 24-hour hotline to report dangerous intersections, and high visibility pedestrian crossing, senior crossing, and school crossing signs.