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TO: Board of Supervisors

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DATE: October 17, 2023

SUBJECT: Retroactive - San Francisco Bay Water Quality Improvement Fund Grant - India Basin Shoreline Park - \$3,768,558

Although, the grant performance period is retroactive as of May 1, 2023, no grant funds have been expended and all work funded by this grant will not occur any earlier than July 1, 2024.

Background: In September 2022, the Recreation and Park Department applied for a United States Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA), San Francisco Bay Water Quality Improvement Fund (SFBWIF) Grant in the amount of \$3,768,558 to support the construction of the living shoreline and bio-retention features at India Basin Shoreline Park. The grant was awarded December 22, 2023.

In Spring 2023, the US EPA Project Team initiated contract development discussions and prepared related agreement forms. On May 1, 2023, the US EPA provided the Recreation and Park Department (RPD) the grant agreement. The agreement does not require a signature and is considered executed if the grantee does not reject the terms of the agreement within 30 days of receipt. The Recreation and Park Department legal staff reviewed the terms of the agreement and found them acceptable.

Since there were no grant agreement objections to the agreement after legal review, the US EPA agreement was considered acceptable and automatically executed on June 1, 2023.



