

[Disapproving the categorical exemption issued for the 429 Amador Street (Pier 92) project.]

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Motion disapproving the determination by the Planning Department that the 429 Amador Street (Pier 92) project is categorically exempt from environmental review under the California Environmental Quality Act.

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7 WHEREAS, On September 8, 2009, the Environmental Review Office of the San
8 Francisco Planning Department issued a certificate of determination of exemption/exclusion
9 from environmental review (the "determination") for a proposal to add a biodiesel operation to
10 Darling International's existing facility that renders vegetable oils, fats and greases, located at
11 429 Amador Street (Pier 92) (the "Project"). A copy of said document is on file with the Clerk
12 of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 090264, and is incorporated by reference herein; and,

13 WHEREAS, By letter to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors dated February 25, 2009,
14 Deborah Behles, Kenneth Blackwood and Cheryl Tang, on behalf of the Bayview Hunters
15 Point Community Advocates (the "Appellant") filed an appeal of the determination to the
16 Board of Supervisors, which the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors received on or around
17 February 25, 2009; and,

18 WHEREAS, On April 7, 2009, this Board held a duly noticed public hearing to consider
19 the appeal of the determination; and,

20 WHEREAS, This Board has reviewed and considered the determination, the appeal
21 letter, the responses to concerns document that the Planning Department prepared, and
22 public testimony; and,

23 WHEREAS, The determination files and all correspondence and other documents have
24 been made available for review by this Board and the public. These files are available for

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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; now, therefore, be it

3 MOVED, That this Board of Supervisors disapproves the determination by the Planning
Department that the Project is exempt/excluded from environmental review.

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