



Edwin M. Lee, Mayor  
Philip A. Ginsburg, General Manager

To: The Honorable John K. Stewart  
From: Philip A. Ginsburg, General Manager  
Date: September 6, 2016  
Re: 2015-16 Civil Grand Jury report, *Maintenance Budgeting and Accounting Challenges for General Fund Departments, Maintenance Economics Versus Maintenance Politics: Pay Now or Pay Later.*

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Honorable John K. Stewart:

In reviewing our department's response to Recommendation R-II.C.1-4: Urban Forest Plan Phase 2 (Page 20), it came to my attention that a description of implementation was omitted. While the response is correct, I wanted to provide a brief summary of implementation:

*e. The Parks Commission should devise a creative dedicated funding plan to implement the Urban Forest Plan (Phase 2: Parks and Open Space).*

***Recommendation has been implemented.***

Due to the June 2016 passage of Prop B, *The San Francisco Park, Recreation, and Open Space Fund Charter Amendment*, we now have a dedicated funding plan to implement the Urban Forest Plan (Phase 2: Parks and Open Space). This satisfies the recommendation for the Park Commission to devise a creative dedicated funding plan to implement the Urban Forest Plan, Phase 2.

Thank you,

Philip A. Ginsburg  
General Manager