

**SAN FRANCISCO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
RATE FAIRNESS BOARD
CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO**

**Special Meeting Agenda
Thursday, March 19, 2026, 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM**

Members of the Rate Fairness Board will attend this meeting in-person. Members of the public are invited to observe the meeting in-person or remotely online as described below. Members of the public attending the meeting in person or remotely online will have an opportunity to provide public comment on every item. It is possible that not every person in the queue will have an opportunity to provide remote public comment.

In-person Meeting: San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (SFPUC), 525 Golden Gate Avenue, 2nd Floor, Yosemite Conference Room, San Francisco, CA 94102

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General Manager

MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order

2. Roll Call

Member Name/Title	Appointed By
Howard Ash, Chair, Residential City Retail Customer	Board of Supervisors
Masood Samereie, Vice-Chair, City Retail Large Business Customer	Mayor's Office
Vishal Trivedi, Financial Analyst of Office of Public Finance	Controller's Office
Eric Dew, Residential City Retail Customer	Mayor's Office
Ben Becker, Refuse Rates Analyst	Controller's Office
Celeste Middleton, Principal Budget & Planning Analyst	City Administrator
<i>Vacant</i> , City Retail Small Business Customer	Board of Supervisors

3. General Public Comment

Members of the public may address the Rate Fairness Board (RFB) on matters that are within the Board's jurisdiction but not on today's agenda.

4. Approval of the Special Meeting Minutes of January 16, 2026 (Discussion and Action)

5. Items Initiated by Board Members

- a. Election of Board Officers (Discussion and Possible Action)

6. Report of the Chair (Discussion and Action)

- a. Proposed Water and Sewer Rate Adjustments for FY 2026-27 & FY 2027-28
- b. Update on the Power Rate Study

7. Communications (Information Only)

- a. Correspondence Log

8. Announcements, Comments, Questions (Discussion)

9. Adjournment

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