

Small Business Commission Resolution

HEARING DATE NOVEMBER 28, 2016

CAFÉ DU NORD

LEGACY BUSINESS REGISTRY RESOLUTION NO. 040-16-LBR

Application No.: LBR-2015-16-069
Business Name: Café du Nord
Business Address: 2170 Market Street
District: District 8
Applicant: Enrique Landa, Partner
Nomination Date: June 29, 2016
Nominated By: Supervisor Scott Wiener
Staff Contact: Richard Kurylo
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ADOPTING FINDINGS APPROVING THE LEGACY BUSINESS REGISTRY APPLICATION FOR CAFÉ DU NORD, CURRENTLY LOCATED AT 2170 MARKET STREET.

WHEREAS, in accordance with Administrative Code Section 2A.242, the Office of Small Business maintains a registry of Legacy Businesses in San Francisco (the "Registry") to recognize that longstanding, community-serving businesses can be valuable cultural assets of the City and to be a tool for providing educational and promotional assistance to Legacy Businesses to encourage their continued viability and success; and

WHEREAS, the subject business has operated in San Francisco for 30 or more years, with no break in San Francisco operations exceeding two years; or

WHEREAS, the subject business has operated in San Francisco for more than 20 years but less than 30 years, has had no break in San Francisco operations exceeding two years, has significantly contributed to the history or identity of a particular neighborhood or community and, if not included in the Registry, faces a significant risk of displacement; and

WHEREAS, the subject business has contributed to the neighborhood's history and identity; and

WHEREAS, the subject business is committed to maintaining the physical features and traditions that define the business; and

WHEREAS, at a duly noticed public hearing held on November 28, 2016, the San Francisco Small Business Commission reviewed documents and correspondence, and heard oral testimony on the Legacy Business Registry application; therefore





CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO
EDWIN M. LEE, MAYOR

OFFICE OF SMALL BUSINESS
REGINA DICK-ENDRIZZI, DIRECTOR

BE IT RESOLVED that the Small Business Commission hereby includes Café du Nord in the Legacy Business Registry as a Legacy Business under Administrative Code Section 2A.242.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Small Business Commission recommends safeguarding the below listed physical features and traditions at Café du Nord:

Physical Features or Traditions that Define the Business:

- Stained wood boxed beam ceiling.
- Wainscoting and wallpaper.
- 1908 ornamental back bar with original (restored) wainscoting.
- 55-foot long front bar made of dark mahogany with original brass railings and copper kick plates.
- 1930s-era Art Deco neon sign along Market Street.
- Staircase leading from Market Street to Café du Nord.
- Large painting of the mistress of legendary tenor Enrico Carouso.
- All interior and exterior features outlined in the landmark designation.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED by the Small Business Commission on November 28, 2016.


Regina Dick-Endrizzi
Director

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Ayes – 5: Adams, Dooley, Dwight, Ortiz-Cartagena, Tour-Sarkissian

Nays – 0

Abstained – 0

Absent – 2: Yee Riley, Zouzounis

