[Affirm adoption of the negative declaration for 2026 Lombard Street]

Motion affirming the Planning Commission adoption of the negative declaration for 2026 Lombard Street.

WHEREAS, The project sponsor for a development at 2026 Lombard Street (the "Project") submitted its application for environmental review of the Project on May 9, 2002 (City Planning File No. 2002.0497E); and

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Planning Department (the "Department") issued a preliminary mitigated negative declaration for this Project on March 29, 2003 (the "negative declaration"). A copy of said document is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 031265 and is incorporated by reference herein; and

WHEREAS, On April 21, 2003, the negative declaration was timely appealed to the San Francisco Planning Commission (the "Commission"); and

WHEREAS, On June 12, 2003, the Commission held a duly noticed public hearing on the negative declaration appeal; and

WHEREAS, On said date, the Commission reviewed and considered the preliminary mitigated negative declaration, as amended, the appeal letter, a responses to concerns document that the Department prepared, and public testimony. By Motion No. 16595, the Commission found that the contents of the negative declaration and the procedures through which it was prepared, publicized, and reviewed complied with the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (Cal. Pub. Res. Code sections 21000 et seq., hereinafter "CEQA"), the State CEQA Guidelines (Cal. Code Regs. Title 14, sections 15000 et seq., ("CEQA Guidelines") and Chapter 31 of the San Francisco Administrative Code ("Chapter 31"); and

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WHEREAS, By said Motion No. 16595, the Commission found the negative declaration reflected its independent judgment and analysis and was adequate, accurate, and objective, and adopted the negative declaration in compliance with CEQA, the State CEQA Guidelines, and Chapter 31. Said motion is on file with the Clerk of the Board in File No. 031265 and is incorporated by reference herein; and

WHEREAS, By letter to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors dated July 14, 2003, Stephen M. Williams filed an appeal of the negative declaration to the Board of Supervisors; and

WHEREAS, The Clerk of the Board of Supervisors received this appeal letter on or around July 15, 2003; and

WHEREAS, On August 12, 2003, this Board held a duly notice public hearing to consider the appeal of the negative declaration; and

WHEREAS, This Board has reviewed and considered the negative declaration and heard testimony and received public comment regarding the adequacy of this document; and

WHEREAS, The negative declaration files and all correspondence and other documents have been made available for review by this Board, the Commission and the public. These files are available for public review by appointment at the Planning Department offices at 1660 Mission Street, and are part of the record before this Board by reference herein; and

WHEREAS, Since the Planning Commission action on the negative declaration, there is no new information of significance that would require a substantial revision to the negative declaration and necessitate recirculation of said document pursuant to CEQA Guideline section 15073.5; now, therefore, be it

MOVED, That based on substantial evidence in light of the whole record, this Board of Supervisors finds the negative declaration reflects its independent judgment and analysis and

is adequate, accurate, and objective, and hereby affirms the decision of the Planning Commission in its Motion No. 16595 to adopt the negative declaration in compliance with CEQA, the State CEQA Guidelines, and Chapter 31.



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August 12, 2003 Board of Supervisors — CONTINUED

Ayes: 7 - Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Gonzalez, Ma, Maxwell, McGoldrick

Excused: 4 - Hall, Newsom, Peskin, Sandoval

September 16, 2003 Board of Supervisors — APPROVED

Ayes: 7 - Ammiano, Dufty, Hall, Ma, Maxwell, Peskin, Sandoval

Noes: 3 - Daly, Gonzalez, McGoldrick

Excused: 1 - Newsom

File No. 031266

I hereby certify that the foregoing Motion was APPROVED on September 16, 2003 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young

Clerk of the Board