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1	[Conditionally Reversing the Categorical Exemption Determination - Proposed 1310 Junipero Serra Boulevard Project]
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3	Motion conditionally reversing the determination by the Planning Department that the
4	proposed project at 1310 Junipero Serra Boulevard is categorically exempt from
5	environmental review, subject to the adoption of written findings of the Board of
6	Supervisors in support of this determination.
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8	WHEREAS, On April 5, 2024, the Planning Department determined that the proposed
9	1310 Junipero Serra Boulevard project (the Project), at Assessor's Parcel Block No. 7380, Lot
10	Nos. 005 and 036, is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act
11	(CEQA) under a Class 32 exemption for In-fill Development Projects - Section 15332 of the
12	CEQA Guidelines; and
13	WHEREAS, The Project proposes to demolish nine maintenance and facility structures
14	(totaling approximately 10,500 square feet in size) at the San Francisco Golf Club, and to
15	construct of a 23-foot-tall, one-story accessory maintenance and facility building
16	approximately 19,100 gross square feet in size; and
17	WHEREAS, The approximately 164-acre San Francisco Golf Club property is generally
18	bordered by Brotherhood Way to the north, Junipero Serra Boulevard to the east, Wilshire
19	Avenue (Daly City) to the south, and Lake Merced Boulevard to the west in the Lakeshore
20	neighborhood; and
21	WHEREAS, The project site, where construction would occur, consists of an
22	approximately 1.7-acre (75,473 square feet) portion immediately west of Thomas More Way,
23	immediately adjacent to the Saint Thomas More Catholic School, while other nearby land
24	uses include other schools, preschools, and senior homes; and
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1 WHEREAS, CEQA Guidelines, Sections 15301 through 15333 list the categorical 2 exemptions for classes of projects that have been determined not to have a significant effect 3 on the environment and that are exempt from further environmental review; and 4 WHEREAS, CEQA Guidelines, Section 15332 (In-Fill Development Projects), also 5 known as Class 32, applies to projects characterized as in-fill development meeting the 6 following conditions: the project is consistent with the applicable general plan designation and 7 all applicable general plan policies as well as with applicable zoning designation and 8 regulations; the project's location is within city limits on a project site of no more than five 9 acres substantially surrounded by urban uses; the project site has no value as habitat for 10 endangered, rare or threatened species; the project approval does not result in any significant 11 effects relating to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality; and the project site can be 12 adequately served by all required utilities and public services; and 13 WHEREAS, The Planning Department determined that the Project is exempt under the 14 Class 32 categorical exemption, because it meets the criteria for applicability of the 15 exemption, and none of the exceptions that would preclude application of the exemptions 16 listed under CEQA Guidelines, Section 15300.2 are present; and 17 WHEREAS, On February 13, 2025, the Planning Commission approved the conditional 18 use authorization for the Project; and

WHEREAS, On March 13, 2025, Linda Shah, on behalf of Friends of Saint Thomas
More (hereinafter "Appellant"), filed an appeal with the Office of the Clerk of the Board of
Supervisors of the categorical exemption for the Project; and
WHEREAS, By memorandum to the Clerk of the Board dated March 19, 2025, the

Planning Department's Environmental Review Officer determined that the appeal was timely
 filed; and

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WHEREAS, On May 20, 2025, this Board held a duly noticed public hearing to consider
 the appeal filed by Appellant; and

3 WHEREAS, In reviewing the appeal, this Board reviewed and considered the CEQA 4 determination, the appeal letter, the responses to the appeal documents that the Planning 5 Department and the project sponsor prepared, the other written records before the Board of 6 Supervisors and all of the public testimony made in support of and opposed to the appeal; and 7 WHEREAS, Following the conclusion of the public hearing, the Board of Supervisors 8 affirmed the CEQA determination, based on the written record before the Board of 9 Supervisors as well as all of the testimony at the public hearing in support of and opposed to 10 the appeal; and 11 WHEREAS, The written record and oral testimony in support of and opposed to the 12 appeal and the oral and written testimony at the public hearing before the Board of 13 Supervisors by all parties and the public in support of and opposed to the appeal, including 14 the deliberations by the members of the Board, is in the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors File 15 No. 250276, and is incorporated in this Motion as though set forth in its entirety; now, 16 therefore, be it 17 MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors conditionally reverses the determination by the 18 Planning Department that the Project is categorically exempt from environmental review, 19 subject to the adoption of written findings of the Board in support of this determination. 20 21 n:\land\as2020\1900434\01836546.docx 22 23 24 25

Introduction Form

(by a Member of the Board of Supervisors or the Mayor)

I hereby submit the following item for introduction (select only one): 1. For reference to Committee (Ordinance, Resolution, Motion or Charter Amendment) 2. Request for next printed agenda (For Adoption Without Committee Reference) (*Routine*, non-controversial and/or commendatory matters only) Request for Hearing on a subject matter at Committee 3. Request for Letter beginning with "Supervisor inquiries..." 4. _ 5. City Attorney Request Call File No. 6. from Committee. Budget and Legislative Analyst Request (attached written Motion) 7. Substitute Legislation File No. 8. Reactivate File No. 9. Topic submitted for Mayoral Appearance before the Board on 10. The proposed legislation should be forwarded to the following (please check all appropriate boxes): □ Small Business Commission □ Youth Commission □ Ethics Commission □ Planning Commission □ Building Inspection Commission □ Human Resources Department General Plan Referral sent to the Planning Department (proposed legislation subject to Charter 4.105 & Admin 2A.53): \Box Yes □ No (Note: For Imperative Agenda items (a Resolution not on the printed agenda), use the Imperative Agenda Form.) Sponsor(s): Clerk of the Board Subject: Conditionally Reversing the Categorical Exemption Determination - Proposed 1310 Junipero Serra **Boulevard Project** Long Title or text listed: Motion conditionally reversing the determination by the Planning Department that the proposed

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