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MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Board of Supervisors
Clerk of the Board

FROM: Ben Rosenfield, Controller

DATE: May 2, 2016

SUBJECT: San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (MTA)
Mayor's FY 2016-17 & FY 2017-18 Proposed Budget

This memorandum outlines items included in the SFMTA FY 2016-17 & FY 2017-18 Mayor's Proposed Budget over which the Board of Supervisors has line-item approval authority.

Pursuant to Charter Article 8A.106, the Board of Supervisors (Board) may allow the MTA's budget to take effect without any action on its part, or it may reject the MTA's budget by a seven-elevenths' vote. The Board may only approve or reject the entire budget, and has no discretion to modify or reject specific expenditures contained therein. However, additional General Fund support to the MTA over the base amount stipulated in the Charter is subject to normal budgetary review and amendment under the general financial provisions of the Charter.

The FY 2016-17 & FY 2017-18 Mayor's Proposed Budget for the MTA appropriates the following General Fund and other sources subject to line-item review and approval. Approval of expenditures related to these sources follows the general provisions of the Charter, under which the Board may modify proposed expenses at the level of appropriation.

1. Mission Bay Transportation Improvement Fund transfers from the General Fund of \$3,050,000 in FY 2016-17 and \$2,310,000 in FY 2017-18.
2. Development impact fees for various capital projects as proposed by the Interagency Plan Implementation Committee (IPIC) of \$23,085,100 in FY 2016-17 and \$17,720,910 in FY 2017-18.
3. Transit Sustainability Fees for various transit related capital projects of \$10,942,660 in FY 2016-17 and \$2,209,042 in FY 2017-18.
4. A supplemental ordinance appropriating \$207,000,00 of revenue bond proceeds for various transportation projects and equipment in FY 2016-17 accompanies the May 1 Appropriation Ordinance. The Board of Supervisors has approval authority over the specific projects funded by these proceeds.

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Please note that the appropriation for the Mission Bay Transportation Improvement Fund includes \$350,000 in FY 2016-17 and \$270,000 in FY 2017-18 from SFMTA fund balance originating from baseline funding. These amounts follow the procedure specified under Charter Article 8A.106, where the Board has no discretion to modify or reject specific expenditures.

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