## FILE NO. 030940

## AS AMENDED IN COMMITTEE - 7/7/03 RESOLUTION NO. 44,5-03

[Vacation of easements in approximately 260 square foot portion of the N2 mid-block walkway (Assessor's Block 8706, Lot 2)]

Resolution declaring the intention of the Board of Supervisors to vacate two (2) portions of the pedestrian ingress and egress easement and public utility easement in the N2 mid-block walkway (Assessor's Block 8706, Lot 2) within the Mission Bay North Redevelopment Project Area; setting the hearing date <u>for August 19, 2003, at 4:00 P.M.</u>, for all persons interested in the proposed vacation of the easement areas; and adopting findings that the vacation is consistent with the City's General Plan, the eight priority policies of City Planning Code Section 101.1 and the Mission Bay North Redevelopment Plan; accepting DPW Order No. 174,111; and authorizing other official acts in connection with this Resolution.

WHEREAS, This vacation proceeding of portions of the pedestrian ingress and egress and public utility easements (the "Easement") in the N2 mid-block walkway is conducted under the general vacation procedures of the Public Streets, Highways and Service Easements Vacation Law (California Streets and Highways Code sections 8300 et seq.); and

WHEREAS, Section 787(a) of the San Francisco Public Works Code provides that the street vacation procedures of the City and County of San Francisco (the "City") shall be in accordance with the applicable procedures of the California Streets and Highways Code and such rules and conditions as are adopted by the Board of Supervisors; and

WHEREAS, The easement areas proposed to be vacated are located within the Mission Bay North Redevelopment Project Area approved by the Board of Supervisors on October 26, 1998, and are described as follows:

Two (2) portions of the Pedestrian Ingress and Egress Easement and Public Utility Easement in Assessor's Block 8706, Lot2, consisting of a total of approximately 260 square

Department of Public Works BOARD OF SUPERVISORS feet, as shown on the Department of Public Works' SUR Map No. 5003, dated May 12, 2003, and are more particularly described in the legal descriptions attached to such map (collectively, the "Easement Vacation Area"), copies of such map and legal descriptions are on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. <u>030940</u>; and,

WHEREAS, In DPW Order No. 174,111, dated May 7, 2003 the Director of the Department of Public Works and the City Engineer found and determined that with respect to the vacation of those portions of the Easement located in the Easement Vacation Area, (i) there are no public utility facilities located or to be located in the Easement Vacation Area, (ii) the vacation of those portions of the Easement located in the Easement Vacation Area, (ii) the vacation of those portions of the Easement located in the Easement Vacation Area are consistent with the purpose and intent of the Mission Bay North Redevelopment Plan, (iii) the quitclaim of those portions of the Easement located in the Easement Vacation Area will not be materially detrimental to the public welfare or injurious to other property in the area, and (iv) the Easement Vacation Area is no longer needed for present or prospective public pedestrian ingress/egress or for public utility purposes. A copy of the DPW Order is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. <u>030940</u> and is incorporated by reference as though fully set forth herein. The Board of Supervisors adopts as its own the findings and determinations of the City Engineer and the Director of Public Works as set forth in DPW Order No. 174,111 and approves their recommendation in connection with the proposed vacation of those portions of the Easement located in the Easement Vacation Area; and,

WHEREAS, In a letter dated May 13, 2003 (the "Planning Department Letter"), a copy of which is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. <u>030940</u>, the City Planning Department found that the proposed vacation of those portions of the Easement located in the Easement Vacation Area, and other actions are consistent with the General Plan consistency findings of Case No. 96.771R, the eight priority policies of Planning Code Section 101.1 and the contemplated actions do not trigger the need for subsequent

Department of Public Works BOARD OF SUPERVISORS environmental review pursuant the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (California Public Resources Code Sections 21000 et seq.); and

WHEREAS, In a letter dated May 21, 2003 (the "Agency Letter"), a copy of which is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 030940, the San Francisco Redevelopment Agency found that the proposed vacation of those portions of the Easement located in the Easement Vacation Area and other actions, are consistent with the Mission Bay North Redevelopment Plan and Plan Documents, and recommends Board of Supervisors approval; and

WHEREAS, The vacation of those portions of the Easement located in the Easement Vacation Area is consistent with the development of the Block N2 in the Mission Bay North Redevelopment Project Area and is consistent with the Mission Bay North Redevelopment Plan adopted by the Board of Supervisors on October 26, 1998 (the "Redevelopment Plan") and the Plan Documents (as that term is defined in the Redevelopment Plan).

WHEREAS, The contemplated vacation is related to the Property Exchange Agreement (Mission Bay North Plan Area) addressed in companion legislation on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 030940; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, Pursuant to Section 8320 of the California Streets and Highways Code, the Board of Supervisors hereby declares that it intends to order the vacation of those portions of the Easement located in the Easement Vacation Area, as shown on the SUR Map 5003 and described in the legal descriptions both attached hereto; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That notice is hereby given that on the <u>nineteenth</u> (<u>19th</u>) day of <u>August</u>, 2003, beginning at approximately <del>2:00</del> <u>4:00</u> PM in the Legislative Chambers of the Board of Supervisors, all persons interested in or objecting to the proposed vacation will be heard; and, be it

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FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors adopts as its own and incorporates by reference herein as though fully set forth, the findings and determinations in (i) the DPW Order No. 174,111, (ii) the Planning Department Letter (including the consistency findings and the CEQA findings), and (iii) the Agency Letter, all in connection with the proposed vacation of those portions of the Easement located in the easement Vacation Area and other actions set forth herein; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors directs the Clerk of the Board to transmit to the Department of Public Works a certified copy of this resolution, and the Board of Supervisors urges the Director of Public Works to publish and post notice of this resolution promptly in the manner required by law.

RECOMMENDED: DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Edwin M. Lee
Director of Public Works

**RECOMMENDED:** 

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Gr Harlan L. Kelly, Jr. City Engineer

Department of Public Works BOARD OF SUPERVISORS RECOMMENDED: DIRECTOR OF PROPERTY

Steve Legnitto Acting Director of Property

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**Date Passed:** 

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July 15, 2003 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Gonzalez, Hall, Ma, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Newsom, Peskin, Sandoval

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on July 15, 2003 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young

Clerk of the Board

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.

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**Date Approved**