

San Francisco's Chapter 22J — a Mandatory, Annually Refreshed Public Inventory of City AI Systems

AI in the Public Sector · Good practice · United States of America

Quality score: 47/100

Evidence strength: Moderate

Summary

Ordinance 288-24 (Dec 2024) obliges SF departments and vendors to answer 22 standardised questions on each AI tool; the inventory was first published on data.sfgov.gov on 15 Jan 2026 and is labelled preliminary.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured public value	1/3
Transparency, fairness & accountability	2/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	1/3
Scalability beyond pilot	1/3
Governance, capability & sustainability	2/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-10-18

[City and County of San Francisco \(Department of Technology; Board of Supervisors\)](#) — accessed 2026-10-18

[Ordinance 288-24 \(Board of Supervisors\)](#) — accessed 2026-10-18

[AI Use Inventory dataset \(Data.gov\)](#) — accessed 2026-10-18

[Gazetteer SF, 12 Dec 2024](#) — accessed 2026-10-18

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