

1 [Accept and Expend Grant - McLaren Bike Park Project, Phase 1 - \$249,835]

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3 **Resolution authorizing the Recreation and Park Department to accept and expend a**
4 **grant of \$249,835 from the California Department of Parks and Recreation’s Land and**
5 **Water Conservation Fund to support the development of Phase 1 of the McLaren Bike**
6 **Park Project.**

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8 WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco owns the property located in
9 southeastern San Francisco consisting of Assessor’s Parcel Block 6003, Lot 034, Block 6096,
10 Lot 001, Block 6189, Lot 034, Block 6190, Lot 066, and Block 6220, Lot 002, together known
11 as McLaren Park (“the Property”); and

12 WHEREAS, The City, acting through the San Francisco Recreation and Park
13 Department (RPD), operates and maintains the Property; and

14 WHEREAS, The National Park Service provides funding to states under the Land and
15 Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) program for statewide planning, acquisition and
16 development of outdoor recreation areas and facilities; and

17 WHEREAS, The California Department of Parks and Recreation (CDPR) administers
18 the LWCF program in California, which provides grant funds to local entities to acquire,
19 enhance, restore or develop facilities for public recreation purposes; and

20 WHEREAS, RPD proposes to build new multi-use bike trails for beginning and
21 intermediate riders and install amenities such as picnic areas and signage at the southern
22 entrance to McLaren Park as Phase 1 of the McLaren Bike Park Project; and

23 WHEREAS, The McLaren Bike Park Project site is adjacent to the Sunnydale Housing
24 Project, which is the largest public housing facility in San Francisco and has high incidents of
25 crime; and,

1 WHEREAS, Access to safe places to play is a vital component of vibrant communities
2 and healthy, active lifestyles; and

3 WHEREAS, The presence of rundown parks in urban neighborhoods can invite
4 vandalism and crime, putting children and families at increased risk of harm; and

5 WHEREAS, By replacing the trash and asphalt currently occupying the site with the
6 McLaren Bike Park, RPD and its partners will create a vibrant community recreation facility
7 that is welcoming to youth and families; and

8 WHEREAS, CDPR has awarded RPD an LWCF grant in the amount of \$249,835 for
9 Phase 1 of the McLaren Bike Park Project; and

10 WHEREAS, Per Section 6(f)(3) of the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act,
11 property developed under the LWCF program may not, without the approval of CDPR, the
12 National Park Service and/or the Secretary of the Interior, be converted to other than public
13 outdoor recreation use but shall be maintained in public outdoor recreation in perpetuity; and

14 WHEREAS, The Property is already subject to Section 6(f)(3) restrictions due to grants
15 previously awarded to RPD; and

16 WHEREAS, The Grant does not require an Annual Salary Ordinance (ASO)
17 Amendment; and

18 WHEREAS, RPD proposes to maximize use of available Grant funds on project
19 expenditures by not including indirect costs in the grant budget; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors authorizes the Recreation and Park
21 Department General Manager to accept and expend the grant of \$249,835 from the California
22 Department of Parks and Recreation's LWCF to fund Phase 1 of the McLaren Bike Park
23 Project; and be it

24 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby waives inclusion of
25 indirect costs in the grant budget; and be it

1 FURTHER RESOLVED, That within thirty (30) days of the Grant Agreement being fully
2 executed by all parties, RPD shall provide the final Grant Agreement to the Clerk of the Board
3 for inclusion into the official file; and, be it

4 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors authorizes the General
5 Manager, or his or her designee, to conduct all negotiations, execute and submit all
6 documents, including, but not limited to applications, agreements, amendments, payment
7 requests and so on, which may be necessary to accept and expend the grant funds for the
8 completion of the project.

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10 Recommended:

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14 General Manager, Recreation and Park Department

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