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Commissioners,

I am writing as a San Francisco resident to oppose DGO 9.01, which seeks to limit traffic stops for "low level" traffic offenses.

Given that traffic deaths and crime have both risen dramatically since the pandemic, now is not the time to give our officers even less incentive to enforce traffic laws. I feel that DGO 9.01 would have negative effects on pedestrian and cyclist safety as there is a correlation between reckless drivers and these offenses that the commission seeks to prevent SFPD from enforcing.

Therefore, I urge the commission to reject DGO 9.01 as an SF resident who is fed up with the culture of driver impunity that recent policing cutbacks have enabled. Further limits on traffic stops will only make San Francisco less safe, especially in lower income areas with dangerous streets.

All the best,

Mario Ramirez