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TO: Board of Supervisors

- FROM: Philip A. Ginsburg, General Manager Recreation and Park Department
- DATE: July 25, 2024

## SUBJECT: Information on Retroactive Grant Performance Period- ORLP Grant

The San Francisco Recreation and Park Department was awarded an Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership (ORLP) Grant in April 2024. This federal program is administered by the National Park Service in partnership with the State of California, Recreation and Park Department (DPR).

The ORLP grant program allows the grantees to use project costs incurred up to three years before the grant contract execution, as grant match. At this time, the grant contract has not been executed, but the Recreation and Park Department (RPD) has estimated that the grant performance period could start no earlier than July 1, 2022.

The Recreation and Park Department intends to use approximately \$350,000 in preconstruction cost that occurred after July 1, 2022, as grant match, thus making the grant retroactive.

Recreation and Park Department has been advised by the Clerk of the Board that due to the back-date grant performance period, the grant is "retroactive", even though the Grant Contract has not been executed, and no grant funds have been committed or expended.