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[Apply for Grant - Urban Forest for Every City]

Resolution authorizing the Planning Department to apply for funding from the Urban Forestry Grant Program entitled "An Urban Forest for Every City", as provided through propositions 40 and 84, to conduct a citywide tree inventory.

WHEREAS, The Governor of the State of California in cooperation with the California State Legislature has enacted Propositions 40 and 84, which provide funds to the State of California and its political subdivisions for urban forestry programs; and

WHEREAS, The State Department of Forestry and Fire Protection has been delegated the responsibility for the administration of the program within the State, setting up necessary procedures governing application by local agencies and non-profit organizations under the program; and

WHEREAS, Said procedures established by the State Department of Forestry and Fire Protection require the applicant to certify by resolution the approval of application before submission of said application to the State; and

WHEREAS, The Planning Department will enter into an agreement with the State of California to carry out an urban forestry project; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, The Board of Supervisors approves the filing of an application for "Proposition 40 and 84" urban forestry grant program funds; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, The Planning Department has or will have sufficient funds to operate and maintain the project; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, Funds under the jurisdiction of the Board of Supervisors are available to begin the project; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, The Planning Department will expend grant funds prior to March 30, 2013; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, The Director of the Planning Department, or a designee, is hereby authorized and empowered to execute in the name of the City and County of San Francisco all necessary applications, contracts, payment requests, agreements and amendments hereto for the purpose of securing grant funds and to implement and carry out the purposes specified in the grant application; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco authorizes the submittal of additional grant applications by the Planning Department for funding from the Urban Forestry Grant Program entitled "An Urban Forest for Every City" for all available grants and this resolution shall remain in effect for five (5) years.