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**NOTICE OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF  
THE SAN FRANCISCO RESIDENTIAL RENT  
STABILIZATION & ARBITRATION BOARD,**

Tuesday, May 17, 2011  
at 6:00 p.m.  
25 Van Ness Avenue, Suite 70, Lower Level

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Approval of the Minutes
- IV. Remarks from the Public

**NOTE: Pursuant to Section 2.13(e) of the Rules and Regulations, members of the public shall be limited to comments of no more than 3 minutes' duration.**

V. Consideration of Appeals

A. 80 Terra Vista #13 AT110031 & -38

The tenant appeals two decisions certifying capital improvement costs on the grounds of financial hardship.

B. 1900 Vallejo #203 AT110035 & -36

The tenant re-opens her hardship appeals of two decisions certifying capital improvement costs due to her changed financial circumstances.

C. 1135 Taylor AT110039

The tenant re-opens her hardship appeal of a decision granting rent increases based on increased operating expenses.

D. 1121-1/2 Alabama AL110028

The landlord appeals the remand decision granting claims of unlawful rent increases and decreased housing services.

E. 761 Commercial St. #5 AL110037

The landlord appeals the decision partially granting claims of decreased housing services.

F. 337 Richland Ave. AL110033

The landlord appeals the decision denying certification of certain capital improvement costs due to the work having been completed more than five years prior to the filing of the petition.

G. 3567 – 17<sup>th</sup> St. AL110029

The landlord appeals the decision granting claims of decreased housing services.

H. 1130 Filbert #1, 2 & 3 AT110020 thru -22  
(rescheduled from 4/12/11)

The tenants in three units appeal the decision certifying capital improvement costs.

I. 3186 – 24<sup>th</sup> St. #8 AL110032

The landlord appeals the remand decision denying a rent increase pursuant to Rules Section 1.21 because there is a “Tenant in Occupancy” on the premises.

J. 174 Monterey #1 AT110030

The tenants appeal the decision granting a rent increase pursuant to Costa-Hawkins.

K. 3580 San Bruno Ave. #3 AL110034

The landlord appeals the decision granting claims of decreased housing services.

VI. Communications

VII. Director’s Report

VIII. Old Business

IV. Remarks from the Public (cont.)

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IX. New Business

A. Proposed Amendments to Rent Ordinance to Reflect Existing Law

B. Board Discussion of Rules and Regulations Sections 6.10(a) and 7.12(b)

X. Calendar Items

XI. Adjournment

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