

**SUNSHINE ORDINANCE  
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**ORDER OF DETERMINATION**

Issued: February 20, 2023

DATE DECISION ISSUED

November 3, 2021

CASE TITLE:

**File No. 21039:** Complaint filed by Karl Kramer against the Department of Public Health for allegedly violating Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Sections 67.21, by failing to respond to a request for public records in a timely and/or complete manner.

**HEARING AND ACTION ON THE COMPLAINT**

On July 20, 2021, the Complaint Committee acting in its capacity to hear petitions/complaints heard the matter.

Minutes from the meeting are available at the following website:  
[https://sfgov.org/sunshine/sites/default/files/complaint\\_072021\\_minutes.pdf](https://sfgov.org/sunshine/sites/default/files/complaint_072021_minutes.pdf)

Action by the Committee:

Moved by Member Wolfe, seconded by Chair Schmidt, to find that the SOTF has jurisdiction, find that the requested records are public and to refer the matter to the SOTF for hearing.

Public Comment:

Anonymous #3 noted that even if it is possible that calculations were not computed, the process for adjusting the budget is unclear, not that the funds were allocated.

The motion PASSED by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Wolfe, Schmidt, Forsley

Noes: 0 – None

On November 3, 2021, the SOTF held a hearing to review the recommendation form committee and/or to review the merits of the petition/complaint.

Minutes from the meeting are available at the following website:  
[https://sfgov.org/sunshine/sites/default/files/sotf\\_110321\\_minutes.pdf](https://sfgov.org/sunshine/sites/default/files/sotf_110321_minutes.pdf)

See Findings and Order of Determination for action.

### **FINDINGS AND ORDER OF DETERMINATION**

On November 3, 2021, the SOTF made the following Findings and issued an Order of Determination based upon the testimony and evidence presented:

Moved by Member Schmidt, seconded by Member Stein to find no violation of Administrative Code 67.21 and close the matter.

The motion PASSED by the following vote:

Ayes: 8 - Schmidt, Stein Hyland, Neighbors Yankee, Wong, Padmanabhan,  
LaHood

Absent: 1 - B. Wolfe

The Order of Determinations was approved  
by the Sunshine Ordinance Task Force  
on: November 3, 2021

cc. Karl Kramer, (Petitioner/Complainant)  
Department of Public Health (Respondent)