Want to make your permit review process smoother, quicker and easier?

Complete the San Francisco Public Works permit review checklist at the get-go.

PRE-APPLICATION Does your project include any of the following features in the public right of way?
Identify any of the following features shown on project plans (select all features):
☐ Structural component(s) (modification/new)
☐ Curb ramps (modification/new). Complete Curb Ramp Design Submittal Requirements Checklist
☐ Accessible parking (blue zones) and/or passenger loading (white zones)
☐ Accessible business entrance(s)
☐ New buildings and/or alterations of existing buildings
☐ Building and/or sidewalk alterations with sub-sidewalk basements
☐ Entrance canopies and/or awnings with vertical clearances of less than 8 feet (modification/new)
□ New tree with less than 6-foot path of travel
☐ Existing street tree, designated significant tree or landmark tree within 15 feet of the project
☐ Existing or proposed permeable sidewalk landscaping in the right of way
☐ Trenching, excavating, sidewalk demolition and/or installation within existing and or typical dripline of any street or designated significant tree or within the dripline of a landmark tree. Significant and Landmark Trees Public Works (sfpublicworks.org)
☐ Bus stop(s) within 15 feet of the project
☐ Curb heights under 4 inches or curb heights over 7 inches
☐ Existing or proposed sidewalk cross slope over 1.67%
☐ Existing or proposed sidewalk running slope over 10%
☐ Installation, relocation or removal of utilities (e.g. water meter, water main(s), fire hydrant(s), sewer lateral(s), sewer main(s), manhole(s), catch basin(s)/inlets, street light(s)
☐ Excavation, trenching and/or changes in finished grade within 3 feet of an existing utility or street light foundation
☐ Sidewalk widening and/or sidewalk bulb outs (modification/new)
☐ Installing new or modifying medians in the roadway or bike lane(s)
☐ Document existing encroachment(s). No new work or modification proposed

More information can be found at:

www.sfpublicworks.org/services/permits/what's-new



