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1	[Master Major Encroachment Permit - Hunters View HOPE SF Phase 1]
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3	Ordinance granting revocable permission to HV Community Association, Inc., to
4	occupy and maintain the irrigation system (other than street trees), sidewalks, curbs
5	and ramps for ADA-compliant passenger loading, and a portion of a retaining wall
6	footing, with all such encroachments located generally along portions of Fairfax
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8	Hunters View Phase 1, 1101 Fairfax Avenue, (Assessor's Parcel Block No. 4624, Lot
9	Nos. 23 through 32); waiving the annual public right-of-way occupancy assessment fee
10	under Public Works Code, Section 786.7, for all phases of the Hunters View project;
11	adopting environmental findings under the California Environmental Quality Act, and
12	making findings of consistency with the eight priority policies of Planning Code,
13	Section 101.1.
14	NOTE: Unchanged Code text and uncodified text are in plain Arial font.
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19	Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:
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21	Section 1. Findings.
22	(a) Pursuant to Public Works Code Sections 786 et seq., HV Community Association,
23	Inc., (the "Permittee") requested permission to occupy a portion of the public right-of-way to
24	maintain the irrigation system (other than street trees), sidewalks, curbs and ramps for ADA-

compliant passenger loading, and a portion of a retaining wall footing, with all encroachments

1	located generally along portions of Fairfax Avenue, Acacia Avenue, Ironwood Way, Catalina
2	Street and Middle Point Road fronting Hunters View Phase 1, 1101 Fairfax Avenue
3	(Assessor's Parcel Block No. 4624, Lot Nos. 23 through 32).
4	(b) The improvements (collectively referred to as the "Encroachments") include:
5	(1) An Irrigation system (other than street trees);
6	(2) Sidewalks along portions of Fairfax Avenue, Acacia Avenue, Ironwood Wa

- (2) Sidewalks along portions of Fairfax Avenue, Acacia Avenue, Ironwood Way, Catalina Street, and Middle Point Road;
  - (3) Curbs/ramps for ADA passenger loading; and
  - (4) Portions of a retaining wall footing in Acacia Avenue.
- (c) The Permittee is constructing or has constructed the Encroachments under Public Works Permit No. 11IE-0336 in conjunction with its development of Hunters View Phase 1, a 107-unit affordable rental property, the first of three phases of the overall Hunters View HOPE SF project (the "Project" or the "Hunters View Project"), and the Permittee has proposed to maintain the Encroachments for the life of the master major encroachment permit, including the encroachment agreement (collectively referred as the "Permit").
- (d) The Encroachments associated with Public Works Permit No. 11IE-0336 are shown in documents and plans, copies of which are on file in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 210805 and incorporated herein by reference.
  - (e) Environmental Findings.
- (1) The Planning Commission, on June 12, 2008, in Motion No. 17617, certified the Hunters View Redevelopment Project Environmental Impact Report ("EIR"), and on February 20, 2020, in Motion No. 20663, adopted an addendum to the EIR dated January 16, 2020, pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (California Public Resources Code Sections 21000 et seq., "CEQA"), and adopted findings ("Environmental Findings") in connection with the development of the Project, which includes the Encroachments.

(2) The Planning Commission reviewed the Project, including the
Encroachments, and found pursuant to CEQA Guidelines (California Code of Regulations
Title 14, Sections 15000 et seq.), Sections 15162 and 15164, that the actions contemplated in
this ordinance are consistent with, and within the scope, of the Project analyzed in the EIR
and addendum, and that (A) no substantial changes are proposed in the Project and no
substantial changes have occurred with respect to the circumstances under which this Project
will be undertaken that would require major revisions to the EIR due to the involvement of any
new significant environmental effects or a substantial increase in the severity of previously
identified effects and (B) no new information of substantial importance that was not known
and could not have been known with the exercise of reasonable diligence at the time the EIR
was certified as complete shows that the Project will have any new significant effects not
analyzed in the EIR, or a substantial increase in the severity of any effect previously
examined, or that new mitigation measures or alternatives previously found not to be feasible
would in fact be feasible and would substantially reduce one or more significant effects of the
Project, or that mitigation measures or alternatives which are considerably different from those
analyzed in the EIR would substantially reduce one or more significant effects on the
environment.

- (f) General Plan and Planning Code Section 101.1 Findings. The Planning Commission, in Motion No. 20663, dated February 20, 2020, which incorporated by reference the General Plan Findings set forth in Planning Commission Motion No. 17621, declared that the Project (including the Encroachments) is in conformity with the General Plan and is consistent with the eight priority policies of Planning Code Section 101.1.
- (g) The Board of Supervisors adopts the Environmental Findings as its own and finds that the Permit is consistent with the General Plan for the reasons set forth in the February 20, 2020 determination of the Planning Commission in Motion No. 20663. Copies of the Planning

1	Commission Motions Nos. 17617 and 20663, the Environmental Findings, and additional
2	environmental determination are on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No.
3	210805 and incorporated herein by reference.

- (h) On May 5, 2021, Public Works held a hearing on the Encroachments that are the subject of the Permit.
- (i) In Public Works Order No. 205129, dated July 13, 2021, the Acting Public Works Director ("Public Works Director") determined that the Hunters View Phase 1 Project qualifies under Public Works Code Section 786(b) as a portion of a multi-phase, large-scale development project, and therefore, may obtain an individual master major encroachment permit, including the major encroachment agreement (collectively, the "Permit") for this development phase that includes maintenance of all sidewalks within this particular phase.
- (j) In Public Works Order No. 205129, the Public Works Director also determined that waiver of the public right-of-way occupancy assessment fee under Public Works Code Section 786.7 is a policy decision for the Board of Supervisors, but noted the Encroachments associated with the Hunters View Project and all future phases provide a public benefit. In addition, the Director acknowledges that the Hunters View project is subject to the terms of a Disposition and Development Agreement ("DDA") with the Housing Authority of the City and County of San Francisco, a public body corporate and politic ("SFHA"), which is similar to projects that have a DDA with either the City or the Successor Agency to the San Francisco Redevelopment Agency, for which a fee waiver is authorized under Public Works Code Section 786.7(f)(3).
- (k) The Public Works Director recommends that the Permit for the Encroachments shall not become effective until:

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1	(1) The Permittee executes and acknowledges the Permit and delivers said
2	Permit and all required documents and fees to Public Works, and
3	(2) Public Works records the Permit ensuring maintenance of the
4	Encroachments in the County Recorder's Office.
5	(I) The Public Works Director further recommends that the Permittee, at its sole
6	expense and as is necessary as a result of this Permit, shall make the following
7	arrangements:
8	(1) To provide for the support and protection of facilities under the jurisdiction of
9	Public Works, the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission, the Fire Department, other City
10	Departments, and public utility companies;
11	(2) To provide access to such facilities to allow said entities to construct,
12	reconstruct, maintain, operate, or repair such facilities as set forth in the Permit;
13	(3) To remove or relocate such facilities if installation of Encroachments
14	requires said removal or relocation and to make all necessary arrangements with the owners
15	of such facilities, including payment for all their costs, should said removal or relocation be
16	required;
17	(4) The Permittee shall assume all costs for the maintenance and repair of the
18	Encroachments pursuant to the Permit and no cost or obligation of any kind shall accrue to
19	Public Works by reason of this permission granted; and
20	(5) No structures shall be erected or constructed within the public right-of-way
21	except as specifically authorized under this Permit.
22	(m) A copy of Public Works Order No. 205129 is on file with the Clerk of the Board of
23	Supervisors in File No. 210805 and incorporated herein by reference.
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25	Section 2. Master Major Encroachment Permit Approval.

1 (a) Pursuant to Public Works Code Sections 786 et seq., the Board of Supervisors
2 hereby grants revocable, personal, non-exclusive, and non-possessory permission to the
3 Permittee, HV Community Association, Inc., to occupy the public right-of-way with the
4 Encroachments in accordance with the Master Major Encroachment Permit and maintain said

Encroachments under the terms of the Permit.

- (b) The Board of Supervisors accepts the recommendations of the Public Works Order No. 205129 and approves the Permit with respect to the Encroachments.
- (c) The Board of Supervisors also authorizes the Director of Public Works to perform and exercise the City's rights and obligations with respect to the Encroachments under the Permit and to enter into any amendments or modifications to the Permit with respect to the Encroachments. Such actions may include without limitation, those amendments or modifications that the Director of Public Works, in consultation with the City Attorney, determines are in the best interest of the City, do not materially increase the obligations or liabilities of the City or materially decrease the obligations of the Permittee or its successors, are necessary or advisable to effectuate the purposes of the Permit or this ordinance with respect to the Encroachments, and are in compliance with all applicable laws.

Section 3. Waiver of the Annual Public Right-of-Way Occupancy Assessment Fee for the Entire Hunters View Project. Notwithstanding the requirements of Public Works Code Section 786.7 regarding payment of the annual public right-of-way occupancy fee, the Board of Supervisors hereby waives payment of such fee for all phases of the Hunters View Project. In granting this waiver, the Board of Supervisors determines the Encroachments associated with the Hunters View Phase 1 project and all future phases of the Hunters View Project provide a public benefit. In addition, the Board of Supervisors acknowledges that the Hunters View Project is subject to the terms of a DDA with the SFHA, which is similar to the basis for a

fee waiver authorized under Public Works Code Section 786.7(f)(3) for projects that have a
DDA with either the City or the Successor Agency to the San Francisco Redevelopment
Agency.
Section 4. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective 30 days after
enactment. Enactment occurs when the Mayor signs the ordinance, the Mayor returns the
ordinance unsigned or does not sign the ordinance within ten days of receiving it, or the Board
of Supervisors overrides the Mayor's veto of the ordinance.
APPROVED AS TO FORM:
DENNIS J. HERRERA, City Attorney
By: /s/ John D. Malamut
JOHN D. MALAMUT Deputy City Attorney
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### LEGISLATIVE DIGEST

[Master Major Encroachment Permit - Hunters View HOPE SF Phase 1]

Ordinance granting revocable permission to HV Community Association, Inc., to occupy and maintain the irrigation system (other than street trees), sidewalks, curbs and ramps for ADA-compliant passenger loading, and a portion of a retaining wall footing, with all such encroachments located generally along portions of Fairfax Avenue, Acacia Avenue, Ironwood Way, Catalina Street, and Middle Point Road fronting Hunters View Phase 1, 1101 Fairfax Avenue, (Assessor's Parcel Block No. 4624, Lot Nos. 23 through 32); waiving the annual public right-of-way occupancy assessment fee under Public Works Code, Section 786.7, for all phases of the Hunters View project; adopting environmental findings under the California Environmental Quality Act; and making findings of consistency with the eight priority policies of Planning Code, Section 101.1.

## **Existing Law**

Public Works Code Sections 786 et seq. establish the regulatory framework for street (major) encroachments. The Public Works Code provides for various types of encroachment permits, one of which is a master major encroachment permit that is allowed for multi-phase or large-scale development projects and provides certain flexibility not available for conventional major encroachment permits. Public Works Code Section 786.7 establishes an annual public right-of-way occupancy assessment fee and identifies certain projects that are eligible for waiver of this fee.

### Amendments to Current Law

This ordinance would approve a master major encroachment for Phase 1 of the Hunters View HOPE SF development project. The encroachments include an irrigation system (other than street trees); sidewalks along portions of Fairfax Avenue, Acacia Avenue, Ironwood Way, Catalina Street, and Middle Point Road; curbs/ramps for ADA passenger loading; and a portion of retaining wall footing in Acacia Avenue. The legislation also would waive the annual public right-of-way occupancy assessment fee for all phases of the Hunters View HOPE SF project. The basis for the fee waiver is that the encroachments provide a public benefit and the project involves a Disposition and Development Agreement ("DDA") with the Housing Authority of the City and County of San Francisco, which is similar to the fee waiver already authorized under Public Works Code Section 786.7(f)(3) for projects that have a DDA with either the City or the Successor Agency to the San Francisco Redevelopment Agency.

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## **Background Information**

This legislation would help facilitate the development of the Hunters View HOPE SF project, a public housing transformation collaborative effort aimed at disrupting intergenerational poverty, reducing social isolation, and creating vibrant mixed-income communities without mass displacement of current residents.

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SF Public Works Permit No.: 21ME-0007

## ENCROACHMENT PERMIT AND MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT (for Fronting Property)

#### 1. PARTIES

The City and County of San Francisco Public Works (the "**Department**") enters into this Encroachment Permit and Maintenance Agreement ("**Agreement**") with HV Community Association, Inc., a domestic non-profit (the "**Permittee**"), on this date, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2021. The <a href="Master">Master</a> Major Encroachment Permit or Permit collectively refers to the Encroachment Permit as shown on the Department approved plan(s), any associated Street Improvement, and this Agreement, including its Attachments and accompanying documents (the "**Permit**"). In this Agreement, "the **City**" refers to the City and County of San Francisco and all affiliated City agencies including, but not limited to, the Department, the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission ("**SFPUC**") and the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency ("**SFMTA**"). For purposes of the Permit, "**Fronting Property Owner**" shall mean the property owner(s) who front, abut, or are adjacent to the public right-of-way on which the Improvements and any other elements of the Permit are located.

## 2. PERMIT INFORMATION

**2.1 Encroachment Permit No. ("Permit"):** 11IE-0336 under Public Works Code Section 786(b).

Other Public Works Permit number(s) if Public Works allowed construction prior to Board of Supervisors approval of the Encroachment Permit: Street Improvement Permit No. 11IE-0336.

- **2.2 Description/Location of Fronting Property (See Attachment 1)**: Hunters View Phase I has an address of 1101 Fairfax Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94124. The Fronting Property in Hunters View Phase I generally fronts Fairfax Avenue, Acacia Avenue, Ironwood Way, Catalina Street and Middle Point Road ("Fronting Property"). The Assessor's Parcel Numbers for the Fronting Property are Block 4624, Lots 23 to 32.
- **2.3 Description/Location of Permit Area (See Attachment 2):** The Permit Area is generally located adjacent to the Fronting Property.

## 2.4 General Description of Proposed Improvements (See Attachment 2):

- (1) An Irrigation system (other than trees);
- (2) Sidewalks along portions of Fairfax Avenue, Acacia Avenue, Ironwood Way, Catalina Street, and Middle Point Road (flat work, pavers, landscaping, furniture);
- (3) Curbs/ramps for ADA-compliant passenger loading; and
- (4) Portion of retaining wall footing in Acacia Avenue.

The term "Improvements" shall mean those improvements in the public right-of-way as described in the attachments listed in Section 2.8 and on the Construction Plans.

- **2.5 Permit Type:** Major Encroachment Permit.
- **2.6 Developer/Builder/Owner of the Fronting Property:** HV Partners 1, LP, c/o John Stewart Company, 1388 Sutter Street, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Francisco, CA 94109
- 2.7 Contact Information. The Permittee shall provide to Public Works, Bureau of Street Use and Mapping ("BSM"), SFMTA, 311 Service Division, and SFPUC the information below regarding a minimum of two (2) contact persons with direct relation to or association with, or is in charge of or responsible for, the Permit. Permittee shall notify both Public Works' Bureau of Street Use and Mapping and SFMTA within thirty (30) calendar days of any relevant changes in the Permittee's personnel structure, and submit the required contact information of the current and responsible contacts. If and when the City's 311 Service Division (or successor public complaint system program) allows direct communications with the contact person(s) for the Permit, the Permittee shall participate in this program.

## Contact Person Number 1

Last Name, First Name: Etzel, Catherine

Title/Relationship to Owner: Director of Development for the John Stewart Company, Developer

Phone Numbers: (415) 345-4400 Email Addresses: cetzel@jsco.net

Mailing Address: 1388 Sutter St., 11<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Francisco, CA 94109 Office Address: 1388 Sutter St., 11<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Francisco, CA 94109

#### Contact Person Number 2

Last Name, First Name: Mendel, Julie

Title/Relationship to Owner: Project Manager for the John Stewart Company,

Developer

Phone Numbers: (415) 345-4400 Email Addresses: jmendel@jsco.net

Mailing Address: 1388 Sutter St., 11<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Francisco, CA 94109 Office Address: 1388 Sutter St., 11<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Francisco, CA 94109

- **2.8 List of Attachments.** The following additional documents are attached to or accompany this Permit. All attachments shall be on sheets sizing 8.5 by 11 inches so they can be easily inserted into this agreement as an attachment:
  - Attachment 1: Property Information. Written description of the fronting property and location map identifying the property.
  - Attachment 2: "**Permit Area**," which shall refer to areas that include Improvements and any real property subject to maintenance responsibilities that are Permittee's responsibility.
    - o Written description of the area where the encroachment(s) exist and the boundaries,

- O Diagram showing the boundary limits of the Permit Area and identifying all Improvements in the Permit Area ("**Precise Diagram**"). The Precise Diagram shall be a separate document from the engineered construction plans for the encroachments submitted to Public Works for review and approval. ("**Construction Plans**").
- o Table listing all Improvements in the Permit Area and identifying the maintenance responsibility for them ("Maintenance Table"). The table shall include all physical treatments, facilities, and elements, whether standard or non-standard, to clarify responsibility.
- Attachment 3: Maintenance Plan. A written document that contains a detailed description of the means and methods to maintain the Improvements within the Permit Area (the "Maintenance Plan"). The Maintenance Plan shall identify the daily, weekly, monthly, and annual routine maintenance, repair and replacement tasks, as applicable ("Permitted **Activities**"). For each category of the Permitted Activities, Permittee shall provide the regular (e.g. daily, weekly, etc.) estimated expenses, including labor hours, cost per hour, and materials needed for maintenance. In addition, Permittee shall provide a total estimated annual operating expense and include: regular maintenance expenses, replacement costs, costs for any specialized equipment (in the event that the Improvements incorporate such specialized equipment) necessary for continued operation of the Improvements, and the expected lifespan of any non-standard materials subject to regular use. The Maintenance Plan also shall identify whether a Community Benefit District, Business Improvement District, Community Facilities District or similar Special Tax-Based Entity (a "Special Tax Entity") will expend monetary or staff resources on the Permit Area for maintenance or other activities, and documentation, to the Director's satisfaction, that the monetary and/or staff resources are available and committed to perform the maintenance obligation.
- Attachment 4: Operations Manual. Permittee shall submit a document or manual describing how to operate any specialized equipment necessary for continued operation of the Improvements along with manufacturer's instructions for operation and maintenance ("O&M Manuals") and other pertinent information about the equipment. These documents are for Public Works file purposes and not attached to this Agreement. The City Engineer, in his or her discretion, may allow the Permittee to defer submission of the Operations Manual until completion of the Improvements in accordance with the Construction Plans.

The City Engineer shall review and certify the description of the Permit Area (Attachment 2), Maintenance Plan (Attachment 3), and O&M Manuals (Attachment 4). The Department shall not issue the permit until the City Engineer has completed his or her review and certified the required attachments.

# 3. EFFECTIVE DATE; REVOCABLE, NON-EXCLUSIVE PERMIT; RECORDATION

(a) Following Board of Supervisors approval and confirmation the Department has received all required permit documents and fees, the Department shall issue the approved Permit. The date the Permit is issued shall be the "**Effective Date.**"

(b) The privilege given to Permittee under this Agreement is revocable, personal, non-exclusive, non-possessory, and effective only insofar as the rights of City in the Public Right-of-Way ("**PROW**") are concerned.

This Permit does not grant any rights to construct or install Improvements in the Permit Area until the Public Works Director issues written authorization for such work.

(c) Upon Board of Supervisors' approval of this Permit, Permittee shall record this Permit, including this Agreement, against the Fronting Property in the Official Records of San Francisco.

## 4. MONITORING AND MAINTENANCE RESPONSIBILITIES

Permittee acknowledges its responsibility to monitor the Permit Area and its Improvements and document performance of the maintenance activities as described herein, and retain such documents for a minimum of three (3) years. Within threeten (310) days from the date of the Director's written request for maintenance information, the Permittee shall provide proof that the maintenance activities have been performed.

The Permittee shall: 1) on a regular quarterly basis for the first year and on an annual basis or more frequently as required by the Director in subsequent years, document the general condition of the entire Permit Area and all elements with date stamped digital images in JPEG format, or other video or picture imaging acceptable to the Director, and 2) maintain a written and image log of all maintenance issues, including, but not limited to: defects, damages, defacing, complaints, and repairs performed on Permit elements and the Permit Area. The regular monitoring images and/or video shall be taken from all angles necessary to show the entirety of the Permit Area and all Improvements. The images for the logged maintenance issues and repairs shall clearly show the location and detail of the damaged or defaced element or area, and its repair and restoration. Permittee shall maintain all files and provide them in a format and media consistent with current standards for data retention and transfer, such as a USB flash drive with connective capability to a commonly available personal computer.

The maintenance log, at a minimum, shall include the following information: date and time of maintenance; description and type of encroachment element requiring repair, resolution, or restoration and method used to repair, resolve, or restore it; time and duration to repair, resolve, or restore such element; company (and contact information for the company) that performed the repair, resolution, or restoration.

If the Permit does not include any surface level or above grade elements, the Director shall not require the maintenance monitoring set forth in this Section.

#### 5. CONDITIONS OF ENTRY AND USE

By entering into this Agreement, Permittee acknowledges its responsibility to comply with all requirements for maintenance of the Improvements as specified in this Agreement, Public Works Code Section 786, Article 2.4 of the Public Works Code ("Excavation in the Public Right-of-Way"), and as directed by the Director. Permittee shall comply and cause its agents to comply, with each of the following requirements in its performance of the Permitted Activities.

## **5.1** Permits and Approvals

5.1A Requirement to Obtain all Regulatory Permits and Approvals. Permittee shall obtain any permits, licenses, or approvals of any regulatory agencies ("Regulatory Permits") required to commence and complete construction of the Improvements and any of the Permitted Activities. Promptly upon receipt of any such Regulatory Permits, Permittee shall deliver copies to the Department. Permittee recognizes and agrees that City's approval of the Permit and this Agreement for purposes of construction of the Improvements and the Permitted Activities shall not be deemed to constitute the grant of any or all other Regulatory Permits needed for the Permitted Activities, and nothing herein shall limit Permittee's obligation to obtain all such Regulatory Permits, at Permittee's sole cost.

**5.1B** Subsequent Excavation within Permit Area. When maintenance of the Improvements requires excavation as described in Article 2.4 of the Public Works Code, or prevents public access through the Permit Area, or obstructs the movement of vehicles or bicycles where allowed by law, Permittee shall apply for applicable permits from the Department and any other affected City agencies. Permittee or agent of Permittee shall comply with all excavation permit bonding and security requirements that the Department deems necessary when performing or causing to be performed any excavations or occupancies within the Permit Area.

**5.1C** Additional Approvals. Further permission from the Department may be required prior to Permittee's performance of work within the Permit Area including, but not limited to, the restoration of a temporarily restored trench, removal and replacement of a tree or other landscaping, or repair of damaged or uplifted sidewalk or other paving material. This Agreement does not limit, prevent, or restrict the Department from approving and issuing permits for the Permit Area including, but not limited to, occupancy, encroachment, and excavation permits. The Department shall include as a condition in all subsequent permits issued in the Permit Area that any subsequent permittee notify and coordinate with the Permittee prior to occupying, encroaching, or excavating within the Permit Area.

#### **5.2** Exercise of Due Care

During any entry on the Permit Area to perform any of the Permitted Activities, Permittee shall, at all times and at its sole cost, perform the Permitted Activities in a manner that maintains the Permit Area in a good, clean, safe, secure, sanitary, and attractive condition. Permittee shall use due care at all times to avoid any damage or harm to the Permit Area or any Improvements or property located thereon or adjacent to, and to take such soil and resource conservation and protection measures within the Permit Area as are required by applicable laws and as City may reasonably request in writing. Permittee shall not perform any excavation work without City's

prior written approval. Under no circumstances shall Permittee knowingly or intentionally damage, harm, or take any rare, threatened, or endangered species on or about the Permit Area. While on the Permit Area to perform the Permitted Activities, Permittee shall use commercially reasonably efforts to prevent and suppress fires on and adjacent to the Permit Area attributable to such entry.

## 5.3 Cooperation with City Personnel and Agencies

Permittee shall work closely with City personnel to avoid unreasonable disruption (even if temporary) of access to the Improvements and property in, under, on or about the Permit Area and City and public uses of the Permit Area. Permittee shall perform work in accordance with the Permit and this Agreement. Permittee also shall perform work pursuant to one or more Street Improvement Permits or General Excavation Permits and in accordance with Public Improvement Agreements if either or both are applicable.

## 5.4 Permittee's Maintenance and Liability Responsibilities

- 5.4A Permittee's Maintenance and Liability. (a) Permittee acknowledges its maintenance and liability responsibility for the Improvements (including, but not limited to, materials, elements, fixtures, etc.) in accordance with the Permit and this Agreement, and all other applicable City permits, ordinary wear and tear excepted. Permittee agrees to maintain said Improvements as described in the Permit, as determined by the Director, and in accordance with any other applicable City permits. Permittee shall reimburse the Department for any work performed by the Department as a result of the Permittee's failure to comply with the maintenance and restoration terms as specified in this Agreement under Section 8. Permittee is wholly responsible for any facilities installed in the Permit Area that are subject to this Permit's terms and for the quality of the work performed in the Permit Area under this Agreement. Permittee is liable for all claims related to the installed facilities and any condition caused by Permittee's performed work. Neither the issuance of any permit nor the inspection, nor the repair, nor the suggestion, nor the approval, nor the acquiescence of any person affiliated with the City shall excuse the Permittee from such responsibility or liability.
- (b) Notwithstanding the foregoing, the City acknowledges that while the Permittee retains the primary responsibility for all construction, installation, maintenance and repair activities, certain limited or supplemental maintenance and repair activities may be performed by a Special Tax Entity (such activities shall be denoted on the Maintenance Plan) rather than the Permittee. Nevertheless, the Department shall hold the Permittee responsible for compliance with all provisions of the Permit and this Agreement without regard to whether the violation occurred through an act, omission, negligence, or willful misconduct of the Permittee or the Special Tax Entity. Only if Permittee can demonstrate to the satisfaction of the Director that the Special Tax Entity is solely responsible for the act, omission, negligence, or willful misconduct and the Director makes a written finding to this effect, shall the Director take action directly against the Special Tax Entity. Under such circumstances, the Permittee shall not be responsible and liable hereunder for the act, omission, negligence, or willful misconduct that the Director identifies in writing, and no Uncured Default (as hereinafter defined) shall be deemed to have occurred by the Permittee, as a result of the Special Tax Entity's acts, omissions, negligence or willful misconduct. In the event that the Special Tax Entity should cease to exist or that the Special Tax Entity's

maintenance and repair responsibilities are changed, then Permittee shall be responsible or assume responsibility for all activities that are no longer the responsibility of or being performed by the Special Tax Entity.

(c) In the event that the Director agrees to maintain one or more of the Improvements pursuant to Section 5.9B of this Agreement, Permittee shall not be responsible for the quality of maintenance or restoration work performed, nor liable for the resulting consequences of City work.

## Abatement of Unsafe, Hazardous, Damaged, or Blighted Conditions. Permittee acknowledges its maintenance responsibility to abate any unsafe, hazardous, damaged, or blighted conditions in the Permit Area. Following receipt of a notice by the Department of an unsafe, damaged, or blighted condition of the Permit Area, Permittee shall immediately respond to the notice and restore the site to the condition specified on the Construction Plans within thirty (30) calendar days, unless the Department specifies a shorter or longer compliance period based on the nature of the condition or the problems associated with it; provided, however, to the extent that such restoration cannot be completed using commercially reasonable efforts within such thirty (30) calendar day period or other period specified by the Department, then such period shall be extended provided that the Permittee has commenced and is diligently pursuing such restoration. In addition, Permittee acknowledges its responsibility to abate any hazardous conditions as a direct or indirect result of the Improvement (e.g., slip, trip, and fall hazards), promptly upon receipt of notice from the Department. For unsafe or hazardous conditions, the Permittee shall immediately place or cause to be placed temporary measures to protect the public. Failure to promptly respond to an unsafe or hazardous condition or to restore the site within the time specified in the Department's notice may result in the Department's performing the temporary repair or restoration in order to protect the public health, safety, and welfare. Permittee shall reimburse the Department for any such temporary repair or restoration within thirty (30) calendar days upon receipt of the Department's invoice. Failure to abate the problem also may result in the Department's issuance of a Correction Notice or Notice of Violation citation and/or request for reimbursement fees to the Department for departmental and other City services necessary to abate the condition in accordance with Section 8.

- **5.4C Permittee Contact Information, Signage.** Upon the Department's determination that the Permittee has completed the Improvements in accordance with the Construction Plans, Permittee shall post a sign(s) within the Permit Area, in conformity with any applicable signage program for the Permittee's property and in a location approved by the Department, that provides a telephone number and other Permittee contact information so that members of the public can contact the Permittee to report maintenance issues, problems, or any other complaints about the Permit.
- **5.4D** Non-standard Materials and Features. If the Permittee elects to install materials, facilities, fixtures, or features ("Non-standard Elements") that do not meet the City's criteria for standard operation, maintenance, and repair, and the City approves such Non-standard Elements, the Permittee shall (i) acknowledge its responsibility for the operation, maintenance, repair, and replacement of the Non-standard Elements as constructed per the Construction Plans, (ii) separately meter any service utility required to operate the Non-standard Elements, and (iii) be responsible for providing such utility service at Permittee's own cost. As an exception, if the Non-

standard Elements are facilities such as street lights, and they are installed in locations identified by the City as standard streetlight locations, the City may elect to power the streetlights and not require a separate meter. Permittee shall indemnify and hold City harmless against any claims related to Permittee's operation, maintenance, repair, and replacement of Non-standard Elements.

## 5.5 Permittee's Maintenance, Liability, and Notice Responsibilities.

The Permittee's maintenance responsibility shall be limited to the portion of the Permit Area, as described and shown in the attachments and as determined by the Director, and its immediate vicinity, including any sidewalk damage directly related to the Improvement or Permitted Activities. If it is unclear whether sidewalk maintenance is the responsibility of Permittee or a Fronting Property Owner who is not the Permittee under Public Works Code Section 706, the Department shall determine which party or parties are responsible. If the situation so warrants, the Department may assign responsibility for sidewalk maintenance to one or more parties, including a Fronting Property Owner who is not the Permittee.

If Permittee is the Fronting Property Owner, Permittee must notify any successor owner(s) of the existence of the Permit and the successor owner's obligations at the time of closing on the subject property. In addition, prior to the time of closing on the subject property, Permittee shall record a Notice of Assignment that provides constructive notice to any successor owner(s) of the Permit and the Permittee's responsibilities thereunder.

#### 5.6 Annual Certification of Insurance

Upon receipt of a written request by the Department, but no more than annually, Permittee shall submit written evidence to the Department indicating that the requirements of Section 7 (Insurance) and, if applicable, Section 8 (Security), have been satisfied.

# 5.7 Damage to and Cleanliness and Restoration of Permit Area and City Owned or Controlled Property

Permittee, at all times, shall maintain the Permit Area in a clean and orderly manner to the satisfaction of the Director. Following any construction activities or other activities on the Permit Area, Permittee shall remove all debris and any excess dirt from the Permit Area and Improvements.

If any portion of the Permit Area, any City-owned or controlled property located adjacent to the Permit Area, including other publicly dedicated PROW, or private property in the vicinity of the Permit Area is damaged by any of the activities conducted by Permittee hereunder, Permittee shall immediately, at its sole cost, repair any and all such damage and restore the Permit Area or affected property to its previous condition to the satisfaction of the Director.

## 5.8 Excavation or Temporary Encroachment within the Permit Area

Permittee acknowledges its maintenance responsibility following any excavation or temporary encroachment of any portion or portions of the Permit Area as described below.

**5.8A** Excavation by City or UCP Holders. After providing public notice according to Article 2.4 of the Public Works Code, any City Agency or Public Utility may excavate within the PROW, which may include portions of the Permit Area. A "City Agency" shall include, but not be limited to, the SFPUC, SFMTA, and any City authorized contractor or agent, or their sub-contractor. "Public Utility" shall include any company or entity currently holding a valid Utility Conditions Permit ("UCP") or a valid franchise with the City or the California Public Utilities Commission. Permittee acknowledges that it will provide and not obstruct access to any utilities and facilities owned and operated by any City Agency or a Public Utility at any time within the Permit Area for maintenance, repair, and/or replacement.

Emergency work. In the case of an emergency, a City Agency or Public Utility need not notify the Permittee of the work until after the emergency situation has been abated at which point the Department will strive to cooperate with affected City department to provide written notice to the Permittee concerning the emergency work.

In the performance of any excavation in the Permit Area by a City Agency or Public Utility, it shall be the responsibility of the Permittee to coordinate with the City Agency or Public Utility and restore the site to the condition specified on the Construction Plans, provided, however, the excavator shall implement commercially reasonable precautions to protect the Permit Area and any Improvements located within the Permit Area from injury or damage during the excavation or future work. Following excavation by a City Agency or Public Utility, (a) in the case where there are Non-standard Elements the excavator shall only be obligated to back-fill and patch the site to a safe condition; (b) in the case there are only City Standard materials the excavator shall be obligated to backfill the site to a safe condition, and where feasible restore the site to City Standards. The City Agency or Public Utility shall not replace Non-standard Elements or other Improvements that the City or Public Utility may remove or damage in connection with such excavation or site access unless it is feasible to restore the site to City Standard. Permittee shall be responsible for and bear all costs for the restoration of all disturbed Non-standard Elements and the other Improvements that a City Agency or Public Utility cannot feasibly restore to the condition as specified on the Construction Plans.

In the case where the excavated portion of the Permit Area consists of only City Standard materials, the City Agency or Public Utility shall complete its restoration work within thirty (30) calendar days following the completion of the excavation or temporary encroachment; provided, however, to the extent that such restoration cannot be completed within such thirty (30) calendar day period due to weather or unforeseen circumstances, then such period shall be extended provided that the excavator has commenced and is diligently pursuing such restoration.

In the case where the excavated portion of the Permit Area consists partially or fully of non-standard materials, the Permittee shall restore or cause to be restored the Improvements in the excavated portions of the Permit Area to the condition specified on the design for the Improvements within thirty (30) calendar days after the issuance of any permits required by the City; provided, however, to the extent that such restoration cannot be completed using commercially reasonable efforts within such thirty (30) calendar day period, then the Department

shall extend such period provided that the Permittee has commenced and is diligently pursuing such restoration.

The Permittee shall not seek or pursue compensation from a City Agency or a Public Utility for Permittee's coordination of work or the inability to use of the Permit Area for the duration of excavation or occupancy.

5.8B Excavation by Private Parties. Following any excavation of any portion or portions of the Permit Area by a private party (e.g., contractor, property owner, or resident), it shall be the responsibility of the private party and the Permittee to coordinate the restoration of the site and the private party shall bear all the cost of restoration; provided, however, that in all events the private party shall be required to restore the excavated portion or portions of the Permit Area to the condition specified on the design for the Improvements within thirty (30) calendar days after completion of the excavation or temporary encroachment, provided, however, to the extent that such restoration cannot be completed using commercially reasonable efforts within such thirty (30) calendar day period, then the Department shall extend such period provided that the private party has commenced and is diligently pursuing such restoration.

If the private party fails to perform such restoration, then the Permittee should notify the Department of such failure in writing and allow any Departmental corrective procedures to conclude prior to pursuing any and all claims against such private party related thereto should the permittee have such third-party rights. The City, through its separate permit process with that private party, shall require that private party to bear all the costs of restoration and cooperate with the Permittee on how the restoration is performed and how any costs that the Permittee assumes for work performed (time and materials) are reimbursed.

The Permittee only shall seek or pursue compensation for work performed (time and materials) and shall not seek or request compensation for coordination or the inability to use the Permit Area for the duration of excavation or occupancy, provided that Permittee is provided with access to Permittee's property.

5.8C Temporary Encroachments for Entities Other Than Permittee. In the case of temporary encroachments, which may include the temporary occupancy of portions of the Permit Area or the temporary relocation of Improvements (elements or fixtures) from the Permit Area, Permittee shall work collaboratively with the entity that will be temporarily encroaching the Permit Area ("Temporary Encroacher") to coordinate the temporary removal and storage of the Improvements from the affected portion of the Permit Area, when necessary. It shall be the responsibility of the Temporary Encroacher to protect in-place any undisturbed portion of the Permit Area.

Where the Temporary Encroacher is a private party, the private party shall be responsible for any costs for removal, storage, and maintenance of the Improvements, and restoration associated with restoration of the Permit Areas. The obligation to coordinate and restore under this section shall be a condition of the City permit issued to the Temporary Encroacher. If the Temporary Encroacher fails to coordinate with Permittee and compensate the Permittee or restore the Permit Area, then the Permittee should notify the Department of such failure in writing.

The Permittee may only seek or pursue compensation for costs incurred (time and materials) to temporarily relocate and replace Improvements, and shall not seek or request compensation for coordination or the inability to use the Permit Area for the duration of the Temporary Encroacher's occupancy.

Where the Temporary Encroacher is a City Agency or a Public Utility, Permittee shall be responsible for any costs for removal, storage, maintenance, and restoration associated with the Improvements and any associated areas within the Permit Area, and the City Agency or Public Utility, as applicable, shall be responsible for restoration of any standard City features or Improvements that are feasible to restore. The City Agency or the Public Utility or its contractors shall not be responsible for Permittee's temporary removal and storage costs.

The Permittee shall be responsible for ensuring the Permit Area has been restored the Permit Area has been restored within thirty (30) calendar days following the completion of the temporary encroachment; provided, however, to the extent that such restoration cannot be completed using commercially reasonable efforts within such thirty (30) calendar day period, then such period shall be extended provided that the Permittee has commenced and is diligently pursuing such restoration.

## 5.8D Additional Time to Complete Site Restoration Where Future Work Is

**Anticipated.** Prior to the Permittee's undertaking of any restoration of the applicable portion of the Permit Area to the conditions specified in the Construction Plans, the Permittee and the City shall confer as to whether any party (e.g., any City Agency, Public Utility, or private party) intends to perform any future work (e.g., any excavation or temporary encroachment) that would be likely to damage, disrupt, disturb or interfere with any restoration of the Permit Area.

If such future work is anticipated within six (6) months following completion of any then proposed excavation or temporary encroachment, then the Permittee's deadline for restoring the site shall be automatically extended. The Permittee may submit to the Department a written request for an extension to the restoration deadline if future work is anticipated to commence more than six (6) months from the completion of the prior excavation and temporary encroachment. If the restoration deadline is extended as set forth above, then the Permittee shall be obligated to complete the restoration within the timeframes specified in this Agreement.

### 5.9 Permit Revocation; Termination; Modification of Agreement

## **5.9A** Permit Revocation or Termination.

Permittee acknowledges and agrees that the obligations of the Permittee, successor owner(s), or Permittee's successor(s) in interest to perform the Permitted Activities shall continue for the term of the Permit. The City reserves the right to revoke the Permit under the procedures set forth in the Public Works Code Sections 786 et seq. and, if applicable, as specified in the Board of Supervisors or Public Works Director's approval of this permit.

If the Permit is terminated by Permittee or revoked or terminated by City (each an "MEP Termination Event") with respect to a portion or portions of the Permit Area, Permittee shall

convert the Improvements therein to a condition specified by City for a standard PROW or as the Director of Public Works deems appropriate under the circumstances, at Permittee's sole cost (the "**Right-of-Way Conversion**") by (i) applying for, and providing the materials necessary to obtain, a street improvement permit or other authorization from City for the performance of such conversion work; (ii) performing such conversion work pursuant to the terms and conditions of such street improvement permit or other City authorization; and (iii) warrantying that the conversion work meets the standards required by a Public Works street improvement permit with a duration not less than one (1) year from the date Public Works confirms that the work is complete.

A termination or revocation of the Permit under the procedures set forth in Public Works Code Sections 786 et seq. shall result in an automatic termination of this Agreement as to the affected portion of the Permit Area, and all of Permittee's responsibilities and obligations hereunder shall terminate, unless otherwise provided for in this Agreement. The City may partially terminate or revoke the Permit as to those portions of the Permit Area subject to default and the City may elect to allow the Permit to remain effective as to all portions of the Permit Area that are not subject to default.

[The obligation of Permittee, successor owner, or Permittee's successor in interest to remove the Improvements and restore the PROW to a condition satisfactory to Director of Public Works shall survive the revocation, expiration, or termination of this Permit. Upon completion of the Right-of-Way Conversion, and subject to Section 5.9B, Permittee shall have no further obligations under the Permit for the portion of the Permit Area subject to the Right-of-Way Conversion and to the extent the Director has agreed to terminate the Permittee's obligations in regard to all or a portion of the Right-of-Way Conversion, except as to any applicable warranty.

The City and any and all City subdivisions or agencies shall be released from the responsibility to maintain the existence of the Improvements and shall not be required to preserve or maintain the Improvements in any capacity following the termination or revocation of the Permit unless the Department, in its discretion and in accordance with this Agreement, agrees to an alternative procedure.

#### **5.9B** Modification or Termination of the Agreement.

- (a) This Agreement shall continue and remain in full force and effect at all times in perpetuity, except if City elects to terminate Permittee's maintenance obligations pursuant to this Section 5.9B and provides written notice to the address provided in Section 2.7. Under such circumstances, this Agreement shall terminate at the time specified in such written notice with exception to those terms as specified in this Agreement that apply to the any remaining Permit obligations. City shall record evidence of any such termination of this Agreement in the Official Records of San Francisco County.
- (b) At any time during the term of the Permit, Permittee may request to amend the scope of such Permitted Activities through a written amendment to this Agreement. The Director, in his or her sole discretion, may approve, approve with conditions, or deny the requested amendment. If the Director approves an amendment, both parties shall execute and record the approved amendment. Further, Permittee and Director may, but are not required to, execute a written

modification of this Agreement to provide for the Department's maintenance of a portion or all of the Improvements as described in the Permit Area (Attachment 2). In the event of such modification of this Agreement, Department may require Permittee to pay the Department for the cost of maintaining specified Improvements as described in the Maintenance Plan (defined in Section 2.8) and Attachment 3. The Director's written modification shall, among other relevant terms, identify the specific portion of the Improvements that the Department shall maintain and the terms of Permittee's payments.

(c) In addition, Permittee and City may mutually elect to modify Permittee's obligation to perform the Right-of-Way Conversion described in Section 5.9.A including any modification necessary to address any Improvements that cannot be modified or replaced with a PROW improvement built according to the City's standard specifications. Any such modification may include, but not be limited to, Permittee's agreement to convert, at its sole cost, specified Improvements to a PROW built according to the City's standard specifications while leaving other specified Improvements in their as-is condition, with Permittee assuming a continuing obligation to pay for City's costs to maintain and replace such remaining Improvements. In addition, any such modification may address any applicable City requirements for maintenance security payment obligations and City's acquisition of specialized equipment needed to perform the maintenance work, however, no such specialized equipment shall be required for Improvements built to City standards. If City and the Permittee mutually agree to any modification to the Rightof-Way Conversion that results in Permittee assuming such a maintenance payment obligation, Permittee shall execute and acknowledge, and City shall have the right to record in the Official Records of San Francisco County, an amendment to this Agreement that details such payment obligation.

## **5.10** Green Maintenance Requirements

In performing any Permitted Activities that require cleaning materials or tools, Permittee, to the extent commercially reasonable, shall use cleaning materials or tools selected from the Approved Alternatives List created by City under San Francisco Environmental Code, Chapter 2, or any other material or tool approved by the Director. Permittee shall properly dispose of such cleaning materials or tools.

#### 6. USE RESTRICTIONS

Permittee agrees that the following uses of the PROW by Permittee or any other person claiming by or through Permittee are inconsistent with the limited purpose of this Agreement and are strictly prohibited as provided below. The list of prohibited uses includes, but is not limited to, the following uses.

## 6.1 Improvements

Other than the approved Improvements, Permittee shall not make, construct, or place any temporary or permanent alterations, installations, additions, or improvements on the PROW, structural or otherwise, nor alter any existing structures or improvements on the PROW (each, a "**Proposed Alteration**"), without the Director's prior written consent in each instance. The inkind replacement or repair of existing Improvements shall not be deemed a Proposed Alteration.

Permittee may request approval of a Proposed Alteration. The Director shall have a period of twenty (20) business days from receipt of request for approval of a Proposed Alteration to review and approve or deny such request for approval. Should the Director fail to respond to such request within said twenty (20) business day period, Permittee's Proposed Alteration shall be deemed disapproved. In requesting the Director's approval of a Proposed Alteration, Permittee acknowledges that the Director's approval of such Proposed Alteration may be conditioned on Permittee's compliance with specific installation requirements and Permittee's performance of specific on-going maintenance thereof or other affected PROW. If Permittee does not agree with the Director's installation or maintenance requirements for any Proposed Alteration, Permittee shall not perform the Proposed Alteration. If Permittee agrees with the Director's installation or maintenance requirements for any Proposed Alteration, prior to Permittee's commencement of such Proposed Alteration, Permittee and the Director shall enter into a written amendment to this Agreement that modifies the Permitted Activities to include such requirements. Prior approval from the Director shall not be required for any repairs made pursuant to and in accordance with the Permitted Activities.

If Permittee performs any City-approved Proposed Alteration, Permittee shall comply with all of the applicable terms and conditions of this Agreement, including, but not limited to, any and all conditions of approval of the Proposed Alteration(s).

Permittee shall obtain all necessary permits and authorizations from the Department and other regulatory agencies prior to commencing work for the Proposed Alteration. The Director's decision regarding a Proposed Alteration shall be final and not appealable.

## 6.2 Dumping

Permittee shall not dump or dispose of refuse or other unsightly materials on, in, under, or about the PROW.

#### **6.3** Hazardous Material

Permittee shall not cause, nor shall Permittee allow any of its agents to cause, any Hazardous Material (as defined below) to be brought upon, kept, used, stored, generated, or disposed of in, on, or about the PROW, or transported to or from the PROW. Permittee shall immediately notify City if Permittee learns or has reason to believe that a release of Hazardous Material has occurred in, on, or about the PROW. In the event Permittee or its agents cause a release of Hazardous Material in, on, or about the PROW, Permittee shall, without cost to City and in accordance with all laws and regulations, (i) comply with all laws requiring notice of such releases or threatened releases to governmental agencies, and shall take all action necessary to mitigate the release or minimize the spread of contamination, and (ii) return the PROW to a condition which complies with applicable law. In connection therewith, Permittee shall afford City a full opportunity to participate in any discussion with governmental agencies regarding any settlement agreement, cleanup or abatement agreement, consent decree or other compromise proceeding involving Hazardous Material. For purposes hereof, "Hazardous Material" means material that, because of its quantity, concentration, or physical or chemical characteristics, is at

any time now or hereafter deemed by any federal, state, or local governmental authority to pose a present or potential hazard to public health, welfare, or the environment. Hazardous Material includes, without limitation, any material or substance defined as a "hazardous substance, pollutant or contaminant" pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Sections 9601 et seq., or pursuant to Section 25316 of the California Health & Safety Code; a "hazardous waste" listed pursuant to Section 25140 of the California Health & Safety Code; any asbestos and asbestos containing materials whether or not such materials are part of the PROW or are naturally occurring substances in the PROW, and any petroleum, including, without limitation, crude oil or any fraction thereof, natural gas or natural gas liquids. The term "release" or "threatened release" when used with respect to Hazardous Material shall include any actual or imminent spilling, leaking, pumping, pouring, emitting, emptying, discharging, injecting, escaping, leaching, dumping, or disposing in, on, under, or about the PROW.

Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, if the Director determines that neither Permittee nor its agents caused the release or threatened release of the Hazardous Material, Permittee shall have no liability whatsoever (including, without limitation, the costs of any investigation, any required or necessary repair, replacement, remediation, cleanup or detoxification, or preparation and implementation of any closure, monitoring, or other required plans) with respect to any release or threatened release of any Hazardous Material on, in, under or about the PROW. If the Director finds that neither Permittee nor its agents was the source and did not cause the release of such Hazardous Material, Permittee shall not be listed or identified as the generator or responsible party of any waste required to be removed from the PROW, and will not sign any manifests or similar environmental documentation, with respect to any Environmental Condition (as hereinafter defined). "Environmental Condition" shall mean any adverse condition relating to the release or discharge of any Hazardous Materials on, in, under, or about the PROW by any party other than Permittee or its agents.

#### 6.4 Nuisances

Permittee shall not conduct any activities on or about the PROW that constitute waste, nuisance, or unreasonable annoyance (including, without limitation, emission of objectionable odors, noises, or lights) to City, to the owners or occupants of neighboring property, or to the public. The parties hereby acknowledge that customary use of landscaping and similar equipment (such as lawn mowers, clippers, hedge trimmers, leaf blowers, etc.) that would typically be used to perform the Permitted Activities shall not be considered a nuisance under this Section 6.4 if such equipment is used in compliance with all applicable laws.

#### 6.5 Damage

Permittee shall use due care at all times to avoid causing damage to any of the PROW or any of City's property, fixtures, or encroachments thereon. If any of the Permitted Activities or Permittee's other activities at the PROW causes such damage, Permittee shall notify City, and, if directed by City, restore such damaged property or PROW to the condition it was in prior to the commencement of such Permittee activity to the Director's satisfaction; or, if the City chooses to restore the damaged property, Permittee shall reimburse City for its costs of restoration.

### 7. INSURANCE

- **7.1** As described below, Permittee shall procure and keep insurance in effect at all times during the term of this Agreement, at Permittee's own expense, and cause its contractors and subcontractors to maintain insurance at all times, during Permittee's or its contractor's performance of any of the Permitted Activities on the PROW. If Permittee fails to maintain the insurance in active status, such failure shall be a Permit default subject to the Department's to enforcement remedies. The insurance policy shall be maintained and updated annually to comply with the Department's applicable requirements. The following Sections represent the minimum insurance standard as of the Effective Date of this Permit.
- **7.1A** An insurance policy or insurance policies issued by insurers with ratings comparable to A-VIII, or higher that are authorized to do business in the State of California, and that are satisfactory to the City. Approval of the insurance by City shall not relieve or decrease Permittee's liability hereunder;
- **7.1B** Commercial General Liability Insurance written on an Insurance Services Office (ISO) Coverage form CG 00 01 or another form providing equivalent coverage with limits not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) each occurrence and Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) in the aggregate for bodily injury and property damage, including coverages for contractual liability, personal injury, products and completed operations, independent permittees, and broad form property damage;
- **7.1C** Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance with limits not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) each occurrence, combined single limit for bodily injury and property damage, including coverages for owned, non-owned, and hired automobiles, as applicable for any vehicles brought onto PROW; and
- **7.1D** Workers' Compensation Insurance, in statutory amounts, with Employer's Liability Coverage with limits of not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) each accident, injury, or illness.
- **7.2** All liability policies required hereunder shall provide for the following: (i) name as additional insured the City and County of San Francisco, its officers, agents, and employees, jointly and severally; (ii) specify that such policies are primary insurance to any other insurance available to the additional insureds, with respect to any claims arising out of this Agreement; and (iii) stipulate that no other insurance policy of the City and County of San Francisco will be called on to contribute to a loss covered hereunder.
- 7.3 Limits may be provided through a combination of primary and excess insurance policies. Such policies shall also provide for severability of interests and that an act or omission of one of the named insureds which would void or otherwise reduce coverage shall not reduce or void the coverage as to any insured, and shall afford coverage for all claims based on acts, omissions, injury, or damage which occurred or arose (or the onset of which occurred or arose) in whole or in part during the policy period.

- 7.4 All insurance policies shall be endorsed to provide for thirty (30) days' prior written notice of cancellation for any reason, non-renewal or material reduction in coverage, or depletion of insurance limits, except for ten (10) days' notice for cancellation due to non-payment of premium, to both Permittee and City. Permittee shall provide a copy of any notice of intent to cancel or materially reduce, or cancellation, material reduction, or depletion of, its required coverage to Department within one business day of Permittee's receipt. Permittee also shall take prompt action to prevent cancellation, material reduction, or depletion of coverage, reinstate or replenish the cancelled, reduced or depleted coverage, or obtain the full coverage required by this Section from a different insurer meeting the qualifications of this Section. Notices shall be sent to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Street Use and Mapping, 1155 Market Street, 3rd Floor, San Francisco, CA, 94103, or any future address for the Bureau. The permission granted by the Permit shall be suspended upon the termination of such insurance. Upon such suspension, the Department and Permittee shall meet and confer to determine the most appropriate way to address the Permit. If the Department and Permittee cannot resolve the matter, the Permittee shall restore the PROW to a condition acceptable to the Department without expense to the Department. As used in this Section, "Personal Injuries" shall include wrongful death.
- 7.5 Prior to the Effective Date, Permittee shall deliver to the Department certificates of insurance and additional insured policy endorsements from insurers in a form reasonably satisfactory to Department, evidencing the coverages required hereunder. Permittee shall furnish complete copies of the policies upon written request from City's Risk Manager. In the event Permittee shall fail to procure such insurance, or to deliver such certificates or policies (following written request), Department shall provide notice to Permittee of such failure and if Permittee has not procured such insurance or delivered such certificates within five (5) days following such notice, City may initiate proceedings to revoke the permit and require restoration of the PROW to a condition that the Director deems appropriate.
- **7.6** Should any of the required insurance be provided under a form of coverage that includes a general annual aggregate limit or provides that claims investigation or legal defense costs be included in such general annual aggregate limit, such general aggregate limit shall double the occurrence or claims limits specified above.
- 7.7 Should any of the required insurance be provided under a claims-made form, Permittee shall maintain such coverage continuously throughout the term of this Agreement and, without lapse, for a period of three (3) years beyond the expiration of this Agreement, to the effect that, should any occurrences during the term of this Agreement give rise to claims made after expiration of this Agreement, such claims shall be covered by such claims-made policies.
- 7.8 Upon City's request, Permittee and City shall periodically review the limits and types of insurance carried pursuant to this Section. If the general commercial practice in the City and County of San Francisco is to carry liability insurance in an amount or coverage materially greater than the amount or coverage then being carried by Permittee for risks comparable to those associated with the PROW, then City in its sole discretion may require Permittee to increase the amounts or coverage carried by Permittee hereunder to conform to such general commercial practice.

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- **7.9** Permittee's compliance with the provisions of this Section shall in no way relieve or decrease Permittee's indemnification obligations under this Agreement or any of Permittee's other obligations hereunder. Permittee shall be responsible, at its expense, for separately insuring Permittee's personal property.
- 8. VIOLATIONS; CITY ENFORCEMENT OF PERMIT AND AGREEMENT; SECURITY DEPOSIT. Permittee acknowledges that the Department may pursue the remedies described in this Section in order to address a default by Permittee of any obligation under this Permit with respect to any Permit Area for which Permittee is responsible pursuant to the relevant Notice of Assignment, if applicable. In addition to the procedures below and as set forth in Section 5.4B, if Permittee fails to promptly respond to an unsafe or hazardous condition or to restore the site within the time the Department specifies, the Department may perform the temporary repair or restoration in order to protect the public health, safety, and welfare. Permittee shall reimburse the Department for any such temporary repair or restoration.
- (a) Correction Notice (CN). The Department may issue a written notice informing Permittee that there is an unsafe, hazardous, damaged, or blighted condition within the Permit Area, or stating that the Permittee has otherwise failed to maintain the Permit Area as required by this Permit or stating that the Permittee has otherwise failed to comply with a term or terms of this Agreement ("Correction Notice"). The Correction Notice shall identify the issue, deficiency, or maintenance obligation that is the subject of the notice with reasonable particularity and specify the time for correction, which shall be no less than thirty (30) days; provided, however, to the extent that such correction cannot be completed using reasonable efforts within the initially specified timeframe, then such period shall be extended provided that the Permittee has commenced and is diligently pursuing such correction. In the event of an emergency or other situation presenting a threat to public health, safety, or welfare, the Director may require correction in less than thirty (30) days.

#### (b) Notice of Violation (NOV).

- (i) The Department may issue a written notice of violation to the Permittee for failure to maintain the Permit Area and creating an unsafe, hazardous, damaged, or blighted condition within the Permit Area, failure to comply with the terms of this agreement, or failure to respond to the Correction Notice by abating the identified condition(s) within the time specified therein. The NOV shall identify each violation and any fines imposed per applicable code(s) or Agreement sections and specify the timeframe in which to cure the violation and pay the referenced fines ("Notice of Violation"), thirty (30) days if not specified.
- (ii) Permittee shall have ten (10) days to submit to the Department, addressed to the Director via BSM Inspection Manager at 1155 Market St, 3rd Floor, San Francisco, CA 94103, or future Bureau address, a written appeal to the NOV or a written request for administrative review of specific items. If Permittee submits said appeal or request for review, the Director shall hold a public hearing on the dispute in front of an administrative hearing officer. The Director shall then issue a final written decision on his or her determination to approve, conditionally approve, modify, or deny the appeal based on the recommendation of the hearing officer and the information presented at the time of the hearing.

- (c) <u>Uncured Default</u>. If the violation described in the Notice of Violation is not cured within ten (10) days after the latter of (1) the expiration of the Notice of Violation appeal period or (2) the written decision by the Director following the hearing to uphold the Notice of Violation or sections thereof, said violation shall be deemed an "**Uncured Default**." In the event of an Uncured Default, the Director may undertake either or both of the following:
- (i) Cure the Uncured Default and issue a written demand to Permittee to pay the Department's actual reasonable costs to remedy said default in addition to any fines or penalties described in the Notice of Violation within ten (10) days (each such notice shall be referred to as a "Payment Demand").
- (ii) Notify Permittee that it must submit a Security Deposit (as defined in Section 8(d)) for the maintenance obligation that is the subject of the Notice of Violation. Alternatively, the Director may initiate the procedures under Public Works Code Section 786 to revoke the Permit with respect to the particular portion of the Permit Area that is the subject of the Notice of Violation and require a Right-of-Way Conversion (as defined in Section 5.9.A) with respect to that area, in the Director's discretion.

## (d) Security Deposit Required for Uncured Default.

If there is an Uncured Default as defined in Section 8(c) of this Agreement, then within thirty (30) business days of the Director's request, Permittee shall deposit with the Department via the Permit Manager of the Bureau of Street Use and Mapping (or successor Bureau) the sum of no less than twice the annual cost of maintenance as set forth in the Maintenance Plan on file with the Director (the "Security Deposit") with respect to the maintenance obligation that is the subject of the Uncured Default, to secure Permittee's faithful performance of all terms and conditions of this Agreement, including, without limitation, its obligation to maintain the PROW in the condition that the Director deems acceptable. When Permittee delivers the Security Deposit to the Department pursuant to the foregoing sentence, the Department shall have the right to require Permittee to proportionately increase the amount of the Security Deposit by an amount that reflects the increase in the Consumer Price Index Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (base years 1982-1984 = 100) for San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose area published by the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics ("Index") published most immediately preceding the date the amount of the Security Deposit was established and the Index published most immediately preceding the date the Department delivers written notice of the increase in the Security Deposit. The amount of the Security Deposit shall not limit Permittee's obligations under this Agreement.

Permittee agrees that the Department may, but shall not be required to, apply the Security Deposit in whole or in part to remedy any damage to the PROW caused by Permittee, its agents, or the general public using the Permit Area to the extent that the Director of Public Works required Permittee to perform such remediation under this Agreement and Permittee failed to do so, or Permittee failed to perform any other terms, covenants, or conditions contained herein (including, but not limited to, the payment of any sum due to the Department hereunder either before or after a default). Notwithstanding the preceding, the Department does not waive any of the Department's other rights and remedies hereunder or at law or in equity against the Permittee should Department use all or a portion of the Security Deposit. Upon termination of the Permitted Activities after an

MEP Termination Event as described herein, the Department shall return any unapplied portion of the Security Deposit to Permittee, less any administrative processing cost.

Should the Department use any portion of the Security Deposit to cure any Uncured Default, Permittee shall replenish the Security Deposit to the original amount within ten (10) days of the date of a written demand from the Department for reimbursement of the Security Deposit. Subject to the following sentence, the Permittee's obligation to replenish the Security Deposit shall continue for two (2) years from the date of the initial payment of the Security Deposit unless the Director, in his or her sole discretion, agrees to a shorter period; provided, however, that if the Director does not issue a new Notice of Violation related to the issues triggering the MEP Termination Event for a period of one year from the date of the initial payment of the Security Deposit, then, upon Permittee's written request, the Director shall submit a check request to City's Controller's Office to have any remaining Security Deposit, less any administrative processing cost, delivered to Permittee. The Department's obligations with respect to the Security Deposit are solely that of debtor and not trustee. The Department shall not be required to keep the Security Deposit separate from its general funds, and Permittee shall not be entitled to interest on the Security Deposit. The amount of the Security Deposit shall in no way limit the liabilities of Permittee under any provision of the Permit or this Agreement. Upon termination of the Permitted Activities after an MEP Termination Event, the Department shall return any unapplied portion of the Security Deposit to Permittee, less any administrative processing cost.

(e) <u>Demand for Uncured Default Costs</u>. Where the Permittee, or the owner of the Fronting Property associated with the Permit Area that is the subject of the Notice of Violation, has failed to timely remit the funds described in a Payment Demand, the Security Deposit, or to pay the City's costs associated with the City's performance of a Right-of-Way Conversion (collectively, "**Uncured Default Costs**"), the Director may initiate lien proceedings against the Fronting Property Owner for the amount of the Uncured Default Costs pursuant to Public Works Code Sections 706.4 through 706.7, Public Works Code Section 706.9, Administrative Code Section 80.8(d), or any other remedy in equity or at law.

#### 9. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS

Permittee shall, at its expense, conduct and cause to be conducted all activities under its control on the PROW allowed hereunder in a safe and prudent manner and in compliance with all laws, regulations, codes, ordinances, and orders of any governmental or other regulatory entity (including, without limitation, the Americans with Disabilities Act and any other disability access laws), whether presently in effect or subsequently adopted and whether or not in the contemplation of the parties. Permittee shall, at its sole expense, procure and maintain in force at all times during its use of the PROW any and all business and other licenses or approvals necessary to conduct the Permitted Activities. Nothing herein shall limit in any way Permittee's obligation to obtain any required regulatory approvals from City departments, boards, or commissions or other governmental regulatory authorities or limit in any way City's exercise of its police powers. At the Director's written request, Permittee shall deliver written evidence of any such regulatory approvals Permittee is required to obtain for any of the Permitted Activities.

## 10. SIGNS

Permittee shall not place, erect, or maintain any sign, advertisement, banner, or similar object on or about the PROW without the Director's written prior consent, which the Director may give or withhold in its sole discretion; provided, however, that Permittee may install any temporary sign that is reasonably necessary to protect public health or safety during the performance of a Permitted Activity.

#### 11. UTILITIES

The Permittee shall be responsible for locating and protecting in place all above and below grade utilities from damage, when Permittee, or its authorized agent, elects to perform any work in, on, or adjacent to the Permit Area. If necessary, prior to or during the Permittee's execution of any work, including Permitted Activities, a utility requires temporary or permanent relocation, the Permittee shall obtain written approval from the utility owner and shall arrange and pay for all costs for relocation. If Permittee damages any utility during execution of its work, the Permittee shall notify the utility owner and arrange and pay for all costs for repair. Permittee shall be solely responsible for arranging and paying directly to the City or utility company for any utilities or services necessary for its activities hereunder.

Permittee shall be responsible for installing, maintaining, and paying for utility services necessary to support any Improvements, such as light fixtures, water fountains, storm drains, etc. in the Permit Area that are included in the Permit.

## 12. NO COSTS TO CITY; NO LIENS

Permittee shall bear all costs or expenses of any kind or nature in connection with its use of the PROW pursuant to this Agreement, and shall keep the PROW free and clear of any liens or claims of lien arising out of or in any way connected with its (and not others') use of the PROW pursuant to this Agreement.

## 13. "AS IS, WHERE IS, WITH ALL FAULTS" CONDITION OF PROW; DISABILITY ACCESS; DISCLAIMER OF REPRESENTATIONS

Permittee acknowledges and agrees that Permittee shall install the Improvements contemplated in the permit application for the Improvements and has full knowledge of the condition of the Improvements and the physical condition of the PROW. Permittee agrees to use the PROW in its "AS IS, WHERE IS, WITH ALL FAULTS" condition, without representation or warranty of any kind by City, its officers, agents, or employees, including, without limitation, the suitability, safety, or duration of availability of the PROW or any facilities on the PROW for Permittee's performance of the Permitted Activities. Without limiting the foregoing, this Agreement is made subject to all applicable laws, rules, and ordinances governing the use of the PROW, and to any and all covenants, conditions, restrictions, encroachments, occupancy, permits, and other matters affecting the PROW, whether foreseen or unforeseen, and whether such matters are of record or would be disclosed by an accurate inspection or survey. It is Permittee's sole obligation to conduct an independent investigation of the PROW and all matters relating to its use of the PROW hereunder, including, without limitation, the suitability of the PROW for such uses. Permittee, at its own expense, shall obtain such permission or other approvals from any third

parties with existing rights as may be necessary for Permittee to make use of the PROW in the manner contemplated hereby.

Under California Civil Code Section 1938, to the extent applicable to this Agreement, Permittee is hereby advised that the PROW has not undergone inspection by a Certified Access Specialist ("CAS") to determine whether it meets all applicable construction-related accessibility requirements.

## 14. TERMS OF ASSIGNMENT; PERMIT BINDING UPON SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNEES; NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT

(a) This Agreement shall be the obligation of Permittee and each future fee owner of all or any of the Permittee's Property, and may not be assigned, conveyed, or otherwise transferred to any other party, including a homeowners' association or commercial owners' association established for the benefit of the Permittee, unless approved in writing by the Director. This Agreement shall bind Permittee, its successors and assignees, including all future fee owners of all or any portion of the Fronting Property, with each successor or assignee being deemed to have assumed the obligations under this Agreement at the time of acquisition of fee ownership or assignment; provided, however, that if any or all of the Fronting Property is converted into condominiums, the obligations of Permittee under this Agreement shall be those of the homeowners' association or commercial owners' association established for such condominiums, except the individual owners of such condominiums shall assume the Permittee's obligations in the event the homeowners association ceases to exist or fails to remit the Uncured Default Costs in the time that the Director specifies in the Payment Demand.

It is intended that this Agreement binds the Permittee and all future fee owners of all or any of the Fronting Property only during their respective successive periods of ownership; and therefore, the rights and obligations of any Permittee or its respective successors and assignees under this Agreement shall terminate upon transfer, expiration, or termination of its interest in the Fronting Property, except that its liability for any violations of the requirements or restrictions of this Agreement, or any acts or omissions during such ownership, shall survive any transfer, expiration, or termination of its interest in the Fronting Property.

Subject to the approval of the Director, which shall not unreasonably be withheld, Permittee may assign this permit to a homeowners' association (for residential or mixed-use properties), a commercial owners' association (for commercial properties) or a master association with jurisdiction over the Fronting Property by submitting a "Notice of Assignment" to the Department.

## The **Notice of Assignment** shall include:

- (1) Identification of the Assignee and written acknowledgment of the Assignee's acceptance of the responsibilities under this Permit;
- (2) The contact person for the Assignee and the contact information as required under Section 2.7;

- (3) If the Assignee is a homeowners' association or commercial owners' association, a copy of recorded CC&Rs, if there are such CC&Rs evidencing (a) the homeowners association's or commercial owners association's obligation to accept maintenance responsibility for the subject Improvements consistent with this Agreement upon assignment; and (b) City's right to enforce maintenance obligations as a third-party beneficiary under such CC&Rs and the San Francisco Municipal Code; and
- (4) A statement identifying whether a Community Facilities District or other Special Tax Entity will expend monetary or staff resources on the Permit area for maintenance or other activities:
- (5) A copy of the Assignee's general liability insurance that satisfies Section 7 and security under Section 8 if applicable;
- (6) For encroachments with a construction cost of \$1 million or greater, Assignee must provide security in the form of a bond, other form of security acceptable to the Department, or payment into the Maintenance Endowment Fund in an amount required to restore the public right-of-way to a condition satisfactory to the Public Works Director based on a cost that the City Engineer determines; and
- (7) Any other considerations necessary to promote the health, safety, welfare, including demonstration to the Director's satisfaction that the Assignee has the monetary and/or staff resources are available and committed to perform the maintenance obligation.

Permittee shall submit to Public Works a Notice of Assignment in a form acceptable to Public Works. Prior to approval from the Director, the Department shall provide a written determination that the proposed assignee satisfies Section 7 (Insurance) and Section 8 (Security). Following such assignment, the obligations of the assigning Permittee shall be deemed released and the assigning Permittee shall have no obligations under this Agreement.

(b) <u>Lender</u>. A "**Lender**" means the beneficiary named in any deed of trust that encumbers all or a portion of the Fronting Property and is recorded in the Official Records of San Francisco County (the "Deed of Trust"). All rights in the Fronting Property acquired by any party pursuant to a Deed of Trust shall be subject to each and all of the requirements and obligations of the Permit and this Agreement and to all rights of City hereunder. Any Lender that takes possession or acquires fee ownership of all or a portion of the Fronting Property shall automatically assume the Owner's obligations under the Permit and this this Agreement for the period that Lender holds possession or fee ownership in the Fronting Property. None of such requirements and obligations is or shall be waived by City by reason of the giving of such Deed of Trust, except as specifically waived by City in writing.

## 15. TRANSFER AND ACCEPTANCE PROCEDURES

This Permit, and the accompanying benefits and obligations are automatically transferred to any successor property owner(s). If the Permittee is selling the property, the successor owner(s) shall submit contact information to the Department immediately upon closing on the property sale along with an acknowledgement that the successor owner(s) shall accept and assume all Permit

responsibilities. The Department may require that such a transfer be evidenced by a new written Agreement with the Director and require evidence of insurance to be submitted within a specified period of time.

#### 16. POSSESSORY INTEREST TAXES

Permittee recognizes and understands that this Agreement may create a possessory interest subject to property taxation with respect to privately-owned or occupied property in the PROW, and that Permittee may be subject to the payment of property taxes levied on such interest under applicable law. Permittee agrees to pay taxes of any kind, including any possessory interest tax, if any, that may be lawfully assessed on Permittee's interest under this Agreement or use of the PROW pursuant hereto and to pay any other taxes, excises, licenses, permit charges, or assessments based on Permittee's usage of the PROW that may be imposed upon Permittee by applicable law (collectively, a "Possessory Interest Tax"). Permittee shall pay all of such charges when they become due and payable and before delinquency. The parties hereto hereby acknowledge that the PROW will be a public open space during the term of this Agreement and Permittee's use of the PROW pursuant to this Agreement is intended to be non-exclusive and non-possessory.

#### 17. PESTICIDE PROHIBITION

Permittee shall comply with the provisions of Section 308 of Chapter 3 of the San Francisco Environment Code (the "Pesticide Ordinance") which (a) prohibit the use of certain pesticides on PROW, (b) require the posting of certain notices and the maintenance of certain records regarding pesticide usage and (c) require Permittee to submit to the Director an integrated pest management ("**IPM**") plan that (i) lists, to the extent reasonably possible, the types and estimated quantities of pesticides that Permittee may need to apply to the PROW during the term of this Agreement, (ii) describes the steps Permittee will take to meet the City's IPM Policy described in Section 300 of the Pesticide Ordinance, and (iii) identifies, by name, title, address and telephone number, an individual to act as the Permittee's primary IPM contact person with the City. In addition, Permittee shall comply with the requirements of Sections 303(a) and 303(b) of the Pesticide Ordinance. Nothing herein shall prevent Permittee, through the Director, from seeking a determination from the Commission on the Environment that it is exempt from complying with certain portions of the Pesticide Ordinance as provided in Section 303 thereof.

## 18. PROHIBITION OF TOBACCO SALES AND ADVERTISING

Permittee acknowledges and agrees that no sale or advertising of cigarettes or tobacco products is allowed on the PROW. This advertising prohibition includes the placement of the name of a company producing, selling or distributing cigarettes or tobacco products or the name of any cigarette or tobacco product in any promotion of any event or product. This advertising prohibition does not apply to any advertisement sponsored by a state, local, nonprofit, or other entity designed to (a) communicate the health hazards of cigarettes and tobacco products, or (b) encourage people not to smoke or to stop smoking.

#### 19. PROHIBITION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE ADVERTISING

Permittee acknowledges and agrees that no advertising of alcoholic beverages is allowed on the PROW. For purposes of this Section, "alcoholic beverage" shall be defined as set forth in California Business and Professions Code Section 23004, and shall not include cleaning solutions, medical supplies, and other products and substances not intended for drinking. This advertising prohibition includes the placement of the name of a company producing, selling, or distributing alcoholic beverages or the name of any alcoholic beverage in any promotion of any event or product. This advertising prohibition does not apply to any advertisement sponsored by a state, local, nonprofit, or other entity designed to (a) communicate the health hazards of alcoholic beverages, (b) encourage people not to drink alcohol or to stop drinking alcohol, or (c) provide or publicize drug or alcohol treatment or rehabilitation services.

#### 20. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

Through its execution of this Agreement, Permittee acknowledges that it is familiar with the provisions of Section 15.103 of the San Francisco Charter, Article III, Chapter 2 of City's Campaign and Governmental Conduct Code, and Sections 87100 et seq. and Sections 1090 et seq. of the Government Code of the State of California, and certifies that it does not know of any facts which would constitute a violation of said provisions, and agrees that if Permittee becomes aware of any such fact during the term of this Agreement, Permittee shall immediately notify the City.

## 21. FOOD SERVICE WASTE REDUCTION

If there is a City permit or authorization for the Permit Area that will allow food service, Permittee agrees to comply fully with and be bound by all of the provisions of the Food Service Waste Reduction Ordinance, as set forth in the San Francisco Environment Code, Chapter 16, including the remedies provided therein, and implementing guidelines and rules. The provisions of Chapter 16 are incorporated herein by reference and made a part of this Agreement as though fully set forth herein and the Permittee will be treated as a lessee for purposes of compliance with Chapter 16. This provision is a material term of this Agreement. By entering into this Agreement, Permittee agrees that if it breaches this provision, City will suffer actual damages that will be impractical or extremely difficult to determine. Without limiting City's other rights and remedies, Permittee agrees that the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) liquidated damages for the first breach, Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) liquidated damages for the second breach in the same year, and Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) liquidated damages for subsequent breaches in the same year is a reasonable estimate of the damage that City will incur based on the violation, established in light of the circumstances existing at the time this Agreement was made. Such amounts shall not be considered a penalty, but rather as mutually agreed upon monetary damages sustained by City because of Permittee's failure to comply with this provision.

#### 22. GENERAL PROVISIONS

Unless this Agreement provides otherwise: (a) This Agreement may be amended or modified only in writing and signed by both the Director and Permittee; provided that the Director shall have the right to terminate or revoke the Permit in accordance with this Agreement. (b) No waiver by any party of any of the provisions of this Agreement shall be effective unless in writing

and signed by an officer or other authorized representative, and only to the extent expressly provided in such written waiver. (c) All approvals and determinations of City requested, required, or permitted hereunder may be made in the sole and absolute discretion of the Director or other authorized City official. (d) This Agreement (including its Attachments and associated documents hereto), the Permit, the Board of Supervisors legislation approving the Permit, and any authorization to proceed, discussions, understandings, and agreements are merged herein. (e) The section and other headings of this Agreement are for convenience of reference only and shall be disregarded in the interpretation of this Agreement. Director shall have the sole discretion to interpret and make decisions regarding any and all discrepancies, conflicting statements, and omissions found in the Permit, Agreement, the Agreement's Attachments and associated documents, and Construction Plans, if applicable. (f) Time is of the essence in each and every provision hereof. (g) This Agreement shall be governed by California law and the City's Charter. (h) If either party commences an action against the other or a dispute arises under this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover from the other reasonable attorneys' fees and costs. For purposes hereof, reasonable attorneys' fees of City shall be based on the fees regularly charged by private attorneys in San Francisco with comparable experience, notwithstanding the City's use of its own attorneys. (i) If Permittee consists of more than one person, then the obligations of each person shall be joint and several. (i) This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective heirs, representatives, successors, and assigns. (k) City is the sole beneficiary of Permittee's obligations under this Agreement. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to be a gift or dedication to the general public or for any public purposes whatsoever, nor shall it give rights to the parties expressly set forth above. Without limiting the foregoing, nothing herein creates a private right of action by any person or entity other than the City. (1) This Agreement does not create a partnership or joint venture between the City and Permittee as to any activity conducted by Permittee in its performance of its obligations under this Agreement. Permittee shall not be deemed a state actor with respect to any activity conducted by Permittee on, in, around, or under the Improvements pursuant to this Agreement.

#### 23. INDEMNIFICATION

Permittee, on behalf of itself and its successors and assigns ("Indemnitors"), shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless ("Indemnify") the City including, but not limited to, all of its boards, commissions, departments, agencies, and other subdivisions, including, without limitation, the Department, and all of the heirs, legal representatives, successors, and assigns (individually and collectively, the "Indemnified Parties"), and each of them, for any damages the Indemnified Parties may be required to pay as satisfaction of any judgment or settlement of any claim (collectively, "Claims"), incurred in connection with or arising in whole or in part from: (a) any accident, injury to or death of a person, or loss of or damage to property, howsoever or by whomsoever caused, occurring in or about the Permit Area arising from the Permitted Activities, with the exception of Claims arising from the City's failure to maintain one or more Improvements after agreeing to perform such maintenance and accepting funding from Permittee for that purpose; (b) any default by such Indemnitors in the observation or performance of any of the terms, covenants, or conditions of this Permit to be observed or performed on such Indemnitors' part; and (c) any release or discharge, or threatened release or discharge, of any Hazardous Material caused or allowed by Indemnitors in, under, on, or about the Permit Area arising from the Permitted Activities. These indemnification obligations of the Permittee shall except any Claims to the

extent caused exclusively by the gross negligence or willful misconduct of the City. Permittee on behalf of the Indemnitors specifically acknowledges and agrees that the Indemnitors have an immediate and independent obligation to defend the City from any claim which actually or potentially falls within this Indemnity even if such allegation is or may be groundless, fraudulent, or false, which obligation arises at the time such Claim is tendered to such Indemnitors by the City and continues at all times thereafter. Permittee agrees that the indemnification obligations assumed under this Permit shall survive expiration of the Permit or completion of work. It is expressly understood and agreed that the applicable Indemnitor shall only be responsible for claims arising or accruing during its period of ownership of the Fronting Property.

#### 24. SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Agreement or the application thereof to any person, entity or circumstance shall be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Agreement, or the application of such provision to persons, entities, or circumstances other than those as to which it is invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected thereby, and each other provision of this Agreement shall be valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law, except to the extent that enforcement of this Agreement without the invalidated provision would be unreasonable or inequitable under all the circumstances or would frustrate a fundamental purpose of this Agreement.

#### 25. FORCE MAJEURE

If Permittee is delayed, interrupted, or prevented from performing any of its obligations under this Agreement, excluding all obligations that may be satisfied by the payment of money or provision of materials within the control of Permittee, and such delay, interruption, or prevention is due to fire, natural disaster, act of God, war, terrorism, riot, civil insurrection, federal or state governmental act or failure to act, labor dispute, unavailability of materials, epidemics, pandemics, and related governmental orders and requirements (and private sector responses to comply with those orders and requirements) or any cause outside such Party's reasonable control, then, provided written notice of such event and the effect on the Party's performance is given to the other Party within thirty (30) days of the occurrence of the event, the time for performance of the affected obligations of that Party shall be extended for a period equivalent to the period of such delay, interruption, or prevention.

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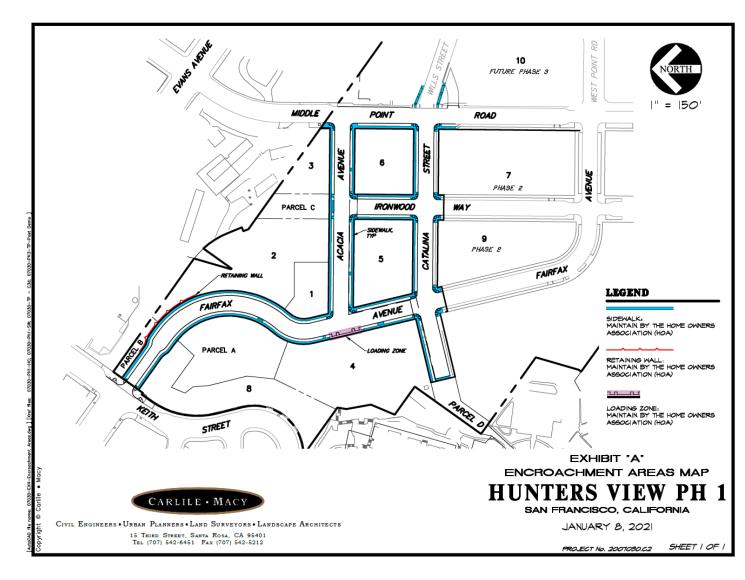
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CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, a municipal corporation
City Engineer of San Francisco
Director of Public Works

SF Public Works Permit No.: 21ME-0007

## ATTACHMENT 1 DESCRIPTION/LOCATION OF PERMITTEE'S PROPERTY

Hunters View Phase I has an address of 1101 Fairfax Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94124. The Fronting Property in Hunters View Phase I generally fronts Fairfax Avenue, Acacia Avenue, Ironwood Way, Catalina Street and Middle Point Road. The Assessor's Parcel Numbers for the Fronting Property are Block 4624, Lots 23 to 32.

## ATTACHMENT 2 DESCRIPTION/LOCATION OF PERMIT AREA AND THE IMPROVEMENTS



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# ATTACHMENT 3 MAINTENANCE PLAN (LIST OF TASKS/SERVICES AND COSTS)

#### Maintenance Plan.

The following scope of work is intended to define, describe, state, and outline the Permittee's maintenance, repair, and replacement obligations within the Permit Area and the Public Right-of-Way.

I. DAILY SERVICES. (1 Janitor at 2 hours per day at a rate of \$14 per hour)
The Encroachment Permit area and its perimeter is to be kept clean and neat, free from trash, debris, fallen leaves and waste. Each day Owner is expected to perform the following minimum cleaning operations:

#### A. General Maintenance

- 1. Wipe and clean all steel, metal, steel, benches, lamps, glass, gates, planters, railings, boulders, cobblestone, drinking fountain, signs and other surfaces.
- 2. Remove foreign matter from sidewalks and tree containers surrounding trees before 8:00 am.
- 3. Sweep or blow clean all walkways, curbs and gutters within and around Public Right-of-Way.
- 4. Inspect for graffiti daily and remove graffiti within the earlier to occur of the following: (1) forty-eight hours of discovery by Owner or (2) upon receiving any written City request for such removal; "Graffiti" means any inscription, word, figure, marking or design that is affixed, marked, etched, scratched, drawn or painted on any building, structure, fixture or other improvement on the Public Right-of-Way, whether permanent or temporary, including by way of example only and without limitation, signs, banners, billboards or fencing, without the consent of the City or its authorized agent. "Graffiti" shall not include: (1) any sign or banner that is authorized by, and in compliance with, the applicable requirements of the San Francisco Public Works Code, the San Francisco Planning Code or the San Francisco Building Code; (2) any mural or other painting authorized to be in the Public Right-of-Way, either permanent or temporary; or (3) any sign or banner that is authorized by the City's Director of Public Works.

#### B. Trash

- 1. Keep trash areas clean and swept and maintain adequate bins for trash, or as otherwise directed in writing by City's Director of Public Works.
- 2. Empty trash, causing deposited items to be thrown away as appropriate and reline bins.
- II. WEEKLY SERVICES (2 Landscapers at 8 hours per week at a rate of \$17.30 per hour)

#### A. Landscaping

- 1. Tree maintenance, as needed.
- 2. Prune back shrubs.
- 3. Water all plants as necessary to keep green and in good condition.
- 4. Collect all dead leaves.
- 5. Prune all groundcover overhanging onto walkways and grass areas.
- 6. Remove litter and leaves from plants, planters and tree wells.
- 7. Remove any broken or fallen branches from trees; remove sucker growth from tree trunks.
- 8. Remove any weeds larger than 2 inches (5 cm) high or wide (at the designated time for performing the weekly services) from planters. Weeds 2 inches (5 cm) and larger must be removed, not just killed.
- 9. Replace bark mulch or rocks that have been knocked or washed out of planters or planting areas. Smooth mulch or rock layer if it has been disturbed.
- 10. Check plants for signs of stress or disease. Replace any plants that meet conditions for replacement (such as dying or dead plants).
  - 11. Hand water any plants that are dry and stressed.
- 12. Treat for any signs of disease or pest infestation. Report to City any treatments for disease or pest control.
  - 13. Check the irrigation system. Make emergency and routine repairs as needed.
  - 14. Adjust the irrigation controllers for current water needs of plants.
  - B. Drain covers to be checked and debris cleared away as needed.
- C. Power wash all sidewalks and paved areas two (2) times a week and as needed during any rainy season.
  - D. Wash trash bins weekly.
  - E. Clean, wipe and polish all lamps (high to low areas) and signs.
  - IV. YEARLY (2 Landscapers at 24 hours per year at a rate of \$17.30per hour)
  - A. Every three years apply concrete reveal.
  - B. Intentionally Omitted

#### V. GENERAL

All repairs and replacements made by Owner or its employees, contractors, subcontractors, agents or representatives within the Public Right-of-Way as part of the Maintenance Work shall be performed: (a) at no cost to the City; (b) with materials and techniques that are equal or better in quality, value and utility to the original material or installation, if related to repair or replacement of existing improvements; (c) in a manner and using equipment and materials that will not unreasonably interfere with or impair the operations,

use or occupation of the Public Right-of-Way; and (d) in accordance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations.

If any Maintenance Work performed by or for Owner at the Public Right-of-Way does not meet the quality standards set forth herein, as determined by the Director of Public Works or the Director of the City's Department of the Environment, such work shall be re-done by Owner at its sole cost.

Description	Unit	Quantity	<b>Unit Price</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>
Daily Tasks	Hour	522	\$14.00	\$7,308.00
Weekly Tasks	Hour	832	\$17.30	\$14,393.60
Annual Tasks	Hour	24	\$17.30	\$415.20
Rental costs	Each	N/A		

Total: \$22,116.80

#### **Maintenance and Other Costs.**

Category	Description	Monthly	Annual
6537-000 Landscape	27% of HVP1	\$1,500	\$18,000
Contracts	(\$8016), HVP2A		
	(\$8016) and HVP2B		
	(\$5802) monthly CIP		
	contracts; 27% of		
	HVP1 monthly		
	Prosegur contract		
	(\$3930)		
6542-000 Repairs	N/A	\$400	\$4,800
Contract			
TOTAL		\$1,900	\$22,800

SF Public Works Permit No.: 21ME-0007

# ATTACHMENT 4 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE MANUALS (IF APPLICABLE)

SF Public Works Permit No.: XXME-XXXX

#### ENCROACHMENT PERMIT AND MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT (for Fronting Property)

#### 1. PARTIES

The City and County of San Francisco Public Works (the "Department") enters into this Encroachment Permit and Maintenance Agreement ("Agreement") with HV Community Association, Inc., a domestic non-profit (the "Permittee"), on this date, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2021. The Master Major Encroachment Permit or Permit collectively refers to the Encroachment Permit as shown on the Department approved plan(s), any associated Street Improvement, and this Agreement, including its Attachments and accompanying documents (the "Permit"). In this Agreement, "the City" refers to the City and County of San Francisco and all affiliated City agencies including, but not limited to, the Department, the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission ("SFPUC") and the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency ("SFMTA"). For purposes of the Permit, "Fronting Property Owner" shall mean the property owner(s) who front, abut, or are adjacent to the public right-of-way on which the Improvements and any other elements of the Permit are located.

#### 2. PERMIT INFORMATION

**2.1** Encroachment Permit No. ("Permit"): 11IE-0336 under Public Works Code Section 786(b).

Other Public Works Permit number(s) if Public Works allowed construction prior to Board of Supervisors approval of the Encroachment Permit: Street Improvement Permit No. 11IE-0336.

- **2.2 Description/Location of Fronting Property (See Attachment 1)**: Hunters View Phase I has an address of 1101 Fairfax Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94124. The Fronting Property in Hunters View Phase I generally fronts Fairfax Avenue, Acacia Avenue, Ironwood Way, Catalina Street and Middle Point Road ("Fronting Property"). The Assessor's Parcel Numbers for the Fronting Property are Block 4624, Lots 23 to 32.
- **2.3 Description/Location of Permit Area (See Attachment 2):** The Permit Area is generally located adjacent to the Fronting Property.

#### 2.4 General Description of Proposed Improvements (See Attachment 2):

- (1) An Irrigation system (other than trees);
- (2) Sidewalks along portions of Fairfax Avenue, Acacia Avenue, Ironwood Way, Catalina Street, and Middle Point Road (flat work, pavers, landscaping, furniture);
- (3) Curbs/ramps for ADA-compliant passenger loading; and
- (4) Portion of retaining wall footing in Acacia Avenue.

The term "Improvements" shall mean those improvements in the public right-of-way as described in the attachments listed in Section 2.8 and on the Construction Plans.

- **2.5 Permit Type:** Major Encroachment Permit.
- **2.6 Developer/Builder/Owner of the Fronting Property:** HV Partners 1, LP, c/o John Stewart Company, 1388 Sutter Street, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Francisco, CA 94109
- 2.7 Contact Information. The Permittee shall provide to Public Works, Bureau of Street Use and Mapping ("BSM"), SFMTA, 311 Service Division, and SFPUC the information below regarding a minimum of two (2) contact persons with direct relation to or association with, or is in charge of or responsible for, the Permit. Permittee shall notify both Public Works' Bureau of Street Use and Mapping and SFMTA within thirty (30) calendar days of any relevant changes in the Permittee's personnel structure, and submit the required contact information of the current and responsible contacts. If and when the City's 311 Service Division (or successor public complaint system program) allows direct communications with the contact person(s) for the Permit, the Permittee shall participate in this program.

#### Contact Person Number 1

Last Name, First Name: Etzel, Catherine

Title/Relationship to Owner: Director of Development for the John Stewart Company, Developer

Phone Numbers: (415) 345-4400

Email Addresses: cetzel@jsco.net

Mailing Address: 1388 Sutter St., 11<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Francisco, CA 94109 Office Address: 1388 Sutter St., 11<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Francisco, CA 94109

#### Contact Person Number 2

Last Name, First Name: Mendel, Julie

Title/Relationship to Owner: Project Manager for the John Stewart Company,

#### Developer

Phone Numbers: (415) 345-4400 Email Addresses: jmendel@jsco.net

Mailing Address: 1388 Sutter St., 11<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Francisco, CA 94109 Office Address: 1388 Sutter St., 11<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Francisco, CA 94109

- **2.8 List of Attachments.** The following additional documents are attached to or accompany this Permit. All attachments shall be on sheets sizing 8.5 by 11 inches so they can be easily inserted into this agreement as an attachment:
  - Attachment 1: Property Information. Written description of the fronting property and location map identifying the property.
  - Attachment 2: "**Permit Area**," which shall refer to areas that include Improvements and any real property subject to maintenance responsibilities that are Permittee's responsibility.
    - o Written description of the area where the encroachment(s) exist and the boundaries,

- O Diagram showing the boundary limits of the Permit Area and identifying all Improvements in the Permit Area ("**Precise Diagram**"). The Precise Diagram shall be a separate document from the engineered construction plans for the encroachments submitted to Public Works for review and approval. ("**Construction Plans**").
- o Table listing all Improvements in the Permit Area and identifying the maintenance responsibility for them ("**Maintenance Table**"). The table shall include all physical treatments, facilities, and elements, whether standard or non-standard, to clarify responsibility.
- Attachment 3: Maintenance Plan. A written document that contains a detailed description of the means and methods to maintain the Improvements within the Permit Area (the "Maintenance Plan"). The Maintenance Plan shall identify the daily, weekly, monthly, and annual routine maintenance, repair and replacement tasks, as applicable ("Permitted **Activities**"). For each category of the Permitted Activities, Permittee shall provide the regular (e.g. daily, weekly, etc.) estimated expenses, including labor hours, cost per hour, and materials needed for maintenance. In addition, Permittee shall provide a total estimated annual operating expense and include: regular maintenance expenses, replacement costs, costs for any specialized equipment (in the event that the Improvements incorporate such specialized equipment) necessary for continued operation of the Improvements, and the expected lifespan of any non-standard materials subject to regular use. The Maintenance Plan also shall identify whether a Community Benefit District, Business Improvement District, Community Facilities District or similar Special Tax-Based Entity (a "Special Tax Entity") will expend monetary or staff resources on the Permit Area for maintenance or other activities, and documentation, to the Director's satisfaction, that the monetary and/or staff resources are available and committed to perform the maintenance obligation.
- Attachment 4: Operations Manual. Permittee shall submit a document or manual describing how to operate any specialized equipment necessary for continued operation of the Improvements along with manufacturer's instructions for operation and maintenance ("O&M Manuals") and other pertinent information about the equipment. These documents are for Public Works file purposes and not attached to this Agreement. The City Engineer, in his or her discretion, may allow the Permittee to defer submission of the Operations Manual until completion of the Improvements in accordance with the Construction Plans.

The City Engineer shall review and certify the description of the Permit Area (Attachment 2), Maintenance Plan (Attachment 3), and O&M Manuals (Attachment 4). The Department shall not issue the permit until the City Engineer has completed his or her review and certified the required attachments.

### 3. EFFECTIVE DATE; REVOCABLE, NON-EXCLUSIVE PERMIT; RECORDATION

(a) Following Board of Supervisors approval and confirmation the Department has received all required permit documents and fees, the Department shall issue the approved Permit. The date the Permit is issued shall be the "**Effective Date.**"

(b) The privilege given to Permittee under this Agreement is revocable, personal, non-exclusive, non-possessory, and effective only insofar as the rights of City in the Public Right-of-Way ("**PROW**") are concerned.

This Permit does not grant any rights to construct or install Improvements in the Permit Area until the Public Works Director issues written authorization for such work.

(c) Upon Board of Supervisors' approval of this Permit, Permittee shall record this Permit, including this Agreement, against the Fronting Property in the Official Records of San Francisco.

#### 4. MONITORING AND MAINTENANCE RESPONSIBILITIES

Permittee acknowledges its responsibility to monitor the Permit Area and its Improvements and document performance of the maintenance activities as described herein, and retain such documents for a minimum of three (3) years. Within threeten (310) days from the date of the Director's written request for maintenance information, the Permittee shall provide proof that the maintenance activities have been performed.

The Permittee shall: 1) on a regular quarterly basis, document the general condition of the entire Permit Area and all elements with date stamped digital images in JPEG format, or other video or picture imaging acceptable to the Director, and 2) maintain a written and image log of all maintenance issues, including, but not limited to: defects, damages, defacing, complaints, and repairs performed on Permit elements and the Permit Area. The regular monitoring images and/or video shall be taken from all angles necessary to show the entirety of the Permit Area and all Improvements. The images for the logged maintenance issues and repairs shall clearly show the location and detail of the damaged or defaced element or area, and its repair and restoration. Permittee shall maintain all files and provide them in a format and media consistent with current standards for data retention and transfer, such as a USB flash drive with connective capability to a commonly available personal computer.

The maintenance log, at a minimum, shall include the following information: date and time of maintenance; description and type of encroachment element requiring repair, resolution, or restoration and method used to repair, resolve, or restore it; time and duration to repair, resolve, or restore such element; company (and contact information for the company) that performed the repair, resolution, or restoration.

If the Permit does not include any surface level or above grade elements, the Director shall not require the maintenance monitoring set forth in this Section.

#### 5. CONDITIONS OF ENTRY AND USE

By entering into this Agreement, Permittee acknowledges its responsibility to comply with all requirements for maintenance of the Improvements as specified in this Agreement, Public Works Code Section 786, Article 2.4 of the Public Works Code ("Excavation in the Public Right-of-Way"), and as directed by the Director. Permittee shall comply and cause its agents to comply, with each of the following requirements in its performance of the Permitted Activities.

#### **5.1** Permits and Approvals

5.1A Requirement to Obtain all Regulatory Permits and Approvals. Permittee shall obtain any permits, licenses, or approvals of any regulatory agencies ("Regulatory Permits") required to commence and complete construction of the Improvements and any of the Permitted Activities. Promptly upon receipt of any such Regulatory Permits, Permittee shall deliver copies to the Department. Permittee recognizes and agrees that City's approval of the Permit and this Agreement for purposes of construction of the Improvements and the Permitted Activities shall not be deemed to constitute the grant of any or all other Regulatory Permits needed for the Permitted Activities, and nothing herein shall limit Permittee's obligation to obtain all such Regulatory Permits, at Permittee's sole cost.

**5.1B** Subsequent Excavation within Permit Area. When maintenance of the Improvements requires excavation as described in Article 2.4 of the Public Works Code, or prevents public access through the Permit Area, or obstructs the movement of vehicles or bicycles where allowed by law, Permittee shall apply for applicable permits from the Department and any other affected City agencies. Permittee or agent of Permittee shall comply with all excavation permit bonding and security requirements that the Department deems necessary when performing or causing to be performed any excavations or occupancies within the Permit Area.

**5.1C** Additional Approvals. Further permission from the Department may be required prior to Permittee's performance of work within the Permit Area including, but not limited to, the restoration of a temporarily restored trench, removal and replacement of a tree or other landscaping, or repair of damaged or uplifted sidewalk or other paving material. This Agreement does not limit, prevent, or restrict the Department from approving and issuing permits for the Permit Area including, but not limited to, occupancy, encroachment, and excavation permits. The Department shall include as a condition in all subsequent permits issued in the Permit Area that any subsequent permittee notify and coordinate with the Permittee prior to occupying, encroaching, or excavating within the Permit Area.

#### **5.2** Exercise of Due Care

During any entry on the Permit Area to perform any of the Permitted Activities, Permittee shall, at all times and at its sole cost, perform the Permitted Activities in a manner that maintains the Permit Area in a good, clean, safe, secure, sanitary, and attractive condition. Permittee shall use due care at all times to avoid any damage or harm to the Permit Area or any Improvements or property located thereon or adjacent to, and to take such soil and resource conservation and protection measures within the Permit Area as are required by applicable laws and as City may reasonably request in writing. Permittee shall not perform any excavation work without City's prior written approval. Under no circumstances shall Permittee knowingly or intentionally damage, harm, or take any rare, threatened, or endangered species on or about the Permit Area. While on

the Permit Area to perform the Permitted Activities, Permittee shall use commercially reasonably efforts to prevent and suppress fires on and adjacent to the Permit Area attributable to such entry.

#### 5.3 Cooperation with City Personnel and Agencies

Permittee shall work closely with City personnel to avoid unreasonable disruption (even if temporary) of access to the Improvements and property in, under, on or about the Permit Area and City and public uses of the Permit Area. Permittee shall perform work in accordance with the Permit and this Agreement. Permittee also shall perform work pursuant to one or more Street Improvement Permits or General Excavation Permits and in accordance with Public Improvement Agreements if either or both are applicable.

#### 5.4 Permittee's Maintenance and Liability Responsibilities

5.4A Permittee's Maintenance and Liability. (a) Permittee acknowledges its maintenance and liability responsibility for the Improvements (including, but not limited to, materials, elements, fixtures, etc.) in accordance with the Permit and this Agreement, and all other applicable City permits, ordinary wear and tear excepted. Permittee agrees to maintain said Improvements as described in the Permit, as determined by the Director, and in accordance with any other applicable City permits. Permittee shall reimburse the Department for any work performed by the Department as a result of the Permittee's failure to comply with the maintenance and restoration terms as specified in this Agreement under Section 8. Permittee is wholly responsible for any facilities installed in the Permit Area that are subject to this Permit's terms and for the quality of the work performed in the Permit Area under this Agreement. Permittee is liable for all claims related to the installed facilities and any condition caused by Permittee's performed work. Neither the issuance of any permit nor the inspection, nor the repair, nor the suggestion, nor the approval, nor the acquiescence of any person affiliated with the City shall excuse the Permittee from such responsibility or liability.

(b) Notwithstanding the foregoing, the City acknowledges that while the Permittee retains the primary responsibility for all construction, installation, maintenance and repair activities, certain limited or supplemental maintenance and repair activities may be performed by a Special Tax Entity (such activities shall be denoted on the Maintenance Plan) rather than the Permittee. Nevertheless, the Department shall hold the Permittee responsible for compliance with all provisions of the Permit and this Agreement without regard to whether the violation occurred through an act, omission, negligence, or willful misconduct of the Permittee or the Special Tax Entity. Only if Permittee can demonstrate to the satisfaction of the Director that the Special Tax Entity is solely responsible for the act, omission, negligence, or willful misconduct and the Director makes a written finding to this effect, shall the Director take action directly against the Special Tax Entity. Under such circumstances, the Permittee shall not be responsible and liable hereunder for the act, omission, negligence, or willful misconduct that the Director identifies in writing, and no Uncured Default (as hereinafter defined) shall be deemed to have occurred by the Permittee, as a result of the Special Tax Entity's acts, omissions, negligence or willful misconduct. In the event that the Special Tax Entity should cease to exist or that the Special Tax Entity's maintenance and repair responsibilities are changed, then Permittee shall be responsible or assume

responsibility for all activities that are no longer the responsibility of or being performed by the Special Tax Entity.

(c) In the event that the Director agrees to maintain one or more of the Improvements pursuant to Section 5.9B of this Agreement, Permittee shall not be responsible for the quality of maintenance or restoration work performed, nor liable for the resulting consequences of City work.

Abatement of Unsafe, Hazardous, Damaged, or Blighted Conditions. Permittee acknowledges its maintenance responsibility to abate any unsafe, hazardous, damaged, or blighted conditions in the Permit Area. Following receipt of a notice by the Department of an unsafe, damaged, or blighted condition of the Permit Area, Permittee shall immediately respond to the notice and restore the site to the condition specified on the Construction Plans within thirty (30) calendar days, unless the Department specifies a shorter or longer compliance period based on the nature of the condition or the problems associated with it; provided, however, to the extent that such restoration cannot be completed using commercially reasonable efforts within such thirty (30) calendar day period or other period specified by the Department, then such period shall be extended provided that the Permittee has commenced and is diligently pursuing such restoration. In addition, Permittee acknowledges its responsibility to abate any hazardous conditions as a direct or indirect result of the Improvement (e.g., slip, trip, and fall hazards), promptly upon receipt of notice from the Department. For unsafe or hazardous conditions, the Permittee shall immediately place or cause to be placed temporary measures to protect the public. Failure to promptly respond to an unsafe or hazardous condition or to restore the site within the time specified in the Department's notice may result in the Department's performing the temporary repair or restoration in order to protect the public health, safety, and welfare. Permittee shall reimburse the Department for any such temporary repair or restoration within thirty (30) calendar days upon receipt of the Department's invoice. Failure to abate the problem also may result in the Department's issuance of a Correction Notice or Notice of Violation citation and/or request for reimbursement fees to the Department for departmental and other City services necessary to abate the condition in accordance with Section 8.

**5.4C Permittee Contact Information, Signage.** Upon the Department's determination that the Permittee has completed the Improvements in accordance with the Construction Plans, Permittee shall post a sign(s) within the Permit Area, in conformity with any applicable signage program for the Permittee's property and in a location approved by the Department, that provides a telephone number and other Permittee contact information so that members of the public can contact the Permittee to report maintenance issues, problems, or any other complaints about the Permit.

**5.4D** Non-standard Materials and Features. If the Permittee elects to install materials, facilities, fixtures, or features ("Non-standard Elements") that do not meet the City's criteria for standard operation, maintenance, and repair, and the City approves such Non-standard Elements, the Permittee shall (i) acknowledge its responsibility for the operation, maintenance, repair, and replacement of the Non-standard Elements as constructed per the Construction Plans, (ii) separately meter any service utility required to operate the Non-standard Elements, and (iii) be responsible for providing such utility service at Permittee's own cost. As an exception, if the Non-standard Elements are facilities such as street lights, and they are installed in locations identified

by the City as standard streetlight locations, the City may elect to power the streetlights and not require a separate meter. Permittee shall indemnify and hold City harmless against any claims related to Permittee's operation, maintenance, repair, and replacement of Non-standard Elements.

#### 5.5 Permittee's Maintenance, Liability, and Notice Responsibilities.

The Permittee's maintenance responsibility shall be limited to the portion of the Permit Area, as described and shown in the attachments and as determined by the Director, and its immediate vicinity, including any sidewalk damage directly related to the Improvement or Permitted Activities. If it is unclear whether sidewalk maintenance is the responsibility of Permittee or a Fronting Property Owner who is not the Permittee under Public Works Code Section 706, the Department shall determine which party or parties are responsible. If the situation so warrants, the Department may assign responsibility for sidewalk maintenance to one or more parties, including a Fronting Property Owner who is not the Permittee.

If Permittee is the Fronting Property Owner, Permittee must notify any successor owner(s) of the existence of the Permit and the successor owner's obligations at the time of closing on the subject property. In addition, prior to the time of closing on the subject property, Permittee shall record a Notice of Assignment that provides constructive notice to any successor owner(s) of the Permit and the Permittee's responsibilities thereunder.

#### **5.6** Annual Certification of Insurance

Upon receipt of a written request by the Department, but no more than annually, Permittee shall submit written evidence to the Department indicating that the requirements of Section 7 (Insurance) and, if applicable, Section 8 (Security), have been satisfied.

## 5.7 Damage to and Cleanliness and Restoration of Permit Area and City Owned or Controlled Property

Permittee, at all times, shall maintain the Permit Area in a clean and orderly manner to the satisfaction of the Director. Following any construction activities or other activities on the Permit Area, Permittee shall remove all debris and any excess dirt from the Permit Area and Improvements.

If any portion of the Permit Area, any City-owned or controlled property located adjacent to the Permit Area, including other publicly dedicated PROW, or private property in the vicinity of the Permit Area is damaged by any of the activities conducted by Permittee hereunder, Permittee shall immediately, at its sole cost, repair any and all such damage and restore the Permit Area or affected property to its previous condition to the satisfaction of the Director.

#### 5.8 Excavation or Temporary Encroachment within the Permit Area

Permittee acknowledges its maintenance responsibility following any excavation or temporary encroachment of any portion or portions of the Permit Area as described below.

**5.8A** Excavation by City or UCP Holders. After providing public notice according to Article 2.4 of the Public Works Code, any City Agency or Public Utility may excavate within the PROW, which may include portions of the Permit Area. A "City Agency" shall include, but not be limited to, the SFPUC, SFMTA, and any City authorized contractor or agent, or their sub-contractor. "Public Utility" shall include any company or entity currently holding a valid Utility Conditions Permit ("UCP") or a valid franchise with the City or the California Public Utilities Commission. Permittee acknowledges that it will provide and not obstruct access to any utilities and facilities owned and operated by any City Agency or a Public Utility at any time within the Permit Area for maintenance, repair, and/or replacement.

Emergency work. In the case of an emergency, a City Agency or Public Utility need not notify the Permittee of the work until after the emergency situation has been abated at which point the Department will strive to cooperate with affected City department to provide written notice to the Permittee concerning the emergency work.

In the performance of any excavation in the Permit Area by a City Agency or Public Utility, it shall be the responsibility of the Permittee to coordinate with the City Agency or Public Utility and restore the site to the condition specified on the Construction Plans, provided, however, the excavator shall implement commercially reasonable precautions to protect the Permit Area and any Improvements located within the Permit Area from injury or damage during the excavation or future work. Following excavation by a City Agency or Public Utility, (a) in the case where there are Non-standard Elements the excavator shall only be obligated to back-fill and patch the site to a safe condition; (b) in the case there are only City Standard materials the excavator shall be obligated to backfill the site to a safe condition, and where feasible restore the site to City Standards. The City Agency or Public Utility shall not replace Non-standard Elements or other Improvements that the City or Public Utility may remove or damage in connection with such excavation or site access unless it is feasible to restore the site to City Standard. Permittee shall be responsible for and bear all costs for the restoration of all disturbed Non-standard Elements and the other Improvements that a City Agency or Public Utility cannot feasibly restore to the condition as specified on the Construction Plans.

In the case where the excavated portion of the Permit Area consists of only City Standard materials, the City Agency or Public Utility shall complete its restoration work within thirty (30) calendar days following the completion of the excavation or temporary encroachment; provided, however, to the extent that such restoration cannot be completed within such thirty (30) calendar day period due to weather or unforeseen circumstances, then such period shall be extended provided that the excavator has commenced and is diligently pursuing such restoration.

In the case where the excavated portion of the Permit Area consists partially or fully of non-standard materials, the Permittee shall restore or cause to be restored the Improvements in the excavated portions of the Permit Area to the condition specified on the design for the Improvements within thirty (30) calendar days after the issuance of any permits required by the City; provided, however, to the extent that such restoration cannot be completed using commercially reasonable efforts within such thirty (30) calendar day period, then the Department shall extend such period provided that the Permittee has commenced and is diligently pursuing such restoration.

The Permittee shall not seek or pursue compensation from a City Agency or a Public Utility for Permittee's coordination of work or the inability to use of the Permit Area for the duration of excavation or occupancy.

5.8B Excavation by Private Parties. Following any excavation of any portion or portions of the Permit Area by a private party (e.g., contractor, property owner, or resident), it shall be the responsibility of the private party and the Permittee to coordinate the restoration of the site and the private party shall bear all the cost of restoration; provided, however, that in all events the private party shall be required to restore the excavated portion or portions of the Permit Area to the condition specified on the design for the Improvements within thirty (30) calendar days after completion of the excavation or temporary encroachment, provided, however, to the extent that such restoration cannot be completed using commercially reasonable efforts within such thirty (30) calendar day period, then the Department shall extend such period provided that the private party has commenced and is diligently pursuing such restoration.

If the private party fails to perform such restoration, then the Permittee should notify the Department of such failure in writing and allow any Departmental corrective procedures to conclude prior to pursuing any and all claims against such private party related thereto should the permittee have such third-party rights. The City, through its separate permit process with that private party, shall require that private party to bear all the costs of restoration and cooperate with the Permittee on how the restoration is performed and how any costs that the Permittee assumes for work performed (time and materials) are reimbursed.

The Permittee only shall seek or pursue compensation for work performed (time and materials) and shall not seek or request compensation for coordination or the inability to use the Permit Area for the duration of excavation or occupancy, provided that Permittee is provided with access to Permittee's property.

5.8C Temporary Encroachments for Entities Other Than Permittee. In the case of temporary encroachments, which may include the temporary occupancy of portions of the Permit Area or the temporary relocation of Improvements (elements or fixtures) from the Permit Area, Permittee shall work collaboratively with the entity that will be temporarily encroaching the Permit Area ("Temporary Encroacher") to coordinate the temporary removal and storage of the Improvements from the affected portion of the Permit Area, when necessary. It shall be the responsibility of the Temporary Encroacher to protect in-place any undisturbed portion of the Permit Area.

Where the Temporary Encroacher is a private party, the private party shall be responsible for any costs for removal, storage, and maintenance of the Improvements, and restoration associated with restoration of the Permit Areas. The obligation to coordinate and restore under this section shall be a condition of the City permit issued to the Temporary Encroacher. If the Temporary Encroacher fails to coordinate with Permittee and compensate the Permittee or restore the Permit Area, then the Permittee should notify the Department of such failure in writing.

The Permittee may only seek or pursue compensation for costs incurred (time and materials) to temporarily relocate and replace Improvements, and shall not seek or request compensation for coordination or the inability to use the Permit Area for the duration of the Temporary Encroacher's occupancy.

Where the Temporary Encroacher is a City Agency or a Public Utility, Permittee shall be responsible for any costs for removal, storage, maintenance, and restoration associated with the Improvements and any associated areas within the Permit Area, and the City Agency or Public Utility, as applicable, shall be responsible for restoration of any standard City features or Improvements that are feasible to restore. The City Agency or the Public Utility or its contractors shall not be responsible for Permittee's temporary removal and storage costs.

The Permittee shall be responsible for ensuring the Permit Area has been restored the Permit Area has been restored within thirty (30) calendar days following the completion of the temporary encroachment; provided, however, to the extent that such restoration cannot be completed using commercially reasonable efforts within such thirty (30) calendar day period, then such period shall be extended provided that the Permittee has commenced and is diligently pursuing such restoration.

**5.8D** Additional Time to Complete Site Restoration Where Future Work Is Anticipated. Prior to the Permittee's undertaking of any restoration of the applicable portion of the Permit Area to the conditions specified in the Construction Plans, the Permittee and the City shall confer as to whether any party (e.g., any City Agency, Public Utility, or private party) intends to perform any future work (e.g., any excavation or temporary encroachment) that would be likely to damage, disrupt, disturb or interfere with any restoration of the Permit Area.

If such future work is anticipated within six (6) months following completion of any then proposed excavation or temporary encroachment, then the Permittee's deadline for restoring the site shall be automatically extended. The Permittee may submit to the Department a written request for an extension to the restoration deadline if future work is anticipated to commence more than six (6) months from the completion of the prior excavation and temporary encroachment. If the restoration deadline is extended as set forth above, then the Permittee shall be obligated to complete the restoration within the timeframes specified in this Agreement.

#### 5.9 Permit Revocation; Termination; Modification of Agreement

#### **5.9A** Permit Revocation or Termination.

Permittee acknowledges and agrees that the obligations of the Permittee, successor owner(s), or Permittee's successor(s) in interest to perform the Permitted Activities shall continue for the term of the Permit. The City reserves the right to revoke the Permit under the procedures set forth in the Public Works Code Sections 786 et seq. and, if applicable, as specified in the Board of Supervisors or Public Works Director's approval of this permit.

If the Permit is terminated by Permittee or revoked or terminated by City (each an "MEP Termination Event") with respect to a portion or portions of the Permit Area, Permittee shall convert the Improvements therein to a condition specified by City for a standard PROW or as the

Director of Public Works deems appropriate under the circumstances, at Permittee's sole cost (the "**Right-of-Way Conversion**") by (i) applying for, and providing the materials necessary to obtain, a street improvement permit or other authorization from City for the performance of such conversion work; (ii) performing such conversion work pursuant to the terms and conditions of such street improvement permit or other City authorization; and (iii) warrantying that the conversion work meets the standards required by a Public Works street improvement permit with a duration not less than one (1) year from the date Public Works confirms that the work is complete.

A termination or revocation of the Permit under the procedures set forth in Public Works Code Sections 786 et seq. shall result in an automatic termination of this Agreement as to the affected portion of the Permit Area, and all of Permittee's responsibilities and obligations hereunder shall terminate, unless otherwise provided for in this Agreement. The City may partially terminate or revoke the Permit as to those portions of the Permit Area subject to default and the City may elect to allow the Permit to remain effective as to all portions of the Permit Area that are not subject to default.

[The obligation of Permittee, successor owner, or Permittee's successor in interest to remove the Improvements and restore the PROW to a condition satisfactory to Director of Public Works shall survive the revocation, expiration, or termination of this Permit. Upon completion of the Right-of-Way Conversion, and subject to Section 5.9B, Permittee shall have no further obligations under the Permit for the portion of the Permit Area subject to the Right-of-Way Conversion and to the extent the Director has agreed to terminate the Permittee's obligations in regard to all or a portion of the Right-of-Way Conversion, except as to any applicable warranty.

The City and any and all City subdivisions or agencies shall be released from the responsibility to maintain the existence of the Improvements and shall not be required to preserve or maintain the Improvements in any capacity following the termination or revocation of the Permit unless the Department, in its discretion and in accordance with this Agreement, agrees to an alternative procedure.

#### 5.9B Modification or Termination of the Agreement.

- (a) This Agreement shall continue and remain in full force and effect at all times in perpetuity, except if City elects to terminate Permittee's maintenance obligations pursuant to this Section 5.9B and provides written notice to the address provided in Section 2.7. Under such circumstances, this Agreement shall terminate at the time specified in such written notice with exception to those terms as specified in this Agreement that apply to the any remaining Permit obligations. City shall record evidence of any such termination of this Agreement in the Official Records of San Francisco County.
- (b) At any time during the term of the Permit, Permittee may request to amend the scope of such Permitted Activities through a written amendment to this Agreement. The Director, in his or her sole discretion, may approve, approve with conditions, or deny the requested amendment. If the Director approves an amendment, both parties shall execute and record the approved amendment. Further, Permittee and Director may, but are not required to, execute a written modification of this Agreement to provide for the Department's maintenance of a portion or all of

the Improvements as described in the Permit Area (Attachment 2). In the event of such modification of this Agreement, Department may require Permittee to pay the Department for the cost of maintaining specified Improvements as described in the Maintenance Plan (defined in Section 2.8) and Attachment 3. The Director's written modification shall, among other relevant terms, identify the specific portion of the Improvements that the Department shall maintain and the terms of Permittee's payments.

(c) In addition, Permittee and City may mutually elect to modify Permittee's obligation to perform the Right-of-Way Conversion described in Section 5.9.A including any modification necessary to address any Improvements that cannot be modified or replaced with a PROW improvement built according to the City's standard specifications. Any such modification may include, but not be limited to, Permittee's agreement to convert, at its sole cost, specified Improvements to a PROW built according to the City's standard specifications while leaving other specified Improvements in their as-is condition, with Permittee assuming a continuing obligation to pay for City's costs to maintain and replace such remaining Improvements. In addition, any such modification may address any applicable City requirements for maintenance security payment obligations and City's acquisition of specialized equipment needed to perform the maintenance work, however, no such specialized equipment shall be required for Improvements built to City standards. If City and the Permittee mutually agree to any modification to the Rightof-Way Conversion that results in Permittee assuming such a maintenance payment obligation, Permittee shall execute and acknowledge, and City shall have the right to record in the Official Records of San Francisco County, an amendment to this Agreement that details such payment obligation.

#### **5.10** Green Maintenance Requirements

In performing any Permitted Activities that require cleaning materials or tools, Permittee, to the extent commercially reasonable, shall use cleaning materials or tools selected from the Approved Alternatives List created by City under San Francisco Environmental Code, Chapter 2, or any other material or tool approved by the Director. Permittee shall properly dispose of such cleaning materials or tools.

#### 6. USE RESTRICTIONS

Permittee agrees that the following uses of the PROW by Permittee or any other person claiming by or through Permittee are inconsistent with the limited purpose of this Agreement and are strictly prohibited as provided below. The list of prohibited uses includes, but is not limited to, the following uses.

#### 6.1 Improvements

Other than the approved Improvements, Permittee shall not make, construct, or place any temporary or permanent alterations, installations, additions, or improvements on the PROW, structural or otherwise, nor alter any existing structures or improvements on the PROW (each, a "**Proposed Alteration**"), without the Director's prior written consent in each instance. The inkind replacement or repair of existing Improvements shall not be deemed a Proposed Alteration.

Permittee may request approval of a Proposed Alteration. The Director shall have a period of twenty (20) business days from receipt of request for approval of a Proposed Alteration to review and approve or deny such request for approval. Should the Director fail to respond to such request within said twenty (20) business day period, Permittee's Proposed Alteration shall be deemed disapproved. In requesting the Director's approval of a Proposed Alteration, Permittee acknowledges that the Director's approval of such Proposed Alteration may be conditioned on Permittee's compliance with specific installation requirements and Permittee's performance of specific on-going maintenance thereof or other affected PROW. If Permittee does not agree with the Director's installation or maintenance requirements for any Proposed Alteration, Permittee shall not perform the Proposed Alteration. If Permittee agrees with the Director's installation or maintenance requirements for any Proposed Alteration, prior to Permittee's commencement of such Proposed Alteration, Permittee and the Director shall enter into a written amendment to this Agreement that modifies the Permitted Activities to include such requirements. Prior approval from the Director shall not be required for any repairs made pursuant to and in accordance with the Permitted Activities.

If Permittee performs any City-approved Proposed Alteration, Permittee shall comply with all of the applicable terms and conditions of this Agreement, including, but not limited to, any and all conditions of approval of the Proposed Alteration(s).

Permittee shall obtain all necessary permits and authorizations from the Department and other regulatory agencies prior to commencing work for the Proposed Alteration. The Director's decision regarding a Proposed Alteration shall be final and not appealable.

#### 6.2 Dumping

Permittee shall not dump or dispose of refuse or other unsightly materials on, in, under, or about the PROW.

#### **6.3** Hazardous Material

Permittee shall not cause, nor shall Permittee allow any of its agents to cause, any Hazardous Material (as defined below) to be brought upon, kept, used, stored, generated, or disposed of in, on, or about the PROW, or transported to or from the PROW. Permittee shall immediately notify City if Permittee learns or has reason to believe that a release of Hazardous Material has occurred in, on, or about the PROW. In the event Permittee or its agents cause a release of Hazardous Material in, on, or about the PROW, Permittee shall, without cost to City and in accordance with all laws and regulations, (i) comply with all laws requiring notice of such releases or threatened releases to governmental agencies, and shall take all action necessary to mitigate the release or minimize the spread of contamination, and (ii) return the PROW to a condition which complies with applicable law. In connection therewith, Permittee shall afford City a full opportunity to participate in any discussion with governmental agencies regarding any settlement agreement, cleanup or abatement agreement, consent decree or other compromise proceeding involving Hazardous Material. For purposes hereof, "Hazardous Material" means material that, because of its quantity, concentration, or physical or chemical characteristics, is at any time now or hereafter deemed by any federal, state, or local governmental authority to pose a

present or potential hazard to public health, welfare, or the environment. Hazardous Material includes, without limitation, any material or substance defined as a "hazardous substance, pollutant or contaminant" pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Sections 9601 et seq., or pursuant to Section 25316 of the California Health & Safety Code; a "hazardous waste" listed pursuant to Section 25140 of the California Health & Safety Code; any asbestos and asbestos containing materials whether or not such materials are part of the PROW or are naturally occurring substances in the PROW, and any petroleum, including, without limitation, crude oil or any fraction thereof, natural gas or natural gas liquids. The term "release" or "threatened release" when used with respect to Hazardous Material shall include any actual or imminent spilling, leaking, pumping, pouring, emitting, emptying, discharging, injecting, escaping, leaching, dumping, or disposing in, on, under, or about the PROW.

Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, if the Director determines that neither Permittee nor its agents caused the release or threatened release of the Hazardous Material, Permittee shall have no liability whatsoever (including, without limitation, the costs of any investigation, any required or necessary repair, replacement, remediation, cleanup or detoxification, or preparation and implementation of any closure, monitoring, or other required plans) with respect to any release or threatened release of any Hazardous Material on, in, under or about the PROW. If the Director finds that neither Permittee nor its agents was the source and did not cause the release of such Hazardous Material, Permittee shall not be listed or identified as the generator or responsible party of any waste required to be removed from the PROW, and will not sign any manifests or similar environmental documentation, with respect to any Environmental Condition (as hereinafter defined). "Environmental Condition" shall mean any adverse condition relating to the release or discharge of any Hazardous Materials on, in, under, or about the PROW by any party other than Permittee or its agents.

#### 6.4 Nuisances

Permittee shall not conduct any activities on or about the PROW that constitute waste, nuisance, or unreasonable annoyance (including, without limitation, emission of objectionable odors, noises, or lights) to City, to the owners or occupants of neighboring property, or to the public. The parties hereby acknowledge that customary use of landscaping and similar equipment (such as lawn mowers, clippers, hedge trimmers, leaf blowers, etc.) that would typically be used to perform the Permitted Activities shall not be considered a nuisance under this Section 6.4 if such equipment is used in compliance with all applicable laws.

#### 6.5 Damage

Permittee shall use due care at all times to avoid causing damage to any of the PROW or any of City's property, fixtures, or encroachments thereon. If any of the Permitted Activities or Permittee's other activities at the PROW causes such damage, Permittee shall notify City, and, if directed by City, restore such damaged property or PROW to the condition it was in prior to the commencement of such Permittee activity to the Director's satisfaction; or, if the City chooses to restore the damaged property, Permittee shall reimburse City for its costs of restoration.

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#### 7. INSURANCE

- **7.1** As described below, Permittee shall procure and keep insurance in effect at all times during the term of this Agreement, at Permittee's own expense, and cause its contractors and subcontractors to maintain insurance at all times, during Permittee's or its contractor's performance of any of the Permitted Activities on the PROW. If Permittee fails to maintain the insurance in active status, such failure shall be a Permit default subject to the Department's to enforcement remedies. The insurance policy shall be maintained and updated annually to comply with the Department's applicable requirements. The following Sections represent the minimum insurance standard as of the Effective Date of this Permit.
- **7.1A** An insurance policy or insurance policies issued by insurers with ratings comparable to A-VIII, or higher that are authorized to do business in the State of California, and that are satisfactory to the City. Approval of the insurance by City shall not relieve or decrease Permittee's liability hereunder;
- **7.1B** Commercial General Liability Insurance written on an Insurance Services Office (ISO) Coverage form CG 00 01 or another form providing equivalent coverage with limits not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) each occurrence and Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) in the aggregate for bodily injury and property damage, including coverages for contractual liability, personal injury, products and completed operations, independent permittees, and broad form property damage;
- **7.1C** Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance with limits not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) each occurrence, combined single limit for bodily injury and property damage, including coverages for owned, non-owned, and hired automobiles, as applicable for any vehicles brought onto PROW; and
- **7.1D** Workers' Compensation Insurance, in statutory amounts, with Employer's Liability Coverage with limits of not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) each accident, injury, or illness.
- **7.2** All liability policies required hereunder shall provide for the following: (i) name as additional insured the City and County of San Francisco, its officers, agents, and employees, jointly and severally; (ii) specify that such policies are primary insurance to any other insurance available to the additional insureds, with respect to any claims arising out of this Agreement; and (iii) stipulate that no other insurance policy of the City and County of San Francisco will be called on to contribute to a loss covered hereunder.
- **7.3** Limits may be provided through a combination of primary and excess insurance policies. Such policies shall also provide for severability of interests and that an act or omission of one of the named insureds which would void or otherwise reduce coverage shall not reduce or void the coverage as to any insured, and shall afford coverage for all claims based on acts, omissions, injury, or damage which occurred or arose (or the onset of which occurred or arose) in whole or in part during the policy period.

- All insurance policies shall be endorsed to provide for thirty (30) days' prior written notice of cancellation for any reason, non-renewal or material reduction in coverage, or depletion of insurance limits, except for ten (10) days' notice for cancellation due to non-payment of premium, to both Permittee and City. Permittee shall provide a copy of any notice of intent to cancel or materially reduce, or cancellation, material reduction, or depletion of, its required coverage to Department within one business day of Permittee's receipt. Permittee also shall take prompt action to prevent cancellation, material reduction, or depletion of coverage, reinstate or replenish the cancelled, reduced or depleted coverage, or obtain the full coverage required by this Section from a different insurer meeting the qualifications of this Section. Notices shall be sent to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Street Use and Mapping, 1155 Market Street, 3rd Floor, San Francisco, CA, 94103, or any future address for the Bureau. The permission granted by the Permit shall be suspended upon the termination of such insurance. Upon such suspension, the Department and Permittee shall meet and confer to determine the most appropriate way to address the Permit. If the Department and Permittee cannot resolve the matter, the Permittee shall restore the PROW to a condition acceptable to the Department without expense to the Department. As used in this Section, "Personal Injuries" shall include wrongful death.
- 7.5 Prior to the Effective Date, Permittee shall deliver to the Department certificates of insurance and additional insured policy endorsements from insurers in a form reasonably satisfactory to Department, evidencing the coverages required hereunder. Permittee shall furnish complete copies of the policies upon written request from City's Risk Manager. In the event Permittee shall fail to procure such insurance, or to deliver such certificates or policies (following written request), Department shall provide notice to Permittee of such failure and if Permittee has not procured such insurance or delivered such certificates within five (5) days following such notice, City may initiate proceedings to revoke the permit and require restoration of the PROW to a condition that the Director deems appropriate.
- **7.6** Should any of the required insurance be provided under a form of coverage that includes a general annual aggregate limit or provides that claims investigation or legal defense costs be included in such general annual aggregate limit, such general aggregate limit shall double the occurrence or claims limits specified above.
- 7.7 Should any of the required insurance be provided under a claims-made form, Permittee shall maintain such coverage continuously throughout the term of this Agreement and, without lapse, for a period of three (3) years beyond the expiration of this Agreement, to the effect that, should any occurrences during the term of this Agreement give rise to claims made after expiration of this Agreement, such claims shall be covered by such claims-made policies.
- **7.8** Upon City's request, Permittee and City shall periodically review the limits and types of insurance carried pursuant to this Section. If the general commercial practice in the City and County of San Francisco is to carry liability insurance in an amount or coverage materially greater than the amount or coverage then being carried by Permittee for risks comparable to those associated with the PROW, then City in its sole discretion may require Permittee to increase the amounts or coverage carried by Permittee hereunder to conform to such general commercial practice.

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- **7.9** Permittee's compliance with the provisions of this Section shall in no way relieve or decrease Permittee's indemnification obligations under this Agreement or any of Permittee's other obligations hereunder. Permittee shall be responsible, at its expense, for separately insuring Permittee's personal property.
- 8. VIOLATIONS; CITY ENFORCEMENT OF PERMIT AND AGREEMENT; SECURITY DEPOSIT. Permittee acknowledges that the Department may pursue the remedies described in this Section in order to address a default by Permittee of any obligation under this Permit with respect to any Permit Area for which Permittee is responsible pursuant to the relevant Notice of Assignment, if applicable. In addition to the procedures below and as set forth in Section 5.4B, if Permittee fails to promptly respond to an unsafe or hazardous condition or to restore the site within the time the Department specifies, the Department may perform the temporary repair or restoration in order to protect the public health, safety, and welfare. Permittee shall reimburse the Department for any such temporary repair or restoration.
- (a) <u>Correction Notice (CN)</u>. The Department may issue a written notice informing Permittee that there is an unsafe, hazardous, damaged, or blighted condition within the Permit Area, or stating that the Permittee has otherwise failed to maintain the Permit Area as required by this Permit or stating that the Permittee has otherwise failed to comply with a term or terms of this Agreement ("Correction Notice"). The Correction Notice shall identify the issue, deficiency, or maintenance obligation that is the subject of the notice with reasonable particularity and specify the time for correction, which shall be no less than thirty (30) days; provided, however, to the extent that such correction cannot be completed using reasonable efforts within the initially specified timeframe, then such period shall be extended provided that the Permittee has commenced and is diligently pursuing such correction. In the event of an emergency or other situation presenting a threat to public health, safety, or welfare, the Director may require correction in less than thirty (30) days.

#### (b) Notice of Violation (NOV).

- (i) The Department may issue a written notice of violation to the Permittee for failure to maintain the Permit Area and creating an unsafe, hazardous, damaged, or blighted condition within the Permit Area, failure to comply with the terms of this agreement, or failure to respond to the Correction Notice by abating the identified condition(s) within the time specified therein. The NOV shall identify each violation and any fines imposed per applicable code(s) or Agreement sections and specify the timeframe in which to cure the violation and pay the referenced fines ("Notice of Violation"), thirty (30) days if not specified.
- (ii) Permittee shall have ten (10) days to submit to the Department, addressed to the Director via BSM Inspection Manager at 1155 Market St, 3rd Floor, San Francisco, CA 94103, or future Bureau address, a written appeal to the NOV or a written request for administrative review of specific items. If Permittee submits said appeal or request for review, the Director shall hold a public hearing on the dispute in front of an administrative hearing officer. The Director shall then issue a final written decision on his or her determination to approve, conditionally approve, modify, or deny the appeal based on the recommendation of the hearing officer and the information presented at the time of the hearing.

- (c) <u>Uncured Default</u>. If the violation described in the Notice of Violation is not cured within ten (10) days after the latter of (1) the expiration of the Notice of Violation appeal period or (2) the written decision by the Director following the hearing to uphold the Notice of Violation or sections thereof, said violation shall be deemed an "**Uncured Default**." In the event of an Uncured Default, the Director may undertake either or both of the following:
- (i) Cure the Uncured Default and issue a written demand to Permittee to pay the Department's actual reasonable costs to remedy said default in addition to any fines or penalties described in the Notice of Violation within ten (10) days (each such notice shall be referred to as a "Payment Demand").
- (ii) Notify Permittee that it must submit a Security Deposit (as defined in Section 8(d)) for the maintenance obligation that is the subject of the Notice of Violation. Alternatively, the Director may initiate the procedures under Public Works Code Section 786 to revoke the Permit with respect to the particular portion of the Permit Area that is the subject of the Notice of Violation and require a Right-of-Way Conversion (as defined in Section 5.9.A) with respect to that area, in the Director's discretion.

#### (d) Security Deposit Required for Uncured Default.

If there is an Uncured Default as defined in Section 8(c) of this Agreement, then within thirty (30) business days of the Director's request, Permittee shall deposit with the Department via the Permit Manager of the Bureau of Street Use and Mapping (or successor Bureau) the sum of no less than twice the annual cost of maintenance as set forth in the Maintenance Plan on file with the Director (the "Security Deposit") with respect to the maintenance obligation that is the subject of the Uncured Default, to secure Permittee's faithful performance of all terms and conditions of this Agreement, including, without limitation, its obligation to maintain the PROW in the condition that the Director deems acceptable. When Permittee delivers the Security Deposit to the Department pursuant to the foregoing sentence, the Department shall have the right to require Permittee to proportionately increase the amount of the Security Deposit by an amount that reflects the increase in the Consumer Price Index Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (base years 1982-1984 = 100) for San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose area published by the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics ("Index") published most immediately preceding the date the amount of the Security Deposit was established and the Index published most immediately preceding the date the Department delivers written notice of the increase in the Security Deposit. The amount of the Security Deposit shall not limit Permittee's obligations under this Agreement.

Permittee agrees that the Department may, but shall not be required to, apply the Security Deposit in whole or in part to remedy any damage to the PROW caused by Permittee, its agents, or the general public using the Permit Area to the extent that the Director of Public Works required Permittee to perform such remediation under this Agreement and Permittee failed to do so, or Permittee failed to perform any other terms, covenants, or conditions contained herein (including, but not limited to, the payment of any sum due to the Department hereunder either before or after a default). Notwithstanding the preceding, the Department does not waive any of the Department's other rights and remedies hereunder or at law or in equity against the Permittee should Department use all or a portion of the Security Deposit. Upon termination of the Permitted Activities after an

MEP Termination Event as described herein, the Department shall return any unapplied portion of the Security Deposit to Permittee, less any administrative processing cost.

Should the Department use any portion of the Security Deposit to cure any Uncured Default, Permittee shall replenish the Security Deposit to the original amount within ten (10) days of the date of a written demand from the Department for reimbursement of the Security Deposit. Subject to the following sentence, the Permittee's obligation to replenish the Security Deposit shall continue for two (2) years from the date of the initial payment of the Security Deposit unless the Director, in his or her sole discretion, agrees to a shorter period; provided, however, that if the Director does not issue a new Notice of Violation related to the issues triggering the MEP Termination Event for a period of one year from the date of the initial payment of the Security Deposit, then, upon Permittee's written request, the Director shall submit a check request to City's Controller's Office to have any remaining Security Deposit, less any administrative processing cost, delivered to Permittee. The Department's obligations with respect to the Security Deposit are solely that of debtor and not trustee. The Department shall not be required to keep the Security Deposit separate from its general funds, and Permittee shall not be entitled to interest on the Security Deposit. The amount of the Security Deposit shall in no way limit the liabilities of Permittee under any provision of the Permit or this Agreement. Upon termination of the Permitted Activities after an MEP Termination Event, the Department shall return any unapplied portion of the Security Deposit to Permittee, less any administrative processing cost.

(e) <u>Demand for Uncured Default Costs</u>. Where the Permittee, or the owner of the Fronting Property associated with the Permit Area that is the subject of the Notice of Violation, has failed to timely remit the funds described in a Payment Demand, the Security Deposit, or to pay the City's costs associated with the City's performance of a Right-of-Way Conversion (collectively, "**Uncured Default Costs**"), the Director may initiate lien proceedings against the Fronting Property Owner for the amount of the Uncured Default Costs pursuant to Public Works Code Sections 706.4 through 706.7, Public Works Code Section 706.9, Administrative Code Section 80.8(d), or any other remedy in equity or at law.

#### 9. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS

Permittee shall, at its expense, conduct and cause to be conducted all activities under its control on the PROW allowed hereunder in a safe and prudent manner and in compliance with all laws, regulations, codes, ordinances, and orders of any governmental or other regulatory entity (including, without limitation, the Americans with Disabilities Act and any other disability access laws), whether presently in effect or subsequently adopted and whether or not in the contemplation of the parties. Permittee shall, at its sole expense, procure and maintain in force at all times during its use of the PROW any and all business and other licenses or approvals necessary to conduct the Permitted Activities. Nothing herein shall limit in any way Permittee's obligation to obtain any required regulatory approvals from City departments, boards, or commissions or other governmental regulatory authorities or limit in any way City's exercise of its police powers. At the Director's written request, Permittee shall deliver written evidence of any such regulatory approvals Permittee is required to obtain for any of the Permitted Activities.

#### 10. SIGNS

Permittee shall not place, erect, or maintain any sign, advertisement, banner, or similar object on or about the PROW without the Director's written prior consent, which the Director may give or withhold in its sole discretion; provided, however, that Permittee may install any temporary sign that is reasonably necessary to protect public health or safety during the performance of a Permitted Activity.

#### 11. UTILITIES

The Permittee shall be responsible for locating and protecting in place all above and below grade utilities from damage, when Permittee, or its authorized agent, elects to perform any work in, on, or adjacent to the Permit Area. If necessary, prior to or during the Permittee's execution of any work, including Permitted Activities, a utility requires temporary or permanent relocation, the Permittee shall obtain written approval from the utility owner and shall arrange and pay for all costs for relocation. If Permittee damages any utility during execution of its work, the Permittee shall notify the utility owner and arrange and pay for all costs for repair. Permittee shall be solely responsible for arranging and paying directly to the City or utility company for any utilities or services necessary for its activities hereunder.

Permittee shall be responsible for installing, maintaining, and paying for utility services necessary to support any Improvements, such as light fixtures, water fountains, storm drains, etc. in the Permit Area that are included in the Permit.

#### 12. NO COSTS TO CITY; NO LIENS

Permittee shall bear all costs or expenses of any kind or nature in connection with its use of the PROW pursuant to this Agreement, and shall keep the PROW free and clear of any liens or claims of lien arising out of or in any way connected with its (and not others') use of the PROW pursuant to this Agreement.

## 13. "AS IS, WHERE IS, WITH ALL FAULTS" CONDITION OF PROW; DISABILITY ACCESS; DISCLAIMER OF REPRESENTATIONS

Permittee acknowledges and agrees that Permittee shall install the Improvements contemplated in the permit application for the Improvements and has full knowledge of the condition of the Improvements and the physical condition of the PROW. Permittee agrees to use the PROW in its "AS IS, WHERE IS, WITH ALL FAULTS" condition, without representation or warranty of any kind by City, its officers, agents, or employees, including, without limitation, the suitability, safety, or duration of availability of the PROW or any facilities on the PROW for Permittee's performance of the Permitted Activities. Without limiting the foregoing, this Agreement is made subject to all applicable laws, rules, and ordinances governing the use of the PROW, and to any and all covenants, conditions, restrictions, encroachments, occupancy, permits, and other matters affecting the PROW, whether foreseen or unforeseen, and whether such matters are of record or would be disclosed by an accurate inspection or survey. It is Permittee's sole obligation to conduct an independent investigation of the PROW and all matters relating to its use of the PROW hereunder, including, without limitation, the suitability of the PROW for such uses. Permittee, at its own expense, shall obtain such permission or other approvals from any third

parties with existing rights as may be necessary for Permittee to make use of the PROW in the manner contemplated hereby.

Under California Civil Code Section 1938, to the extent applicable to this Agreement, Permittee is hereby advised that the PROW has not undergone inspection by a Certified Access Specialist ("CAS") to determine whether it meets all applicable construction-related accessibility requirements.

## 14. TERMS OF ASSIGNMENT; PERMIT BINDING UPON SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNEES; NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT

(a) This Agreement shall be the obligation of Permittee and each future fee owner of all or any of the Permittee's Property, and may not be assigned, conveyed, or otherwise transferred to any other party, including a homeowners' association or commercial owners' association established for the benefit of the Permittee, unless approved in writing by the Director. This Agreement shall bind Permittee, its successors and assignees, including all future fee owners of all or any portion of the Fronting Property, with each successor or assignee being deemed to have assumed the obligations under this Agreement at the time of acquisition of fee ownership or assignment; provided, however, that if any or all of the Fronting Property is converted into condominiums, the obligations of Permittee under this Agreement shall be those of the homeowners' association or commercial owners' association established for such condominiums, except the individual owners of such condominiums shall assume the Permittee's obligations in the event the homeowners association ceases to exist or fails to remit the Uncured Default Costs in the time that the Director specifies in the Payment Demand.

It is intended that this Agreement binds the Permittee and all future fee owners of all or any of the Fronting Property only during their respective successive periods of ownership; and therefore, the rights and obligations of any Permittee or its respective successors and assignees under this Agreement shall terminate upon transfer, expiration, or termination of its interest in the Fronting Property, except that its liability for any violations of the requirements or restrictions of this Agreement, or any acts or omissions during such ownership, shall survive any transfer, expiration, or termination of its interest in the Fronting Property.

Subject to the approval of the Director, which shall not unreasonably be withheld, Permittee may assign this permit to a homeowners' association (for residential or mixed-use properties), a commercial owners' association (for commercial properties) or a master association with jurisdiction over the Fronting Property by submitting a "Notice of Assignment" to the Department.

#### The **Notice of Assignment** shall include:

- (1) Identification of the Assignee and written acknowledgment of the Assignee's acceptance of the responsibilities under this Permit;
- (2) The contact person for the Assignee and the contact information as required under Section 2.7;

- (3) If the Assignee is a homeowners' association or commercial owners' association, a copy of recorded CC&Rs, if there are such CC&Rs evidencing (a) the homeowners association's or commercial owners association's obligation to accept maintenance responsibility for the subject Improvements consistent with this Agreement upon assignment; and (b) City's right to enforce maintenance obligations as a third-party beneficiary under such CC&Rs and the San Francisco Municipal Code; and
- (4) A statement identifying whether a Community Facilities District or other Special Tax Entity will expend monetary or staff resources on the Permit area for maintenance or other activities:
- (5) A copy of the Assignee's general liability insurance that satisfies Section 7 and security under Section 8 if applicable;
- (6) For encroachments with a construction cost of \$1 million or greater, Assignee must provide security in the form of a bond, other form of security acceptable to the Department, or payment into the Maintenance Endowment Fund in an amount required to restore the public right-of-way to a condition satisfactory to the Public Works Director based on a cost that the City Engineer determines; and
- (7) Any other considerations necessary to promote the health, safety, welfare, including demonstration to the Director's satisfaction that the Assignee has the monetary and/or staff resources are available and committed to perform the maintenance obligation.

Permittee shall submit to Public Works a Notice of Assignment in a form acceptable to Public Works. Prior to approval from the Director, the Department shall provide a written determination that the proposed assignee satisfies Section 7 (Insurance) and Section 8 (Security). Following such assignment, the obligations of the assigning Permittee shall be deemed released and the assigning Permittee shall have no obligations under this Agreement.

(b) <u>Lender</u>. A "**Lender**" means the beneficiary named in any deed of trust that encumbers all or a portion of the Fronting Property and is recorded in the Official Records of San Francisco County (the "Deed of Trust"). All rights in the Fronting Property acquired by any party pursuant to a Deed of Trust shall be subject to each and all of the requirements and obligations of the Permit and this Agreement and to all rights of City hereunder. Any Lender that takes possession or acquires fee ownership of all or a portion of the Fronting Property shall automatically assume the Owner's obligations under the Permit and this this Agreement for the period that Lender holds possession or fee ownership in the Fronting Property. None of such requirements and obligations is or shall be waived by City by reason of the giving of such Deed of Trust, except as specifically waived by City in writing.

#### 15. TRANSFER AND ACCEPTANCE PROCEDURES

This Permit, and the accompanying benefits and obligations are automatically transferred to any successor property owner(s). If the Permittee is selling the property, the successor owner(s) shall submit contact information to the Department immediately upon closing on the property sale along with an acknowledgement that the successor owner(s) shall accept and assume all Permit

responsibilities. The Department may require that such a transfer be evidenced by a new written Agreement with the Director and require evidence of insurance to be submitted within a specified period of time.

#### 16. POSSESSORY INTEREST TAXES

Permittee recognizes and understands that this Agreement may create a possessory interest subject to property taxation with respect to privately-owned or occupied property in the PROW, and that Permittee may be subject to the payment of property taxes levied on such interest under applicable law. Permittee agrees to pay taxes of any kind, including any possessory interest tax, if any, that may be lawfully assessed on Permittee's interest under this Agreement or use of the PROW pursuant hereto and to pay any other taxes, excises, licenses, permit charges, or assessments based on Permittee's usage of the PROW that may be imposed upon Permittee by applicable law (collectively, a "Possessory Interest Tax"). Permittee shall pay all of such charges when they become due and payable and before delinquency. The parties hereto hereby acknowledge that the PROW will be a public open space during the term of this Agreement and Permittee's use of the PROW pursuant to this Agreement is intended to be non-exclusive and non-possessory.

#### 17. PESTICIDE PROHIBITION

Permittee shall comply with the provisions of Section 308 of Chapter 3 of the San Francisco Environment Code (the "Pesticide Ordinance") which (a) prohibit the use of certain pesticides on PROW, (b) require the posting of certain notices and the maintenance of certain records regarding pesticide usage and (c) require Permittee to submit to the Director an integrated pest management ("**IPM**") plan that (i) lists, to the extent reasonably possible, the types and estimated quantities of pesticides that Permittee may need to apply to the PROW during the term of this Agreement, (ii) describes the steps Permittee will take to meet the City's IPM Policy described in Section 300 of the Pesticide Ordinance, and (iii) identifies, by name, title, address and telephone number, an individual to act as the Permittee's primary IPM contact person with the City. In addition, Permittee shall comply with the requirements of Sections 303(a) and 303(b) of the Pesticide Ordinance. Nothing herein shall prevent Permittee, through the Director, from seeking a determination from the Commission on the Environment that it is exempt from complying with certain portions of the Pesticide Ordinance as provided in Section 303 thereof.

#### 18. PROHIBITION OF TOBACCO SALES AND ADVERTISING

Permittee acknowledges and agrees that no sale or advertising of cigarettes or tobacco products is allowed on the PROW. This advertising prohibition includes the placement of the name of a company producing, selling or distributing cigarettes or tobacco products or the name of any cigarette or tobacco product in any promotion of any event or product. This advertising prohibition does not apply to any advertisement sponsored by a state, local, nonprofit, or other entity designed to (a) communicate the health hazards of cigarettes and tobacco products, or (b) encourage people not to smoke or to stop smoking.

#### 19. PROHIBITION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE ADVERTISING

Permittee acknowledges and agrees that no advertising of alcoholic beverages is allowed on the PROW. For purposes of this Section, "alcoholic beverage" shall be defined as set forth in California Business and Professions Code Section 23004, and shall not include cleaning solutions, medical supplies, and other products and substances not intended for drinking. This advertising prohibition includes the placement of the name of a company producing, selling, or distributing alcoholic beverages or the name of any alcoholic beverage in any promotion of any event or product. This advertising prohibition does not apply to any advertisement sponsored by a state, local, nonprofit, or other entity designed to (a) communicate the health hazards of alcoholic beverages, (b) encourage people not to drink alcohol or to stop drinking alcohol, or (c) provide or publicize drug or alcohol treatment or rehabilitation services.

#### 20. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

Through its execution of this Agreement, Permittee acknowledges that it is familiar with the provisions of Section 15.103 of the San Francisco Charter, Article III, Chapter 2 of City's Campaign and Governmental Conduct Code, and Sections 87100 et seq. and Sections 1090 et seq. of the Government Code of the State of California, and certifies that it does not know of any facts which would constitute a violation of said provisions, and agrees that if Permittee becomes aware of any such fact during the term of this Agreement, Permittee shall immediately notify the City.

#### 21. FOOD SERVICE WASTE REDUCTION

If there is a City permit or authorization for the Permit Area that will allow food service, Permittee agrees to comply fully with and be bound by all of the provisions of the Food Service Waste Reduction Ordinance, as set forth in the San Francisco Environment Code, Chapter 16, including the remedies provided therein, and implementing guidelines and rules. The provisions of Chapter 16 are incorporated herein by reference and made a part of this Agreement as though fully set forth herein and the Permittee will be treated as a lessee for purposes of compliance with Chapter 16. This provision is a material term of this Agreement. By entering into this Agreement, Permittee agrees that if it breaches this provision, City will suffer actual damages that will be impractical or extremely difficult to determine. Without limiting City's other rights and remedies, Permittee agrees that the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) liquidated damages for the first breach, Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) liquidated damages for the second breach in the same year, and Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) liquidated damages for subsequent breaches in the same year is a reasonable estimate of the damage that City will incur based on the violation, established in light of the circumstances existing at the time this Agreement was made. Such amounts shall not be considered a penalty, but rather as mutually agreed upon monetary damages sustained by City because of Permittee's failure to comply with this provision.

#### 22. GENERAL PROVISIONS

Unless this Agreement provides otherwise: (a) This Agreement may be amended or modified only in writing and signed by both the Director and Permittee; provided that the Director shall have the right to terminate or revoke the Permit in accordance with this Agreement. (b) No waiver by any party of any of the provisions of this Agreement shall be effective unless in writing

and signed by an officer or other authorized representative, and only to the extent expressly provided in such written waiver. (c) All approvals and determinations of City requested, required, or permitted hereunder may be made in the sole and absolute discretion of the Director or other authorized City official. (d) This Agreement (including its Attachments and associated documents hereto), the Permit, the Board of Supervisors legislation approving the Permit, and any authorization to proceed, discussions, understandings, and agreements are merged herein. (e) The section and other headings of this Agreement are for convenience of reference only and shall be disregarded in the interpretation of this Agreement. Director shall have the sole discretion to interpret and make decisions regarding any and all discrepancies, conflicting statements, and omissions found in the Permit, Agreement, the Agreement's Attachments and associated documents, and Construction Plans, if applicable. (f) Time is of the essence in each and every provision hereof. (g) This Agreement shall be governed by California law and the City's Charter. (h) If either party commences an action against the other or a dispute arises under this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover from the other reasonable attorneys' fees and costs. For purposes hereof, reasonable attorneys' fees of City shall be based on the fees regularly charged by private attorneys in San Francisco with comparable experience, notwithstanding the City's use of its own attorneys. (i) If Permittee consists of more than one person, then the obligations of each person shall be joint and several. (j) This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective heirs, representatives, successors, and assigns. (k) City is the sole beneficiary of Permittee's obligations under this Agreement. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to be a gift or dedication to the general public or for any public purposes whatsoever, nor shall it give rights to the parties expressly set forth above. Without limiting the foregoing, nothing herein creates a private right of action by any person or entity other than the City. (1) This Agreement does not create a partnership or joint venture between the City and Permittee as to any activity conducted by Permittee in its performance of its obligations under this Agreement. Permittee shall not be deemed a state actor with respect to any activity conducted by Permittee on, in, around, or under the Improvements pursuant to this Agreement.

#### 23. INDEMNIFICATION

Permittee, on behalf of itself and its successors and assigns ("Indemnitors"), shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless ("Indemnify") the City including, but not limited to, all of its boards, commissions, departments, agencies, and other subdivisions, including, without limitation, the Department, and all of the heirs, legal representatives, successors, and assigns (individually and collectively, the "Indemnified Parties"), and each of them, for any damages the Indemnified Parties may be required to pay as satisfaction of any judgment or settlement of any claim (collectively, "Claims"), incurred in connection with or arising in whole or in part from: (a) any accident, injury to or death of a person, or loss of or damage to property, howsoever or by whomsoever caused, occurring in or about the Permit Area arising from the Permitted Activities, with the exception of Claims arising from the City's failure to maintain one or more Improvements after agreeing to perform such maintenance and accepting funding from Permittee for that purpose; (b) any default by such Indemnitors in the observation or performance of any of the terms, covenants, or conditions of this Permit to be observed or performed on such Indemnitors' part; and (c) any release or discharge, or threatened release or discharge, of any Hazardous Material caused or allowed by Indemnitors in, under, on, or about the Permit Area arising from the Permitted Activities. These indemnification obligations of the Permittee shall except any Claims to the

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extent caused exclusively by the gross negligence or willful misconduct of the City. Permittee on behalf of the Indemnitors specifically acknowledges and agrees that the Indemnitors have an immediate and independent obligation to defend the City from any claim which actually or potentially falls within this Indemnity even if such allegation is or may be groundless, fraudulent, or false, which obligation arises at the time such Claim is tendered to such Indemnitors by the City and continues at all times thereafter. Permittee agrees that the indemnification obligations assumed under this Permit shall survive expiration of the Permit or completion of work. It is expressly understood and agreed that the applicable Indemnitor shall only be responsible for claims arising or accruing during its period of ownership of the Fronting Property.

#### 24. SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Agreement or the application thereof to any person, entity or circumstance shall be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Agreement, or the application of such provision to persons, entities, or circumstances other than those as to which it is invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected thereby, and each other provision of this Agreement shall be valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law, except to the extent that enforcement of this Agreement without the invalidated provision would be unreasonable or inequitable under all the circumstances or would frustrate a fundamental purpose of this Agreement.

#### 25. FORCE MAJEURE

If Permittee is delayed, interrupted, or prevented from performing any of its obligations under this Agreement, excluding all obligations that may be satisfied by the payment of money or provision of materials within the control of Permittee, and such delay, interruption, or prevention is due to fire, natural disaster, act of God, war, terrorism, riot, civil insurrection, federal or state governmental act or failure to act, labor dispute, unavailability of materials, epidemics, pandemics, and related governmental orders and requirements (and private sector responses to comply with those orders and requirements) or any cause outside such Party's reasonable control, then, provided written notice of such event and the effect on the Party's performance is given to the other Party within thirty (30) days of the occurrence of the event, the time for performance of the affected obligations of that Party shall be extended for a period equivalent to the period of such delay, interruption, or prevention.

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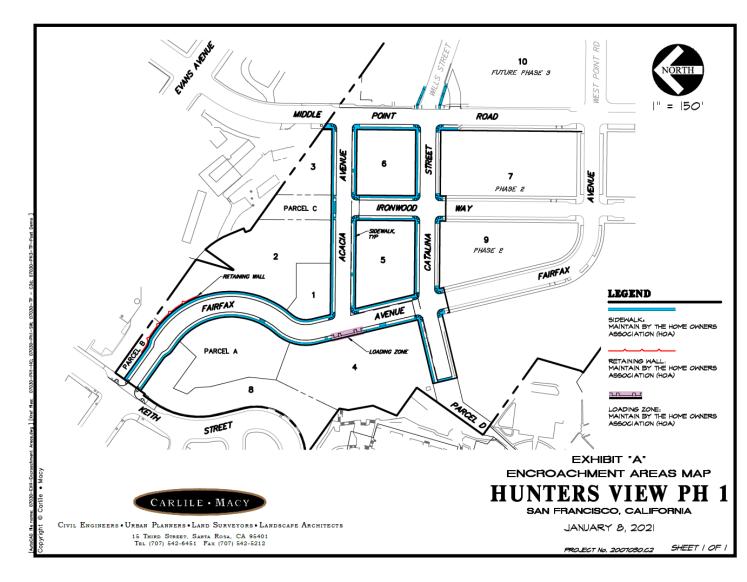
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PERMITTEE:	CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, a municipal corporation
Fronting Property Owner or Official authorized to bind Permittee	City Engineer of San Francisco
Secondary Official authorized to hind	Director of Public Works
Secondary Official authorized to bind Permittee	

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## ATTACHMENT 1 DESCRIPTION/LOCATION OF PERMITTEE'S PROPERTY

Hunters View Phase I has an address of 1101 Fairfax Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94124. The Fronting Property in Hunters View Phase I generally fronts Fairfax Avenue, Acacia Avenue, Ironwood Way, Catalina Street and Middle Point Road. The Assessor's Parcel Numbers for the Fronting Property are Block 4624, Lots 23 to 32.

## ATTACHMENT 2 DESCRIPTION/LOCATION OF PERMIT AREA AND THE IMPROVEMENTS



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# ATTACHMENT 3 MAINTENANCE PLAN (LIST OF TASKS/SERVICES AND COSTS)

#### Maintenance Plan.

The following scope of work is intended to define, describe, state, and outline the Permittee's maintenance, repair, and replacement obligations within the Permit Area and the Public Right-of-Way.

I. DAILY SERVICES. (1 Janitor at 2 hours per day at a rate of \$14 per hour)
The Encroachment Permit area and its perimeter is to be kept clean and neat, free from trash, debris, fallen leaves and waste. Each day Owner is expected to perform the following minimum cleaning operations:

#### A. General Maintenance

- 1. Wipe and clean all steel, metal, steel, benches, lamps, glass, gates, planters, railings, boulders, cobblestone, drinking fountain, signs and other surfaces.
- 2. Remove foreign matter from sidewalks and tree containers surrounding trees before 8:00 am.
- 3. Sweep or blow clean all walkways, curbs and gutters within and around Public Right-of-Way.
- 4. Inspect for graffiti daily and remove graffiti within the earlier to occur of the following: (1) forty-eight hours of discovery by Owner or (2) upon receiving any written City request for such removal; "Graffiti" means any inscription, word, figure, marking or design that is affixed, marked, etched, scratched, drawn or painted on any building, structure, fixture or other improvement on the Public Right-of-Way, whether permanent or temporary, including by way of example only and without limitation, signs, banners, billboards or fencing, without the consent of the City or its authorized agent. "Graffiti" shall not include: (1) any sign or banner that is authorized by, and in compliance with, the applicable requirements of the San Francisco Public Works Code, the San Francisco Planning Code or the San Francisco Building Code; (2) any mural or other painting authorized to be in the Public Right-of-Way, either permanent or temporary; or (3) any sign or banner that is authorized by the City's Director of Public Works.

#### B. Trash

- 1. Keep trash areas clean and swept and maintain adequate bins for trash, or as otherwise directed in writing by City's Director of Public Works.
- 2. Empty trash, causing deposited items to be thrown away as appropriate and reline bins.
- II. WEEKLY SERVICES (2 Landscapers at 8 hours per week at a rate of \$17.30 per hour)

#### A. Landscaping

- 1. Tree maintenance, as needed.
- 2. Prune back shrubs.
- 3. Water all plants as necessary to keep green and in good condition.
- 4. Collect all dead leaves.
- 5. Prune all groundcover overhanging onto walkways and grass areas.
- 6. Remove litter and leaves from plants, planters and tree wells.
- 7. Remove any broken or fallen branches from trees; remove sucker growth from tree trunks.
- 8. Remove any weeds larger than 2 inches (5 cm) high or wide (at the designated time for performing the weekly services) from planters. Weeds 2 inches (5 cm) and larger must be removed, not just killed.
- 9. Replace bark mulch or rocks that have been knocked or washed out of planters or planting areas. Smooth mulch or rock layer if it has been disturbed.
- 10. Check plants for signs of stress or disease. Replace any plants that meet conditions for replacement (such as dying or dead plants).
  - 11. Hand water any plants that are dry and stressed.
- 12. Treat for any signs of disease or pest infestation. Report to City any treatments for disease or pest control.
  - 13. Check the irrigation system. Make emergency and routine repairs as needed.
  - 14. Adjust the irrigation controllers for current water needs of plants.
  - B. Drain covers to be checked and debris cleared away as needed.
- C. Power wash all sidewalks and paved areas two (2) times a week and as needed during any rainy season.
  - D. Wash trash bins weekly.
  - E. Clean, wipe and polish all lamps (high to low areas) and signs.
  - IV. YEARLY (2 Landscapers at 24 hours per year at a rate of \$17.30per hour)
  - A. Every three years apply concrete reveal.
  - B. Intentionally Omitted

#### V. GENERAL

All repairs and replacements made by Owner or its employees, contractors, subcontractors, agents or representatives within the Public Right-of-Way as part of the Maintenance Work shall be performed: (a) at no cost to the City; (b) with materials and techniques that are equal or better in quality, value and utility to the original material or installation, if related to repair or replacement of existing improvements; (c) in a manner and using equipment and materials that will not unreasonably interfere with or impair the operations,

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use or occupation of the Public Right-of-Way; and (d) in accordance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations.

If any Maintenance Work performed by or for Owner at the Public Right-of-Way does not meet the quality standards set forth herein, as determined by the Director of Public Works or the Director of the City's Department of the Environment, such work shall be re-done by Owner at its sole cost.

Description	Unit	Quantity	<b>Unit Price</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>
Daily Tasks	Hour	522	\$14.00	\$7,308.00
Weekly Tasks	Hour	832	\$17.30	\$14,393.60
Annual Tasks	Hour	24	\$17.30	\$415.20
Rental costs	Each	N/A		

Total: \$22,116.80

#### **Maintenance and Other Costs.**

Category	Description	Monthly	Annual
6537-000 Landscape	27% of HVP1	\$1,500	\$18,000
Contracts	(\$8016), HVP2A		
	(\$8016) and HVP2B		
	(\$5802) monthly CIP		
	contracts; 27% of		
	HVP1 monthly		
	Prosegur contract		
	(\$3930)		
6542-000 Repairs	N/A	\$400	\$4,800
Contract			
	TOTAL	\$1,900	\$22,800

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# ATTACHMENT 4 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE MANUALS (IF APPLICABLE)



## SAN FRANCISCO PLANNING DEPARTMENT

December 10, 2008

Ms Margaret Campbell The John Stewart Company 1388 Sutter Street, 11th Floor San Francisco, CA 94109

RE:

CASE NO. 2007,0168R

HUNTERS VIEW – STREET VACATION, TENTATIVE MAP, FINAL MAP, AND ACCEPTANCE OF FACILITIES

Dear Ms Campbell

On November 25, 2008, the Department received your request for a General Plan Referral for the proposed Street Vacation of several public rights-of-way, Tentative Map, Final Map, and Acceptance of Facilities for Hunters View, as required by Section 4.105 of the Charter and Section 2A.53 of the Administrative Code. The project is, on balance, in conformity with the San Francisco General Plan, as described in the attached Case Report (Attachment 2).

Hunters View is located in the Bayview Hunters Point neighborhood, around the intersection of West Point Road and Middle Point Road, and contains Assessor's Block 4624, Lots 003, 004, 009; 4720, 027. The revitalization of Hunters View includes the demolition of all existing housing units and community facilities; and the development of 800 new housing units, including one-to-one replacement of the existing 267 public housing units. The project will result in a mixed-use mixed income development which will also include the creation of new streets, walkways, open spaces and community facilities.

The Planning Commission approved the program for Hunters View on June 12, 2008 by Motion Number 17621. This action was followed by Board of Supervisors approval on August 4, 2008 by Ordinance Number 00-08.

#### CONFORMITY WITH THE GENERAL PLAN

#### 1. Street Vacation

The objectives of the Street Vacation for Hunters View Phase 1 are to remove portions of existing streets from the City street system to make way for the project. Access to new development will be by either existing streets or new streets. The following streets are proposed to be vacated:

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- West Point Road: Vacate approximately eight hundred feet (800') of existing right-ofway of variable widths: fifty-one feet (51'), sixty-one feet (61') and seventy-one feet (71').
- Fairfax Avenue: Abandon all of the City's interest in the eighty foot (80") wide rightof-way of existing Fairfax Avenue, approximately five hundred eighty feet (580') in length.

#### 2. Tentative Map/Final Map

The Hunters View Phase 1 Tentative Map will be the basis for the Final Map. The Tentative Map prepared by Carlile Macy dated May 2008, provides the following information about the project:

- 354 residential condominium units within 22 lots
- 4 Open Space Parcels
- Middle Point Road: Install additional utilities along approximately five hundred twenty feet (520') in length of existing Middle Point Road which will continue to be sixty feet (60') in width.
- West Point Road: Construct approximately four hundred forty feet (440') in length of new public right-of-way, fifty five feet (55') in width, together with utilities.
- Fairfax Avenue: Construct approximately nine hundred seventy feet (970') in length
  of new public right-of-way, varying from fifty-four feet (54') to fifty-six feet (56') in
  width, together with new utilities.
- Willis Street: Construct approximately six hundred ten feet (610') in length of public right-of-way, fifty-five feet (55') in width, together with utilities.
- New Street: Construct approximately five hundred thirty five feet (530') in length of right-of-way, fifty five feet (55') in width, together with utilities, including mid-block widening for parking.

#### 3. Acceptance of Facilities

The Acceptance of Facilities includes the following: water and recycled water systems; combined sewer; joint trench related to City street lighting power and City emergency communications (DTIS); curb, gutter and sidewalk; streets; street lights; and street furniture. The process for the Acceptance of Facilities will be as follows:

- When the Board of Supervisors (Board) acts on the Final Map it will include approved Improvements Plans (Plans) and a Project Improvement Agreement (PIA).
- The project includes a Public Improvement Agreement (PIA). The City requires a PIA with the project sponsor in case the proposed horizontal public infrastructure is not constructed prior to the Board acting on the Final Map. It allows sale, lease or finance of the lots prior to the completion of the infrastructure. The PIA defines the work by referencing the improvement plans and requires the posting of a security bond to

insure the Developer completes the work. It also provides time limits for completion and provisions for reducing the bonds as the construction proceeds.

- The Plans and PIA specify the scope of the improvements to be constructed and require the developer to post a security bond for faithful performance, labor, materials, and costs to successfully complete the project in accordance with the plans.
- The approval of the final project will be based on the Consistency with the Approved Tentative Map.
- The Department of Public Works will monitor the construction and provide a Completeness Determination: that will state that the work is complete per the approved plans and ready for intended use.
- The Board Acceptance of the Facilities (outlined in the Section on Tentative and Final Map) will be based on the Board's previously approved Plans and the Director of Public Works' "Completeness Determination," based on those Plans.
- After the Final Map is approved, there are no changes to the project that would affect
  the General Plan Referral Determination. A separate General Plan Referral will be
  required if the project is revised.
- The development requirements and design guidelines described in the Hunters View Design for Development approved by the Planning Commission by Motion Number 17621 shall be followed for the above mentioned facilities.

On December 2, 2008 the Department determined that the project was evaluated in the Hunters View Redevelopment Project Environmental Impact Report (Case No. 2007.0168E), which was certified on June 12, 2008.

The project has been reviewed for consistency with the General Plan policies and with the Eight Priority Policies of the Planning Code Section 101.1 and the findings are attached (Attachment 2).

Sincerely,

John Rahaim

Director of Planning

#### Attachments:

- 1. General Plan Case Report
- Planning Code Sec. 101.1(b) Priority Policies
- cc L. Langlois, Planning Department

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#### **GENERAL PLAN CASE REPORT: ATTACHMENT 1**

RE:

CASE NO. 2007.0168R

HUNTERS VIEW – STREET VACATION, TENTATIVE MAP, FINAL MAP, AND ACCEPTANCE

OF FACILITIES

STAFF REVIEWER: LILY LANGLOIS

#### **GENERAL PLAN CONSIDERATIONS**

General Plan Objectives, Policies, and Principles are in **bold** font, and staff comments are in *italic* font.

#### HOUSING ELEMENT

#### **OBJECTIVE 1**

TO PROVIDE NEW HOUSING, ESPECIALLY PERMANENTLY AFFORDABLE HOUSING, IN APPROPRIATE LOCATIONS WHICH MEETS IDENTIFIED HOUSING NEEDS AND TAKES INTO ACCOUNT THE DEMAND FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING CREATED BY EMPLOYMENT DEMAND.

#### **OBJECTIVE 3**

ENHANCE THE PHYSICAL CONDITION AND SAFETY OF HOUSING WITHOUT JEOPARDIZING USE OR AFFORDABILITY.

#### Policy 3.3

Maintain and improve the condition of the existing supply of public housing.

The project includes one-to-one replacement of the existing public housing units.

#### **OBJECTIVE 4**

SUPPORT AFFORDABLE HOUSING PRODUCTION BY INCREASING SITE AVAILABILITY AND CAPACITY.

#### Policy 4.2

#### Include affordable units in larger housing projects.

The Project will create up to 800 units of new affordable and market-rate housing, including 267 replacement public housing units, 83 affordable rental units and up to 450 homeownership units, of which 10-15% will be affordable.

#### Policy 4.6

Support a greater range of housing types and building techniques to promote more economical housing construction and achieve greater affordable housing production.

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Encourage sufficient and suitable rental housing opportunities and emphasize permanently affordable units wherever possible.

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Incourage greater economic integration within housing projects and throughout San Francisco.

#### **OBJECTIVE 9**

AVOID OR MITIGATE HARDSHIPS IMPOSED BY DISPLACEMENT

#### Policy 9.1

Minimize the hardships of displacement by providing essential relocation services. The project includes one-tb-one replacement of all public housing units.

#### **OBJECTIVE 11**

IN INCREASING THE SUPPLY OF HOUSING, PURSUE PLACE MAKING AND NEIGHBORHOOD BUILDING PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICES TO CONTINUE SAN FRANCISCO'S DESIRABLE URBAN FABRIC AND ENHANCE LIVABILITY IN ALL NEIGHBORHOODS.

#### Policy 11.1

Use new housing development as a means to enhance neighborhood vitality and diversity. The project includes a revitalization of Hunters View which will result in a mixed-income, mixed-use community.

#### RECREATION AND OPEN SPACE ELEMENT

#### **OBJECTIVE 4:**

PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES FOR RECREATION AND THE ENJOYMENT OF OPEN SPACE IN EVERY SAN FRANCISCO NEIGHBORHOOD.

Phase 1 of the project includes the creation of a new park shown as Parcel A in the Tentative Map.

#### TRANSPORTATION ELEMENT

#### **OBJECTIVE 24:**

#### IMPROVE THE AMBIENCE OF THE PEDESTRIAN ENVIRONMENT.

The project includes new sidewalks which will improve the pedestrian environment, maximizing these widths will greater improve the pedestrian realm.

#### **URBAN DESIGN ELEMENT**

#### **OBJECTIVE 1:**

EMPHASIS OF THE CHARACTERISTIC PATTERN WHICH GIVES TO THE CITY AND ITS NEIGHBORHOODS AN IMAGE, A SENSE OF PURPOSE AND A MEANS OF ORIENTATION.

SAN FRANCISCO PU AMBRING DEPARTMENT Policy 1:
Promote harmony in the visual relationships and transitions between new and older buildings.

Policy 3.6
Relate the bulk of buildings to the prevailing scale of development to avoid an overwhelming or dominating appearance in new construction.

Policy 3.7
Recognize that buildings, when seen together, produce a total effect that characterizes the City and its districts.

The proposal is X in conformity not in conformity with the General Plan.

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Hunters View 227 West Point Road



#### **EIGHT PRIORITY POLICIES FINDINGS: ATTACHMENT 2**

RE: CASE NO. 2007.0168R

HUNTERS VIEW - STREET VACATION, TENTATIVE MAP, FINAL MAP, AND ACCEPTANCE OF FACILITIES

The subject project is found to be consistent with the Eight Priority Policies of Planning Code Section 101.1 in that:

 The project would have no adverse effect on neighborhood serving retail uses or opportunities for employment in or ownership of such businesses.

Te proposed project will not affect neighborhood serving uses or opportunities for employment or ownership, because there are not any existing neighborhood serving retail uses on the project site. The proposed project will provide future opportunities for employment and ownership of neighborhood serving retail uses that will be developed on the site.

 The project would have no adverse effect on the City's housing stock or on neighborhood character.

While the project includes the demolition of the existing 267 housing units, the projects also includes one-to-one replacement of all public housing units. Furthermore, the proposed project will create an additional 83 affordable rental units, and additional ownership units in which a certain percentage will be affordable to restricted income households. It is anticipated that the proposed project will create greater housing supply and variety than what currently exists.

3. The project would have no adverse effect on the City's supply of affordable housing.

The project includes one-to-one replacement of all existing affordable housing units, as well as the development of new rental and ownership affordable housing units.

 The project would not result in commuter traffic impeding Muni transit service or overburdening the streets or neighborhood parking.

The project includes a considerable number of off-street parking spaces, which will significantly improve neighborhood parking, because none currently exists for the existing housing units.

 The project would not adversely affect the industrial or service sectors or future opportunities for resident employment or ownership in these sectors.

The proposed project will not displace any industrial or service sector uses because no such uses currently existing on the site. Furthermore, the proposed project will develop residential uses on an

area that primarily permits residential uses. The proposed project includes some retail and community serving uses which will provide for future employment and ownership opportunities that do not currently exist on site.

6. The project would have no averse affect the City's preparedness to protect against injury and loss of life in an earthquake.

The existing, deteriorating public housing on the site will be demolished and replaced with residential units built to current seismic regulations.

7. The project would have no averse affect on landmarks or historic buildings.

A Historic Structures Report has been completed for the existing structure and concluded that the existing structures are not eligible for listing on the California Register of Historic Places.

8. The project would have no averse affect on parks and open space or their access to sunlight and vistas.

A shadow study has been completed and concluded that the new buildings will not cast excessive shadows on any property under the jurisdiction of or designated for acquisition by, the Recreations and Parks Department.

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Department of Public Works Bureau of Street-Use and Mapping 875 Stevenson Street, Room 460 San Francisco, CA 94103-0942

Barbara L. Moy, Bureau Manager Bruce Storrs, City and County Surveyor

Date: December 1, 2008

Department of City Planning 1650 Mission Street, Suite 400 San Francisco, CA 94103

Project ID:	5461			
Project Type:	Residential Condominium			
Address #	Street Name	Block	Lot	
227-229	Middle Point Road	4624	003	

Attention: Ms. Lily Langlois

Pursuant to Section 1325 of the City and County of San Francisco Subdivision Code and Section 4.105 of the 1996 City Charter, a print of the above reference Map was submitted to your Department for your review, CEQA and General Plan conformity determination. Under the provisions of the Subdivision Map Act and the City and County of San Francisco Subdivision Code, your Department must respond to the Bureau of Street-Use and Mapping within thirty (30) days of the receipt of the application or CEQA Determination per SMA 66452.1 (c). Under these same state and local codes, the Department of Public Works is required to approve, conditionally approve or disapprove the above referenced map within fifty (50) days of the receipt of the application or CEQA Determination per SMA 66452.1 (c). Failure to do so constitutes automatic approval.

The submittal was transmitted on my behalf by the Hunters View Task Force (HVTF) to your office to the attention of Matt Snyder, dated November 4, 2008. Please forward your comments to: Grace Kwak, Project Manager, HVTF, 30 Van Ness Avenue, Suite 4200, San Francisco, CA 94102, and provide a copy directly to me.

Thank you for your timely review of this Tentative Map.

Sincerely,

Bruce R. Storrs, P.L.& City and County Surveyor

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The subject Tentative Map has been reviewed by the Planning Department and does comply with applicable provisions of the Planning Code. On balance, the Tentative Map is consistent with the General Plan and the Priority Policies of the Planning Code Section 101.1 based on the attached findings. The subject referral is exempt from environmental review per Class 1 California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines.

The subject Tentative Map has been reviewed by the Planning Department and does comply with applicable provisions of the Planning Code subject to the following condition: (See Attachment A dated December 10, 2008)

The subject Tentative Map has been reviewed by the Planning Department and does not comply with applicable provisions of the Planning Code. This tentative

Map has been disapproved for the following reasons: (See attached)

PLANNING DEPARTMENT

DATE: 12/10/08

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#### ATTATCHMENT A

Department of Public Works Bureau of Street-Use and Mapping 875 Stevenson Street, Room 460 San Francisco, CA 94103-0942

December 10, 2008

Dear Mr. Storrs,

The Planning Commission approved the program for Hunters View on June 12, 2008 by Motion Number 17621. This action was followed by Board of Supervisors approval on August 4, 2008 by Ordinance Number 00-08. The Hunters View Design for Development document (D for D) was included as an integral part of the Conditions of Approvals; the D for D provides site specific design requirements and guidelines for buildings and streets. In the case of streetscape infrastructure, the D for D generally provides performance criteria in choosing streetscape elements without providing exact specifications or product choices.

At the time of submittal of the General Plan Referral, full construction drawings were not provided. Based on the information provided for the Tentative Map, Acceptance of Facilities and Street Vacation, the project has been found in conformity with the General Plan.

However, because many of the design details for the rights-of-way were not included with the General Plan Referral and haven't yet been reviewed to assure that they are consistent with the D for D and other Conditions of Approval, the Planning Department conditions our approval of this Tentative Map as follows:

The Planning Department shall be given the opportunity to review the specifics for the street design and find in conformity with the General Plan prior to final approval of such designs by the Department of Public Works and/or other approving City Agencies.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns. I can be reached at (415)-575-9083.

Sincerely,

Lify Langlois

San Francisco Planning Department

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### **Planning Commission Motion No. M-17617**

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June 12, 2008

Case No.:

2007.0168E

Project Address:

227-229 West Point Road

Zoning:

RM-1 (Residential, Mixed-Use, Low Density; RH-2 (Residential, House, 415.558.6409

Two-Family); and NC-2 (Neighborhood Commercial, Small-Scale)

40-X Height and Bulk District

Block/Lot:

4624/3, 4, 9; and 4720/27

Project Sponsors:

San Francisco Housing Authority, represented by Juan Monsanto and

Hunters View Associates, LP, represented by Sanger & Olson

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ADOPTING FINDINGS RELATED TO THE CERTIFICATION OF A FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT, FILE NUMBER 2007.0168E FOR THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT AT 227-229 WEST POINT ROAD (HUNTERS VIEW REDEVELOPMENT) ("PROJECT").

#### **PREAMBLE**

On February 1, 2007, pursuant to the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (Cal. Pub. Res. Code Section 21000 *et seq.*, hereinafter "CEQA"), the State CEQA Guidelines (Cal. Admin. Code Title 14, Section 15000 *et seq.*, hereinafter CEQA "Guidelines"), and Chapter 31 of the San Francisco Administrative Code (hereinafter "Chapter 31"), the Planning Department ("Department") received an Environmental Evaluation Application form for the Project, in order that it might conduct an initial evaluation to determine whether the Project might have a significant impact on the environment.

The Planning Department determined that an Environmental Impact Report (hereinafter "EIR") was required and provided public notice of that determination and of a public scoping meeting by publication in a newspaper of general circulation on November 17, 2007.

On December 5, 2007, the Planning Department held a public scoping meeting to receive oral comments at the Southeast Community Center, located at 1800 Oakdale Avenue.

On February 29, 2008, Notice of Completion was recorded with the State Secretary of Resources via the State Clearinghouse (State Clearinghouse Number 2007112086).

On March 1, 2008, the Planning Department published the Draft Environmental Impact Report on the Project (hereinafter "DEIR"), and provided public notice in a newspaper of general circulation of the

availability of the DEIR for public review and comment, and of the date and time of the Planning Commission public hearing on the DEIR. This notice was mailed to property owners in the Project Area and within a 300-foot radius of the Project area, anyone who requested copies of the DEIR, and to public agencies, to the latter both directly and through the State Clearinghouse.

On March 1, 2008, notices of availability of the DEIR and of the date and time of the public hearing were posted at approximately four locations in and around the Project Area, and the DEIR was posted on the Planning Department's website.

On March 1, 2008, copies of the DEIR were mailed or otherwise delivered to a list of persons requesting it, to those on the distribution list in the DEIR, and to government agencies, to the latter both directly and through the State Clearinghouse.

On April 3, 2008, the San Francisco Planning Commission (Planning Commission) held a duly advertised public hearing on said DEIR at which opportunity for public comment was given, and public comment was received on the DEIR. The period for acceptance of written comments ended on April 14, 2008.

The Planning Department prepared responses to comments on environmental issues received at the public hearing and in writing during the 45-day public review period for the DEIR, prepared revisions to the text of the of the DEIR in response to comments received or based on additional information that became available during the public review period, and corrected errors in the DEIR. This material was presented in the "Hunters View Redevelopment Project EIR Comments and Responses" and was distributed to the Planning Commission, and to all parties who commented on the DEIR, and was available to others upon request at Department offices.

A Final Environmental Impact Report (hereinafter "FEIR"), has been prepared by the Planning Department, consisting of the DEIR, any consultations and comments received during the review process, any additional information that became available, and the Comments and Responses all as required by law. Since publication of the DEIR, no new information of significance has become available that would require recirculation of the EIR under CEQA Guidelines Section 15088.5.

Project Environmental Impact Report files have been made available for public review at the Planning Department offices at 1650 Mission Street, Suite 400, and are part of the record before the Commission.

On June 12, 2008, at a public hearing, the Planning Commission reviewed and considered the FEIR, and the Planning Commission hereby does find that the contents of said report and the procedures through which the FEIR was prepared, publicized and reviewed, comply with the provisions of CEQA, the CEQA Guidelines and Chapter 31.

#### **FINDINGS**

Having reviewed the materials identified in the preamble above, and having heard all testimony and arguments, this Commission finds, concludes, and determines as follows:

The above recitals are accurate and constitute findings of this Commission.

- 2. The Planning Commission hereby does find that the Final Environmental Impact Report concerning File No. 2007.0168E: Hunters View Redevelopment Project reflects the independent judgment and analysis of the City and County of San Francisco, is adequate, accurate and objective, and that the Comments and Responses document contains no significant revisions to the DEIR, and hereby does CERTIFY THE COMPLETION of said Final Environmental Impact Report in compliance with CEQA, the CEQA Guidelines and Chapter 31.
- 3. The Commission, in certifying the completion of said FEIR, hereby does find that the project described in the Environmental Impact Report would have the following unavoidable significant environmental impacts that could not be mitigated to a level of non-significance:
  - a) The Project would have a considerable contribution during the weekday PM peak hour at the intersection of Third Street and Evans Avenue under Baseline plus Project Conditions. Mitigation measures identified to reduce impacts would require further analysis to determine feasibility, and therefore the Project would contribute to a significant unavoidable adverse impact at that intersection.
  - b) The Project would have a considerable contribution to adverse cumulative traffic conditions during the weekday PM peak hour in the year 2025 at five intersections: Third Street and 25th Street, Third Street and Cesar Chavez Street, Illinois Street and Cargo Way and Amador Street, Third Street and Evans Avenue, and Middle Point Road and Evans Avenue. Mitigation measures to attain acceptable LOS for cumulative conditions at Third Street and Evans Avenue, Third Street and Cesar Chavez Street, and Illinois Street and Cargo Way and Amador Street would not be feasible and the cumulative conditions at those intersections would be significant and unavoidable. Proposed mitigation measures at Third Street and 25th Street and Middle Point Road and Evans Avenue would require further assessment by the Municipal Transportation Authority, and therefore the feasibility of some of those measures has not been determined. Therefore, the Project would contribute to significant unavoidable cumulative adverse impacts at these intersections.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Motion was ADOPTED by the Planning Commission on June

12, 2008.

Linda Avery

Commission Secretary

AYES: Olague, Miguel, Antonini, Moore, Lee

NOES:

RECUSED: Suguya

ACTION: Certification of EIR

## **Planning Commission Motion 17618**

**HEARING DATE: JUNE 12, 2008** 

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*Date:* June 12, 2008 *Case No.:* **2007.0168CETZ** 

Project Address: 227 – 229 WEST POINT ROAD

Zoning: RH-2 (Residential, House Two Family) RM-1 (Residential, Mixed Low Density)

NC-2 (Neighborhood Commercial, Small-Scale)

M-1 (Light Industrial)

40-X Height and Bulk District

Block/Lot: 4624/003, 004, 009

4720/027

Project Sponsor: Hunter's View Associates, LP

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Staff Contact: Mat Snyder – 415/575-6891

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ADOPTION OF CEQA FINDINGS RELATED TO THE FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT AND PROPOSED PLANNING CODE MAP AMENDMENTS, PLANNING CODE TEXT AMENDMENTS, AND CONDITIONAL USE AUTHORIZATION TO ALLOW THE CONSTRUCTION OF APPROXIMATELY 6,400 SQUARE FEET OF RETAIL USE, 21,600 SQUARE FEET OF COMMUNITY SPACE, AND UP TO 800 DWELLING UNITS IN RM-1, RH-2, NC-2, AND M-1 ZONING DISTRICTS WITH A 40 X HEIGHT AND BULK DESIGNATION ON ASSESSOR'S BLOCK 4624, LOTS 3, 4 & 9 AND BLOCK 4720, LOT 27.

#### **PREAMBLE**

On February 1, 2007, pursuant to the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (Cal. Pub.Res. Code Section 21000 et seq., hereinafter "CEQA"), the State CEQA Guidelines (Cal. Admin. Code Title 14, Section 15000 et seq., hereinafter CEQA "Guidelines"), and Chapter 31 of the San Francisco Administrative Code (hereinafter "Chapter 31"), the Pang Department ("Department') received an Environmental Evaluation Application form for the Project, in order that it might conduct an initial evaluation to determine whether the Project might have a significant impact on the environment.

The Planning Department determined that an Environmental Impact Report (hereinafter "EIR") was required and provided public notice of that determination and of a public scoping meeting by publication in a newspaper of general circulation on November 17, 2007.

On March 27, 2008, Hunters View Associates, L.P. (hereinafter "Project Sponsor") filed Application No. 2007.0168C (hereinafter "Application") with the Planning Department (hereinafter "Department") for Conditional Use authorization per Planning Code Sections 303 and 304 to create a new Planned Unit Development (PUD) to allow the construction up to 800 dwelling units and including the

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following exceptions: lot width and area (Planning Code Section 121), rear yards (Planning Code Section 134(a) and (c)), usable open space (Planning Code Section 135), allowable obstructions (Planning Code Section 136), spacing of street trees (Planning Code Section 143), parking (Planning Code Sections 150, 151, 154 and 155), bicycle parking (Planning Code Section 155.5), loading (Section 152), dwelling unit exposure (Section 140), measurement of height (Planning Code Sections 102..12 and 260(a)) and density (Planning Code Section 209.1).

The revitalization of Hunters View will include the demolition of all of the existing public housing units and other community facilities on the site, resulting in a mixed-income community that will include up to 800 new residential units and provide one-for-one replacement of the existing 267 public housing units. The current project proposal includes up to 800 total units, including a total of 350 affordable rental units (267 of which will be the replacement public housing units) and up to 450 home ownership units, of which 10-15% will be affordable and 17 of those will be developed by Habitat for Humanity. This new mixed-income development will result in a range of resident incomes from less than 10% to over 120% of AMI. Additionally, the net proceeds from the sale of the market-rate for-sale units will cross-subsidize a portion of the development costs of the public housing replacement units and affordable rental units.

On May 20, 2008, the Board of Supervisors initiated legislation to amend the Planning Code by adding Section 249.39 and 263.20 establishing the Hope SF Hunters View Special Use District ("SUD") and related Map Change Amendment; the legislation was subsequently transmitted to the Planning Commission for their action under Planning Code Section 302(c). The Planning Code Amendments would allow greater densities on some portions of the site (but not the site as a whole), and would allow some non-residential uses that are currently restricted, and heights greater than 40-feet with the condition that design guidelines or a "Design-for-Development" document be created as part of the Project's Conditional Use / Planned Unit Development approval;

On June 12, 2008, the Department certified the Final Environmental Impact Report for the Hunters View Redevelopment Project (State Clearinghouse No. SCH 2007112086) for the Project (the "Final EIR").

On June 12, 2008, the San Francisco Planning Commission (hereinafter "Commission") conducted a duly noticed public hearing at a regularly scheduled meeting on Map and Text Amendments and Conditional Use Application No. 2007.0168ECTZ.

The Commission has heard and considered the testimony presented to it at the public hearing and has further considered written materials and oral testimony presented on behalf of the applicant, Department staff, and other interested parties.

MOVED, that the Commission hereby adopts CEQA Findings:

#### **FINDINGS**

Having reviewed the materials identified in the preamble above, and having heard all testimony and arguments, this Commission finds, concludes, and determines as follows:

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PLANNING DEPARTMENT

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- 1. The above recitals are accurate and constitute findings of this Commission.
- 2. Where feasible, all significant environmental impacts of the Project have been mitigated to a less than significant level, and to the extent that an environmental impact of the Project cannot feasibly be mitigated to a less than significant level, specific overriding economic, legal, social, technological and other benefits of the Project each independently outweigh these significant and unavoidable impacts and warrant approval of the Project, as stated in the Findings of Fact, Evaluation of Mitigation Measures and Alternatives, and Statement of Overriding Considerations which is attached hereto as "Attachment A" and incorporated by this reference.

SAN FRANCISCO
PLANNING DEPARTMENT

CASE NO 2007.0168C<u>E</u>TZ 227 -229 West Point Road

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#### **DECISION**

The Commission, after carefully balancing the competing public and private interests, and based upon the Recitals and Findings set forth above, in accordance with the standards specified in the Code, hereby adopts CEQA findings for the subject Project, which includes up to 800 dwelling units, approximately 6,400 square feet of retail use, approximately 21,600 square feet of community space, approximately 58,300 square feet of parks, and up to 816 off-street parking spaces, at 227-229 West Point Road in three construction phases.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED by the San Francisco Planning Commission on June 12, 2008.

Linda Avery Commission Secretary

AYES: Olague, Antonini, Miguel, Moore, Lee, Sugaya

NOES:

ABSENT:

ADOPTED: JUNE 12, 2008

SAN FRANCISCO
PLANNING DEPARTMENT

#### ATTACHMENT A

#### **HUNTERS VIEW REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT**

#### CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT FINDINGS

#### SAN FRANCISCO PLANNING COMMISSION

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

These Findings are made by the Planning Commission of the City and County of San Francisco (the "Planning Commission") pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act, California Public Resources Code section 21000 et seq., ("CEQA") with respect to the Hunters View Redevelopment Project ("Project"), in light of substantial evidence in the record of Project proceedings, including but not limited to, the Hunters View Redevelopment Project Final Environmental Impact Report ("FEIR") prepared pursuant to CEQA, the State CEQA Guidelines, 14 California Code of Regulations Sections 15000 et seq., (the "CEQA Guidelines"), and Chapter 31 of the San Francisco Administrative Code ("Chapter 31").

This document is organized as follows:

Article 2 describes the Project.

**Article 3** describes the actions to be taken by the Planning Commission at this time.

Article 4 provides the basis for approval of the Project, a description of each alternative, and the economic, legal, social, technological, and other considerations that lead to the rejection of alternatives as infeasible that were not incorporated into the Project.

**Article 5** sets forth Findings as to the disposition of each of the mitigation measures proposed in the FEIR.

**Article 6** identifies the unavoidable, significant adverse impacts of the Project that have not been mitigated to a level of insignificance by the adoption of mitigation measures as provided in Article 5.

**Article 7** contains a Statement of Overriding Considerations, setting forth specific reasons in support of the Planning Commission's approval actions for the Project in light of the significant unavoidable impacts discussed in Article 6.

**Exhibit 1**, attached, contains the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program required by CEQA Section 21081.6 and CEQA Guidelines Section 15091. It provides a table setting forth each mitigation measure listed in Chapter IV of the FEIR that is required to reduce or avoid a significant adverse impact. Exhibit 1 also specifies the agency or entity responsible for implementation of each measure, establishes monitoring actions and a monitoring schedule.

Finally, Chapter IV of the FEIR also contains a few measures that are not required to avoid or reduce significant adverse impacts but will reduce less than significant impacts. These measures are listed in Exhibit 1 as Improvement Measures. The Project Sponsor intends to implement these measures as part of the Project implementation. Exhibit 1 explains how the Planning Department will ensure that these measures are implemented during the development of the Project.

#### 2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

#### 2.1 Project Approvals

The San Francisco Housing Authority (SFHA) and Hunters View Associates, L.P. (Project Sponsor), assisted by the San Francisco Redevelopment Agency (Agency) and the Mayor's Office of Housing, propose the Hunters View Redevelopment Project, in San Francisco's Bayview Hunters Point neighborhood.

The Project Sponsor is Hunters View Associates L.P., a California limited partnership.

The City and County of San Francisco will be taking various approval actions related to the Project (collectively, the "Project Approvals"). The Project requires the following major permits and approvals, and related and collateral actions by the Planning Commission:

- 2.1.2 Adoption of CEQA Findings, including a Statement of Overriding Considerations, mitigation measures, and a mitigation monitoring and reporting program.
- 2.1.3 Certification of the FEIR by the Planning Commission.
- 2.1.4 Adoption by the Planning Commission of Motion No. \_\_\_\_, approving the Conditional Use/Planned Unit Development authorization for the Project, including General Plan consistency/Planning Code § 101.1 findings.
- 2.1.5 Adoption by the Planning Commission of Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, recommending approval by the Board of Supervisors of Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_, adding Planning Code Section 249.39 to create the HOPE SF Hunters View Special Use District.
- 2.1.6 Adoption by the Planning Commission of Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, recommending approval by the Board of Supervisors of Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_, adding Planning Code Section 263.20 to create the HOPE SF Hunters View SUD and 40/65-X Height and Bulk District.
- 2.1.7 Adoption by the Planning Commission of Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, recommending approval by the Board of Supervisors of Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_, amending the Zoning Map of the City and County of San Francisco.
- 2.2 Project Description's Relationship to the FEIR

The Project, described in detail below, is based on the Project Description contained in Chapter II of the FEIR.

#### 2.3 Public Review of FEIR

The City's Planning Department ("Planning Department") determined that an EIR was required for the initial proposal to redevelop Hunters View and provided public notice of that determination by publication in a newspaper of general circulation on November 17, 2007.

On March 1, 2008, the Planning Department published the Draft Environmental Impact Report (hereinafter "DEIR") on the Hunters View Redevelopment Project and provided public notice in a newspaper of general circulation of the availability of the DEIR for public review and comment and of the date and time of the Planning Commission public hearing on the DEIR; this notice was mailed to the Planning Department's list of persons requesting such notice.

Notices of availability of the DEIR and of the date and time of the public hearing were posted near the project site by the Project Sponsor on March 1, 2008.

On March 1, 2008, copies of the DEIR were mailed or otherwise delivered to a list of persons requesting it, to those noted on the distribution list in the DEIR, and to government agencies, the latter both directly and through the State Clearinghouse.

Notice of Completion was filed with the State Secretary of Resources via the State Clearinghouse on February 29, 2008.

The Planning Commission held a duly advertised public hearing on the DEIR on April 3, 2008, at which opportunity for public comment was given, and public comment was received on the DEIR. The period for acceptance of written comments ended on April 14, 2008.

The Planning Department prepared responses to comments on environmental issues received at the public hearing and in writing during the 45-day public review period for the DEIR, prepared revisions to the text of the DEIR in response to comments received or based on additional information that became available during the public review period, and corrected errors in the DEIR. This material was presented in a "Draft Summary of Comments and Responses," published on May 29, 2008, was distributed to the Planning Commission and to all parties who commented on the DEIR, and was available to others upon request at the Planning Department offices.

#### 2.4 FEIR Certification

The Planning Commission has reviewed and considered the FEIR and found that the contents of said report and the procedures through which the FEIR was prepared, publicized and reviewed comply with the provisions of CEQA, the CEQA Guidelines and Chapter 31.

The Planning Commission further finds that the FEIR reflects the independent judgment and analysis of the City and County of San Francisco as the lead agency under CEQA.

By this Motion [TBD], the Planning Commission hereby adopts findings pursuant to CEQA, including mitigation measures, a mitigation monitoring and reporting program and a statement of overriding considerations.

#### 3. PLANNING COMMISSION ACTIONS

The Planning Commission is considering various actions ("Actions") in furtherance of the Project, which include the following:

- 3.1 Adoption of these CEQA Findings, including a Statement of Overriding Considerations, mitigation measures, and a mitigation monitoring and reporting program; and
- 3.2 Certification of the FEIR.
- 3.2.1 Adoption by the Planning Commission of Motion No. \_\_\_\_, approving the Conditional Use/Planned Unit Development authorization for the Project, including General Plan consistency/Planning Code § 101.1 findings.
- 3.2.2 Adoption by the Planning Commission of Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, recommending approval by the Board of Supervisors of Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_, adding Planning Code Section 249.39 to create the HOPE SF Hunters View Special Use District.

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- 3.2.4 Adoption by the Planning Commission of Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, recommending approval by the Board of Supervisors of Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_, amending the Zoning Map of the City and County of San Francisco.

#### 4. CONSIDERATION OF PROJECT ALTERNATIVES

This Article describes the Project as well as rejected Project Alternatives. Included in these descriptions are the reasons for selecting or rejecting the alternatives. This Article also outlines the Project's purposes and provides a context for understanding the reasons for selecting or rejecting alternatives, and describes the project alternative components analyzed in the FEIR. The Project's FEIR presents more details on selection and rejection of alternatives.

#### 4.1 Summary of Alternatives Analyzed in the FEIR

The FEIR for the Hunters View Redevelopment Project analyzed the Project proposal and three alternatives:

- No Project Alternative
- Reduced-Project Alternative
- No Re-Zoning Alternative: Proposed Project with No Change in Height and Bulk Controls

The Project is expected to yield 800 residential units (267 replacement units for public housing, 83 affordable rental units and up to 450 for sale units), 6,400 square feet of commercial space, 21,600 square feet of community space, and approximately 58,300 square feet of neighborhood parks.

#### 4.2 Overview of the Project

The Project will be developed on two adjacent parcels. The San Francisco Housing Authority property currently contains 267 public housing units in 50 buildings located on approximately 20.5 acres while the San Francisco Redevelopment Authority property is vacant. The 267 residential units contain approximately 325,000 square feet of space, and there is an additional 7,000 square feet of community serving and storage space on the site. The buildings range in height from one to three stories (or 16 to 28 feet) and currently there are no off-street parking spaces.

The redevelopment of Hunters View will include the demolition of all of the existing public housing units and other community facilities on the site. The redevelopment of Hunters View will result in a mixed-income community that will include between 650 and 800 new residential units and provide one-for-one replacement of the existing 267 public housing units. While subject to adjustment based on further feasibility analysis, the current project proposal includes up to 800 total units, including a total of 350 affordable rental units (267 of which will be the replacement public housing units) and up to 450 home ownership units, of which 10-15% will be affordable and 17 of those will be developed by Habitat for Humanity. This new mixed-income development will result in a range of resident incomes from less than 10% to well over 120% of Adjusted Median Income (AMI). Additionally, the net proceeds from the sale of the market-rate for-sale units will serve as the financial engine of the project by cross-subsidizing a portion of the development costs of the public housing replacement units and affordable rental units.

The Project will also include new roads and walkways that maximize the site's development capacity and enhance resident safety and community connectivity; infrastructure improvements that ensure all residents are adequately served; positioning of buildings and open spaces to maximize the site's long-neglected "million dollar" views for all residents; new community facilities with potential uses such as a teen center, a computer learning facility, a childcare/Head Start center and children's play areas; and comprehensive supportive service programming that will assist residents through every stage of their life cycle. Additionally, the Project will be based on sustainable "green" building technologies and is one of the projects selected for the pilot program in Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design for Neighborhood Design (LEED-ND).

The Project includes up to 800 housing units located in multiple buildings comprising 21 blocks (18 developed and three landscaped parks). The Project includes approximately 6,400 square feet of neighborhood serving retail space, and approximately 21,600 square feet of community serving space and storage. It also includes approximately 58,300 square feet of park space to be developed at three sites. The buildings will range in size from two to seven stories or 20 to 65 feet. There will be up to 816 off-street parking spaces, although the current proposal calls for approximately 672 off-street parking spaces.

#### 4.3 Project Need, Purpose and Objectives

The Project Sponsor's primary objective is to build a high quality, well-designed, cost efficient and affordable mixed-income community that includes units for singles, families and seniors and community facilities that equally serve all residents.

Specific Objectives of the Project include:

- Develop up to 800 units of mixed-income housing;
- Replace all current public housing units, on a one-for-one basis, with high quality comparably affordable units;
- Minimize off-site relocation of residents during construction;
- Provide unit types to best meet the needs of the current and future residents;
- Continue to provide affordable housing opportunities yet decrease the concentration of public housing units by adding additional mixed-income units;
- Create affordable and market rate home ownership opportunities;
- Utilize the sales proceeds from the market rate home ownership component in order to help finance the construction of the public housing units;
- Realign the streets and placement of buildings to result in more typical San Francisco neighborhood and to maximize views for all residents;
- Create greater connectivity to the broader community by adding street and walkway connections where feasible;
- Provide supportive services for residents;
- Remediate the physical hazards of the existing Hunters View;
- Blend the design of the new buildings into the surrounding community;
- Base construction on healthy and green principles;
- Improve public housing facilities, amenities, security, and Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) access at the site; and

 Create a stable mixed-income community that serves both existing residents as well as new residents.

#### 4.4 Reasons for Selection of the Hunters View Redevelopment Project

The Project is selected because it will achieve all of the Project Objectives and promote achievement of the following goals, which would not be achieved by either the No Project Alternative, the Reduced-Project Alternative, or the No Re-Zoning Alternative:

Increased Affordable Housing and Market Rate Housing – The Project will provide more affordable housing units and more market rate units than any of the alternatives, thus helping to address San Francisco's significant shortfall in housing, especially affordable housing.

Increased Economic and Business Vitality – The Project will provide more resources for economic revitalization efforts in the Hunters View neighborhood.

#### 4.5 Overview of Other Project Alternatives Considered

The following section presents an overview of the other Project Alternatives analyzed in the FEIR. A more detailed description of each alternative can be found in Chapter VI (Alternatives to the Proposed Project) of the FEIR.

#### Rejected Alternative: No Project Alternative

Under the No Project Alternative, no physical land use changes would occur at the site. The existing 267 unit Hunters View public housing development would remain in its current configuration and overall condition.

#### Rejected Alternative: Reduced-Project Alternative

Under the Reduced-Project Alternative, only 260 units would be developed at the site. This change would result in 540 fewer housing units than were proposed for the Project.

#### Rejected Alternative: No-Rezoning Alternative

The No-Rezoning Alternative would have the same uses as the Project but would not propose a text and map amendment to rezone the Project Site from 40-X to 40/65-X. This alternative would create a total of about 670 residential units, compared to up to 800 units with the proposed Project.

#### 4.6 Reasons for Rejection of Other Project Alternatives

#### Rejected Alternative: No Project Alternative

The No Project Alternative is rejected for the following reasons:

Reduced Housing – The No Project Alternative would provide less affordable housing than the proposed Hunters View Redevelopment Project and no market rate housing. This alternative would be inconsistent with the goals of the *Bayview Hunters Point Redevelopment Plan*, which include "encourage construction of new affordable and market rate housing at locations and density levels that enhance the overall residential quality of Bayview Hunters Point."

Reduced Economic and Business Vitality – The No Project Alternative will provide fewer resources for economic revitalization efforts along the blighted corridors along Third Street and include less direct resources for neighborhood businesses than the Project.

This alternative would not meet any of the Project Objectives.

For the economic, legal, social, technological, and other considerations reasons set forth herein and in the FEIR, the No Project Alternative is rejected as infeasible.

#### <u>Rejected Alternative: Reduced-Project Alternative</u>

The Reduced-Project Alternative would be partially consistent with the *Bayview Hunters Point Redevelopment Plan*, but would not respond fully to the goals to "encourage construction of new affordable and market rate housing at locations and density levels that enhance the overall residential quality of Bayview Hunters Point" because it would develop only 260 units at the site.

This alternative would have other characteristics similar to those of the proposed Project, and its potential environmental effects would be similar to those described for the proposed Project, except for traffic impacts where the Project's contribution to significant unavoidable project level and cumulative impacts would be eliminated.

This alternative would limit the ability of the Project Sponsor to meet many of the Project objectives: to develop up to 800 units of mixed-income housing; to provide unit types to best meet the needs of current and future residents; to continue to provide affordable housing opportunities yet decrease the concentration of public housing units by adding additional mixed-income units; to create affordable and market-rate home ownership opportunities; to use the sales proceeds from the market-rate home ownership component to help finance the construction of the public housing units. It would not result in a one to one replacement of the 267 public housing units.

For the economic, legal, social, technological, and other considerations reasons set forth herein and in the FEIR, the No Reduced-Project Alternative is rejected as infeasible.

#### Rejected Alternative: No-Rezoning Alternative

The No-Rezoning Alternative would be generally consistent with the *Bayview Hunters Point Redevelopment Plan*, but would not respond fully to the goals to "encourage construction of new affordable and market rate housing at locations and density levels that enhance the overall residential quality of Bayview Hunters Point" because it would result in fewer affordable and market-rate housing units at the site.

This alternative would have other characteristics similar to those of the proposed Project, and its potential environmental effects would be similar to those described for the proposed Project. Urban design and visual quality effects of this alternative would differ from those of the proposed Project, as there would be no buildings greater than 40 feet in height.

This alternative would limit the ability of the Project Sponsor to meet many of the Project Objectives without the necessary zoning changes.

For the economic, legal, social, technological, and other considerations reasons set forth herein and in the FEIR, the No Rezoning Alternative is rejected as infeasible.

#### 5. FINDINGS REGARDING MITIGATION MEASURES

The California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) requires agencies to adopt mitigation measures that would avoid or substantially lessen a project's identified significant impacts or potential significant impacts if such measures are feasible.

The findings in this section concern mitigation measures set forth in the FEIR. These findings discuss mitigation measures as proposed in the FEIR and recommended for adoption by the Planning Commission, which can be implemented by the Project Sponsor [and City agencies or departments, including, but not limited to, the Department of City Planning ("Planning Department"), the Department of Public Works ("DPW"), the Municipal Transportation Agency ("MTA"), the Department of Building Inspection ("DBI"), the Department of Public Health ("DPH") and the Department of Parking and Traffic ("DPT").]

Primary responsibility for implementation of mitigation measures will be shared by the Project Sponsor and the Planning Department.

As explained previously, **Exhibit 1**, attached, contains the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program required by CEQA Section 21081.6 and CEQA Guidelines Section 15091. It provides a table setting forth each mitigation measure listed in Chapter IV of the FEIR that is required to reduce or avoid a significant adverse impact. Exhibit 1 also specifies the entity and/or agency responsible for implementation of each measure, establishes monitoring actions and a monitoring schedule.

The Planning Commission finds that, based on the record before it, the mitigation measures proposed for adoption in the FEIR, other than Mitigation Measures D-1 through D-6, are feasible, and that they can and should be carried out by the identified entity and/or agencies at the designated time. This Planning Commission urges other agencies to adopt and implement applicable mitigation measures set forth in the FEIR that are within the jurisdiction and responsibility of such entities. The Planning Commission acknowledges that if such measures are not adopted and implemented, the Project may result in additional significant unavoidable impacts. For this reason, and as discussed in Article 6, the Planning Commission is adopting a Statement of Overriding Considerations as set forth in Article 7.

The Findings in this section concern mitigation measures set forth in the FEIR. All feasible mitigation measures identified in the FEIR that will reduce or avoid significant adverse environmental impacts are proposed for adoption and are set forth in Exhibit 1, in the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program. Mitigation Measures D-1, D-2 and D-6 set forth in the FEIR require further analysis to determine their feasibility and are proposed for adoption if found feasible. Mitigation Measures D-3, D-4 and D-5 set forth in the FEIR are rejected as infeasible and therefore are not included in the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program. None of the other mitigation measures set forth in the FEIR that are needed to reduce or avoid significant adverse environmental impacts is rejected.

5.1 <u>Mitigation Measures Recommended by the Planning Commission for Adoption As Proposed For Implementation by City Departments and the Agency.</u>

The Planning Commission finds that the following measures presented in the FEIR will mitigate, reduce, or avoid the significant environmental effects of the Project. They are hereby recommended for adoption and implementation by the City departments with applicable jurisdiction in the approval of the Project, as set forth below.

Air Quality

Mitigation Measure E-1.A: Construction Dust Control

Construction activities would generate airborne dust that could temporarily adversely affect the surrounding area. The principal pollutant of concern would be PM10. Because construction-related PM10 emissions primarily affect the area surrounding a project site, the BAAQMD recommends that all dust control measures that the BAAQMD considers feasible, depending on the size of the project, be implemented to reduce the localized impact to the maximum extent. To reduce particulate matter emissions during project excavation and construction phases, the Project Sponsor shall comply with the dust control strategies developed by the BAAQMD. The Project Sponsor shall include in construction contracts the following requirements or other measures shown to be equally effective.

- Cover all truck hauling soil, sand, and other loose construction and demolition debris from the site, or require all such trucks to maintain at least two feet of freeboard;
- Water all exposed or disturbed soil surfaces in active construction areas at least twice daily;
- Use watering to control dust generation during demolition of structures or break-up of pavement;
- Pave, apply water three times daily, or apply(non-toxic) soil stabilizers on all unpaved parking areas and staging areas;
- Sweep daily (with water sweepers) all paved parking areas and staging areas;
- Provide daily clean-up of mud and dirt carried onto paved streets from the site;
- Enclose, cover, water twice daily or apply non-toxic soil binders to exposed stockpiles (dirt, sand, etc.);
- Limit traffic speeds on unpaved roads to 15mph;
- Install sandbags or other erosion control measures to prevent silt runoff to public roadways;
- Replant vegetation in disturbed areas as quickly as possible;
- Hydroseed or apply(non-toxic) soil stabilizers to inactive construction areas (previously graded areas inactive for ten days or more);
- Install wheel washers for all existing trucks, or wash off the tires or tracks of all trucks and equipment leaving the site;
- Install windbreaks at the windward side(s) of construction areas;
- Suspend excavation and grading activity when winds (instantaneous gusts) exceed 25 miles per hour over a 30-minute period or more; and
- To the extent possible, limit the area subject to excavation, grading, and other dustgenerating construction activity at any one time.

#### Mitigation Measure E-1.B: Construction Equipment Emissions

Reduce emissions from heavy-duty diesel-powered equipment. The Project Sponsor shall implement measures to reduce the emissions of pollutants generated by heavy-duty diesel-powered equipment operating at the Project Site during project excavation and construction phases. The Project Sponsor shall include in construction contracts the following requirements or other measures shown to be equally effective.

- Keep all construction equipment in proper tune in accordance with manufacturer's specifications;
- Use late model heavy-duty diesel-powered equipment at the project site to the extent that

it is readily available in the San Francisco Bay Area;

- Use diesel-powered equipment that has been retrofitted with after-treatment products (e.g., engine catalysts) to the extent that it is readily available in the San Francisco Bay Area;
- Use low-emission diesel fuel for all heavy-duty diesel-powered equipment operating and refueling at the project site to the extent that it is readily available and cost effective in the San Francisco Bay Area (this does not apply to diesel-powered trucks traveling to and from the site);
- Utilize alternative fuel construction equipment (i.e., compressed natural gas, liquid petroleum gas, and unleaded gasoline) to the extent that the equipment is readily available and cost effective in the San Francisco Bay Area;
- Limit truck and equipment idling time to five minutes or less;
- Rely on the electricity infrastructure surrounding the construction sites rather than electrical generators powered by internal combustion engines to the extent feasible.

#### Mitigation Measure E-2: Naturally Occurring Asbestos Control

The Project Site is known to have serpentine rock that contains naturally occurring asbestos, disturbance to which could result in potentially significant impacts to air quality. The Project Sponsor will be responsible for compliance with Toxic Control Measures for Construction, Grading, Quarrying, and Surface Mining Operation as enforced by CARB. These measures require that are as greater than one acre that have any portion of the area to be disturbed located in a geographic ultramafic rock unit or has naturally occurring asbestos, serpentine, or ultramafic rock as determined by the sponsor or an Air Pollution Control Officer shall not engage in any construction or grading operation on property where the area to be disturbed is greater than one acre unless an Asbestos Dust Mitigation Plan for the operation has been:

- Submitted to and approved by the district before the start of any construction or grading activity; and
- The provisions of that dust mitigation plan are implemented at the beginning and maintained throughout the duration of the construction or grading activity.

Compliance with these dust control measures would reduce air quality impacts to a less-than-significant level.

#### Noise

#### Mitigation Measure F-1: Construction Noise

To the extent feasible, the Project Sponsor shall limit construction activity to the hours of 7:00a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on weekdays, and 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. If nighttime construction is required, the Project Sponsor shall apply for, and abide by the terms of, a permit from the San Francisco Department of Public Works. The Project Sponsor shall require contractors to comply with the City Noise Ordinance.

Construction contractors shall implement appropriate additional noise reduction measures that include using noise-reducing mufflers and other noise abatement devices, changing the location of stationary construction equipment, where possible, shutting off idling equipment, and notifying adjacent residences and businesses in advance of construction work. In addition, the Project Sponsor shall require the posting of signs prior to construction activities with a phone number for residents to call with noise complaints.

#### Mitigation Measure F-2: Construction Vibration

The Project Sponsor shall provide notification to the closest receptors, at least ten days in advance, of construction activities that could cause vibration levels above the threshold.

The Project Sponsor shall require construction contractors to conduct demolition, earthmoving, and ground-impacting operations so as not to occur in the same time period.

The Project Sponsor shall require construction contractors to, where possible, and financially feasible, select demolition methods to minimize vibration (e.g., sawing masonry into sections rather than demolishing it by pavement breakers)

The Project Sponsor shall require construction contractors to operate earth moving equipment on the construction site as far away from vibration sensitive sites as possible. The construction contractor shall implement methods to reduce vibration, including, but not limited to, sound attenuation barriers, cut off trenches and the use of smaller hammers.

#### Mitigation Measure F-3: Mechanical Equipment

The proposed Project is zoned as Residential-1 zone, which is prohibited by San Francisco Police Code Section 2909, to have a fixed source noise that exceeds 50 dBA, at the property line, between 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. The proposed Project's mechanical equipment could exceed 50 dBA at the property line. The Project sponsor shall provide shielding to minimize noise from stationary mechanical equipment, including ventilation units, such that noise levels from the equipment at the nearest property line would be below 50 dBA.

The incorporation of Mitigation Measures F-1, F-2 and F-3 would reduce construction and operational noise and vibration impacts to less than significant levels.

#### Biological Resources

Mitigation Measure G-1: Bird Nest Pre-Construction Survey

Given that the presence of mature eucalyptus trees (Eucalyptus sp.) on the Project Site could potentially provide nesting habitat for raptors (i.e., birds of prey) such as red-tailed hawk and American kestrel, among others, tree removal associated with the proposed Project could result in "take" caused by the direct mortality of adult or young birds, nest destruction, or disturbance of nesting native bird species (including migratory birds and other special-status species) resulting in nest abandonment and/or the loss of reproductive effort. Bird species are protected by both state (CDFG Code Sections 3503 and 3513) and federal (Migratory Bird Treaty Act of 1918) laws. Disruption of nesting birds, resulting in the abandonment of active nests, or the loss of active nests through structure removal would be a potentially significant impact.

The Project Sponsor shall retain a qualified biologist to conduct preconstruction breeding-season surveys (approximately March 15 through August 30) of the Project Site and immediate vicinity during the same calendar year that construction is planned to begin, in consultation with the City of San Francisco and CDFG.

- If phased construction procedures are planned for the proposed Project, the results of the above survey shall be valid only for the season when it is conducted.
- A report shall be submitted to the City of San Francisco, following the completion of the bird nesting survey that includes, at a minimum, the following information:

- A description of methodology including dates of field visits, the names of survey personnel with resumes, and a list of references cited and persons contacted.
- A map showing the location(s) of any bird nests observed on the Project Site.

If the above survey does not identify any nesting bird species on the project site, no further mitigation would be required. However, should any active bird nests be located on the Project Site, the following mitigation measure shall be implemented.

Mitigation Measure G-2: Bird Nest Buffer Zone

The Project Sponsor, in consultation with the City and County of San Francisco and California Department of Fish and Game (CDFG), shall delay construction in the vicinity of active bird nest sites located on or adjacent to the Project Site during the breeding season (approximately March 15 through August 30) while the nest is occupied with adults and/or young. If active nests are identified, construction activities should not occur within 500 ft of the nest. A qualified biologist, determined by the Environmental Review Officer, shall monitor the active nest until the young have fledged, until the biologist determines that the nest is no longer active, or if it is reasonable that construction activities are not disturbing nesting behaviors. The buffer zone shall be delineated by highly visible temporary construction fencing.

Implementation of Mitigation Measures G-1 and G-2 will avoid significant adverse effects on bird species.

Mitigation Measure G-3: Serpentine Grassland Pre-Construction Measures on the PG&E Property

Remaining examples of serpentine grass land are extremely rare in the Bay Area; each remnant lost contributes to the overall decline of biodiversity within the region. Many of the native plant species associated with serpentine grass lands are endemic (i.e., locally restricted) to this habitat type. If the Project Sponsor can obtain site control for an easement on the PG&E property, construction of the proposed pedestrian walkway from the Hunters View site could impact remnants of serpentine grassland on the PG&E site. Any loss of serpentine grassland could represent a potentially adverse impact to this community type.

Due to the presence of steep slopes, all construction activities associated with the pedestrian route on the PG&E property, if it is developed, shall occur during the dry season (typically from the end of May to mid-October) to limit the likelihood of soil erosion and to minimize the need to install erosion-control barriers (e.g., silt fencing, wattles) that may impact existing serpentine bunchgrass remnants from their placement along slope contours.

Prior to the initiation of any construction activities on the PG&E property, the Project Sponsor shall prepare a detailed plan showing proposed construction-related activities on the PG&E site. A qualified botanist familiar with serpentine bunchgrass communities shall conduct a pre-construction survey of the PG&E property, during the portion of the growing season when most native vascular plant species previously documented as occurring on the site are evident and readily identifiable. Any areas containing remnants of serpentine bunchgrass habitat outside the proposed footprint for the walkway (including access routes), but within 20 feet of these areas shall be clearly delineated by appropriate avoidance markers (e.g., orange construction fencing, brightly colored flagging tape on lath stakes). An appropriate access route to and from the walkway area shall be developed, utilizing existing service roads and/or concrete building pads to avoid remnants of serpentine bunchgrass. Staging areas for this construction shall be limited to areas where remnants of serpentine bunchgrass do not occur.

The Project Sponsor shall conduct Worker Environmental Awareness Program (WEAP) training for construction crews (primarily crew and construction foreman) and City inspectors before construction activities begin. The WEAP shall include a brief review of the serpentine bunchgrass resource that occurs on the PG&E site. The program shall also cover all mitigation measures, and proposed Project plans, such as BMPs and any other required plans. During WEAP training, construction personnel shall be informed of the importance of avoiding ground-disturbing activities outside of the designated work area. The designated biological monitor shall be responsible for ensuring that construction personnel adhere to the guidelines and restrictions. WEAP training sessions shall be conducted as needed for new personnel brought onto the job during the construction period.

Mitigation Measure G-4: Serpentine Habitat Avoidance on the PG&E Property

Best Management Practices (BMPs) shall be employed during all construction activities on the PG&E site (e.g., all fueling of equipment within designated areas, containment of hazardous materials in the advent of accidental spills).

Mitigation Measure G-5: Serpentine Habitat Post-Construction Clean-Up on the PG&E Property

After construction is complete, all trash shall be removed from within the PG&E site.

Mitigation Measure G-6: Serpentine Habitat Replanting on the PG&E Property

After construction is complete, all areas of identified serpentine bunchgrass habitat on the PG&E property impacted by construction activities shall be restored to a level equal to, or exceeding the quality of habitat that existed before impacts to these habitats occurred. Mitigation shall be achieved by implementation of the following planting plan:

- Installation of transplants and/or planting of locally-collected seeds from native plant species associated with serpentine grassland habitats into areas impacted by the proposed Project. The frequency, density, and distribution of native species used within the mitigation plantings shall be determined through consultation with appropriate resource agencies, organizations, and practitioners. Installation shall be supervised by a qualified horticulturalist or botanist. Measures to reduce transplant mortality may include, but are not limited to the following:
  - Placement of cages, temporary fences, or other structures to reduce small mammal access, until transplants are sufficiently established;
  - Any weeding around transplants to reduce competition from non-native species shall be done manually;
  - Placement of a temporary irrigation system or periodic watering by mobile equipment sources for the first two years until transplants are sufficiently established.

General success of the mitigation plantings shall be measured by the following criteria:

Periodically assess the overall health and vigor of transplants during the growing season for the first three years; no further success criteria is required if transplants within the mitigation plantings have maintained a 70 percent or greater success rate by the end of the third year. If transplant success rate is below 70 percent by the end of the third year, a contingency plan to replace transplants due to mortality loss (e.g., foraging by small mammals, desiccation) shall be implemented.

Implementation of Mitigation Measures BIO.3 through BIO.6 will avoid significant adverse effects on serpentine grassland habitat.

## Mitigation Measure G-7: Significant trees

The Project will comply with Article 16 of the Public Works Code for protection for significant trees. "Significant trees" are defined as trees within 10 feet of a public right-of-way, and also meet one of the following size requirements:

- 20 feet or greater in height;
- 15 feet or greater in canopy width; or
- 12 inches or greater diameter of trunk measured at 4.5 feet above grade.

Street trees are also protected by the City's Urban Forestry Ordinance and both require a permit for removal. Some tree species within the Project Site meet the criterion of "Significant Tree" status; before construction occurs within any portions of the Project Site that could contain "Significant Trees," a tree survey shall be performed by a qualified arborist, and a map shall be prepared showing the genus and species, location, and drip line of all trees greater than 36 inches in diameter at breast height (DBH) or greater that are proposed to be altered, removed, or relocated. Any removal of these trees associated with the proposed Project will require a permit review, and replacement of affected "significant" trees as specified in the ordinance. Adherence to the ordinance will avoid the potential impact on the loss of significant trees.

## Mitigation Measure H-1: Archaeological Resources

Based on the reasonable potential that archaeological resources may be present within the project site, the following measures shall be undertaken to avoid any potentially significant adverse effect from the proposed Project on buried or submerged historical resources. The Project Sponsor shall retain the services of a qualified archaeological consultant having expertise in California prehistoric and urban historical archeology. The archaeological consultant shall undertake an archaeological monitoring program during construction activities in Blocks 13, 18, and 19 (as shown on Figure 2 in the FEIR). The archaeological consultant shall first undertake a geoarchaeological study of this project sub-area to determine if any buried land surfaces available for prehistoric occupation are present. All plans and reports prepared by the consultant as specified herein shall be submitted first and directly to the ERO for review and comment, and shall be considered draft reports subject to revision until final approval by the ERO. Archaeological monitoring and/or data recovery programs required by this measure could suspend construction of the proposed Project for up to a maximum of four weeks. At the direction of the ERO, the suspension of construction can be extended beyond four weeks only if such a suspension is the only feasible means to reduce to a less-than-significant level potential effects on a significant archaeological resource as defined in CEQA Guidelines Sect. 15064.5 (a)(c).

Archaeological monitoring program (AMP). The archaeological monitoring program shall at a minimum include the following provisions:

• The archaeological consultant, Project Sponsor, and ERO shall meet and consult on the scope of the AMP reasonably prior to any project-related soils disturbing activities commencing. The ERO in consultation with the project archeologist shall determine what project activities shall be archaeologically monitored. In most cases, any soils disturbing activities, such as demolition, foundation removal, excavation, grading, utilities installation, foundation work, driving of piles (foundation, shoring, etc.), site remediation, etc., shall require archaeological monitoring because of the potential risk these activities pose to archaeological resources and to their depositional context;

- The archaeological consultant shall advise all project contractors to be on the alert for evidence of the presence of the expected resource(s), of how to identify the evidence of the expected resource(s), and of the appropriate protocol in the event of apparent discovery of an archaeological resource;
- The archaeological monitor(s) shall be present on the project site according to a schedule agreed upon by the archaeological consultant and the ERO until the ERO has, in consultation with the archaeological consultant, determined that project construction activities could have no effects on significant archaeological deposits;
- The archaeological monitor shall record and be authorized to collect soil samples and artifactual/ecofactual material as warranted for analysis;
- If an intact archaeological deposit is encountered, all soils disturbing activities in the vicinity of the deposit shall cease. The archaeological monitor shall be empowered to temporarily redirect demolition/excavation/pile driving/construction crews and heavy equipment until the deposit is evaluated. If in the case of pile driving activity (foundation, shoring, etc.), the archaeological monitor has cause to believe that the pile driving activity may affect an archaeological resource, the pile driving activity shall be terminated until an appropriate evaluation of the resource has been made in consultation with the ERO. The archaeological consultant shall immediately notify the ERO of the encountered archaeological deposit. The archaeological consultant shall, after making a reasonable effort to assess the identity, integrity, and significance of the encountered archaeological deposit, present the findings of this assessment to the ERO.

If the ERO in consultation with the archaeological consultant determines that a significant archaeological resource is present and that the resource could be adversely affected by the proposed Project, at the discretion of the Project Sponsor either:

- The proposed Project shall be re-designed so as to avoid any adverse effect on the significant archaeological resource; or
- An archaeological data recovery program shall be implemented, unless the ERO determines that the archaeological resource is of greater interpretive than research significance and that interpretive use of the resource is feasible.

If an archaeological data recovery program is required by the ERO, the archaeological data recovery program shall be conducted in accord with an archaeological data recovery plan (ADRP). The project archaeological consultant, Project Sponsor, and ERO shall meet and consult on the scope of the ADRP. The archaeological consultant shall prepare a draft ADRP that shall be submitted to the ERO for review and approval. The ADRP shall identify how the proposed data recovery program will preserve the significant information the archaeological resource is expected to contain. That is, the ADRP will identify what scientific/historical research questions are applicable to the expected resource, what data classes the resource is expected to possess, and how the expected data classes would address the applicable research questions. Data recovery, in general, should be limited to the portions of the historical property that could be adversely affected by the proposed Project. Destructive data recovery methods shall not be applied to portions of the archaeological resources if nondestructive methods are practical.

The scope of the ADRP shall include the following elements:

- Field Methods and Procedures. Descriptions of proposed field strategies, procedures, and operations.
- Cataloguing and Laboratory Analysis. Description of selected cataloguing system and artifact analysis procedures.

- Discard and Deaccession Policy. Description of and rationale for field and post-field discard and deaccession policies.
- Interpretive Program. Consideration of an on-site/off-site public interpretive program during the course of the archaeological data recovery program.
- Security Measures. Recommended security measures to protect the archaeological resource from vandalism, looting, and non-intentionally damaging activities.
- Final Report. Description of proposed report format and distribution of results.
- Curation. Description of the procedures and recommendations for the curation of any recovered data having potential research value, identification of appropriate curation facilities, and a summary of the accession policies of the curation facilities.
- Human Remains, Associated or Unassociated Funerary Objects. The treatment of human remains and of associated or unassociated funerary objects discovered during any soils disturbing activity shall comply with applicable State and Federal Laws, including immediate notification of the Coroner of the City and County of San Francisco and in the event of the Coroner's determination that the human remains are Native American remains, notification of the California State Native American Heritage Commission (NAHC) who shall appoint a Most Likely Descendant (MLD) (Pub. Res. Code Sec. 5097.98). The archaeological consultant, Project Sponsor, and MLD shall make all reasonable efforts to develop an agreement for the treatment of, with appropriate dignity, human remains and associated or unassociated funerary objects (CEQA Guidelines. Sec. 15064.5(d)). The agreement should take into consideration the appropriate excavation, removal, recordation, analysis, curation, possession, and final disposition of the human remains and associated or unassociated funerary objects.
- Final Archaeological Resources Report. The archaeological consultant shall submit a Draft Final Archaeological Resources Report (FARR) to the ERO that evaluates the historical significance of any discovered archaeological resource and describes the archaeological and historical research methods employed in the archaeological testing/monitoring/data recovery program(s) undertaken. Information that may put at risk any archaeological resource shall be provided in a separate removable insert within the draft final report.

Copies of the Draft FARR shall be sent to the ERO for review and approval. Once approved by the ERO copies of the FARR shall be distributed as follows: California Archaeological Site Survey Northwest Information Center (NWIC) shall receive one (1) copy and the ERO shall receive a copy of the transmittal of the FARR to the NWIC. The Major Environmental Analysis division of the Planning Department shall receive three copies of the FARR along with copies of any formal site recordation forms (CA DPR 523 series) and/or documentation for nomination to the National Register of Historic Places/California Register of Historical Resources. In instances of high public interest or interpretive value, the ERO may require a different final report content, format, and distribution than that presented above.

Compliance with this mitigation measure would reduce impacts to undiscovered cultural resources to a less-than-significant level.

Mitigation Measure H-2: Hazardous Building Materials Survey

Given the age of the buildings to be demolished it is likely that Hazardous Building Materials are present. Improper disposal of these materials could result in a potentially significant impact to the environment.

Therefore, prior to demolition of existing buildings, light fixtures and electrical components that contain PCBs or mercury should be identified, removed and disposed of in accordance with the Department of Toxic Substances Controls "universal waste" procedures. Compliance with these procedures would reduce impacts to a less-than-significant level.

Mitigation Measure H-3: Contaminated Soil Identification

Lead contaminated soil was identified in several locations on the Project Site. The improper handling or disposal of lead contaminated soil would constitute a significant impact.

Therefore, prior to issuance of a grading permit a Phase II analysis should be conducted on the Project Site. The Phase II shall include comprehensive soil sampling and laboratory analysis with the goal of identifying lead, chromium and contaminated soils. The scope of this Phase II analysis should be developed in cooperation with the San Francisco Department of Public Health.

If the results of this Phase II analysis indicate that contaminated soils is, in fact present on the site, Mitigation Measure H~4, below, shall also be incorporated.

Mitigation Measure H-4: Contaminated Soil Disposal

Based on the findings of the Phase II analysis conducted under Mitigation Measure H~3, a soil remediation and disposal plan shall be developed that includes a plan for on-site reuse or disposal of contaminated soils. In the event that soils are contaminated beyond DTSC thresholds, load-and-go procedures should be identified as well as the Class I landfill for disposal.

Incorporation of Mitigation Measures H-3 and H-4 would reduce impacts that result from handling and disposal of contaminated soils to a less-than-significant level.

## 5.2 Mitigation Measures Requiring Further Analysis to Determine Their Feasibility

The following Mitigation Measures set forth in the FEIR require further analysis to determine their feasibility. They are proposed for adoption if determined to be feasible and therefore are conditionally adopted. If the Mitigation Measures are determined to be unfeasible, the impacts will remain significant and unavoidable.

Mitigation Measure D-1: Third Street/Evans Avenue

The signalized Third Street/Evans Avenue intersection would degrade from LOS D (average delay of 35.7 seconds per vehicle) to LOS E (average delay of 60.9 seconds per vehicle) with the addition of the project-generated traffic to baseline conditions. The intersection is actuated by video detection equipment and accommodates pedestrians, bicycles, vehicles, and the T-Third Street MUNI line. The T-Third Street MUNI line occupies the center median and makes several trips during the PM peak period. The northbound and southbound through movements are coordinated. The proposed Project would add 324 vehicles per hour to the intersection during the PM peak period. The most significant traffic volume increase would occur at the southbound left turn movement (83 vehicles per hour) which is already projected to operate at LOS F during the PM peak hour in the Baseline Conditions.

The project impacts at the Third Street/Evans Avenue intersection could be mitigated by adjusting the maximum allowable southbound left turn green time. In the Baseline plus Project Conditions, the southbound left turn movement is projected to have an allotted green time of 11 seconds per 100-second cycle (LOS F) and the opposing northbound through movement is projected to have an allotted green time of 37 seconds per 100-second cycle (LOS B). To

mitigate the impact caused by the proposed Project, the southbound left turn green time could be increased to 16 seconds per 100-second cycle and the opposing northbound through movement green time could be decreased to 32 seconds per 100-second cycle.

With the signal timing modification, the intersection is expected to operate at LOS D with an average delay of 37.1 seconds per vehicle. It should also be noted that the implementation of the proposed mitigation measure would be dependent upon an assessment of transit and traffic coordination along Third Street and Evans Avenue to ensure that the changes would not substantially affect MUNI transit operations, signal progressions, pedestrian minimum green time requirements, and programming limitations of signals.

While the mitigation measure described above would reduce the significant Project impacts, further analysis is required to determine feasibility. Therefore, the Project would contribute to a significant unavoidable adverse impact at this intersection.

Mitigation Measure D-2: Third Street/25<sup>th</sup> Street

The signalized Third Street/25thStreet intersection would degrade from LOS B (average delay of 18.9 seconds per vehicle) to LOS E (average delay of 76.6 seconds per vehicle) with 2025 Cumulative Conditions. The intersection would be actuated by video detection equipment and accommodate pedestrians, bicycles, vehicles, and the T-Third Street light rail line. The T-Third Street light rail line occupies the center median. Additionally, light rail tracks will occupy the westbound approach to the intersection to access the Metro East MUNI maintenance facility which is currently under construction. Light rail vehicles are not expected to use these tracks during the PM peak period. The northbound and southbound vehicle through movements would be coordinated. The proposed Project would add 280 vehicles per hour to the intersection during the PM peak period—a contribution of 9.9 percent to the overall growth.

A substantial amount of the delay at the Third Street/25thStreet intersection would be caused by the permitted eastbound and westbound through and right-turn movements. 25th Street would have one all-movement lane in each direction. To the west of the intersection, 25th Street is approximately 40 feet wide and accommodates on-street parking. To the east of the intersection, 25th Street is approximately 30 feet wide and does not accommodate on-street parking. With the removal of the on-street parking to the west of the Third Street/25thStreet intersection, the eastbound approach would have sufficient width to accommodate a through- left lane and an exclusive right turn lane. The eastbound right turn lane could include an overlap phase to coincide with the northbound left-turn phase, with U-turns from northbound Third Street prohibited. With this modification, the intersection steady demand green time splits could be recalculated, while maintaining a 100-second cycle length. The green time allotted to the T-Third trains and intersection offset would not be modified with the implementation of this mitigation measure. With the re-striping of the eastbound approach, the removal of on-street parking, addition of an eastbound right-turn overlap phase, and recalculation of the signal timing steady demand green time splits, the Third Street/25thStreet intersection would operate at LOS D with an average delay of 35.9 seconds per vehicle.

While mitigation has been identified to reduce impacts, further analysis of some of the measures is required to determine feasibility. Therefore, the Project would contribute to a significant unavoidable cumulative adverse impact at this intersection.

Mitigation Measure D-6: Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue

The all-way stop-controlled Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection would degrade from LOS A (average delay of 8.4 seconds per vehicle) to LOS F (average delay of more than 50.0 seconds per vehicle) in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. The intersection would accommodate

pedestrians, bicycles, and vehicles. The proposed Project would add 580 vehicles per hour to the intersection during the PM peak period – a contribution of 22.3 percent to the overall growth.

A substantial amount of the delay at the Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection would be caused by the southbound and westbound approaches. The southbound Middle Point Road/Jennings Street approach would have one all-movement lane. The westbound Evans Avenue approach would have one left-turn lane, one through lane, and one through-right-turn lane.

The expected traffic volumes at the all-way stop-controlled Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection, would meet signal warrants and signalization would be required. With the existing geometry, the intersection would continue to operate at an unacceptable level (LOS F), even with signalization.

Removal of the on-street parking on Middle Point/Jennings to the north of the Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection, would allow the southbound approach to provide an exclusive left-turn lane and a shared left-through-right lane.

With the installation of an actuated-uncoordinated traffic signal, southbound and westbound approach lane reconfiguration, and removal of on-street parking, the Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection would operate at LOS D, with an average delay of 53.1 seconds per vehicle. <sup>122</sup>Implementation of the proposed mitigation measure would be dependent upon an assessment of traffic coordination along Evans Avenue to ensure that the changes would not substantially affect signal progressions, pedestrian conditions requirements, and programming limitations of signals.

While mitigation has been identified to reduce impacts, further analysis is required to determine its feasibility. Therefore, the Project would contribute to a significant unavoidable cumulative adverse impact at this intersection.

## 5.3 Mitigation Measures Rejected by the Planning Commission As Infeasible

The Following Mitigation Measures set forth in the FEIR are rejected as infeasible.

Mitigation Measure D-3: Third Street/Cesar Chavez Street

The signalized Third Street/Cesar Chavez Street intersection would degrade from LOS C (average delay of 32.0 seconds per vehicle) to LOS F (average delay of more than 80.0 seconds per vehicle) with 2025 Cumulative Conditions. The intersection would be fully actuated by video detection equipment and accommodate pedestrians, bicycles, vehicles, and the T-Third Street light rail line. The T-Third Street light rail line occupies the center median. Additionally, light rail tracks will occupy the westbound approach of the intersection to the Metro East MUNI maintenance facility which is currently under construction. Light rail vehicles are not expected to use these tracks during the PM peak period. The northbound and southbound vehicle through movements would be coordinated. The proposed Project would add 343 vehicles per hour to the intersection during the PM peak period – a contribution of 11.3 percent to the overall growth.

A substantial amount of the delay at the Third Street/Cesar Chavez Street intersection would be caused by the permitted eastbound and westbound through and right-turn movements. The westbound Cesar Chavez approach would consist of one all-movement lane in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. The eastbound Cesar Chavez approach would consist of two left-turn lanes, one through lane, and one exclusive right turn lane in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. All intersection approaches would be geometrically constrained by existing structures and the T-Third Street light rail line in the center median. Cycle length at this intersection would be

constrained because the signal would be part of the Third Street signal system with a maximum 100-second cycle length to allow priority for the Third Street light rail operations.

Given the exclusive eastbound right-turn lane and the northbound left-turn phase, the eastbound right-turn lane could include an overlap phase to coincide with the northbound left- turn phase. With the addition of an eastbound right-turn overlap phase, the Third Street/Cesar Chavez intersection would continue to operate at LOS F with an average delay greater than 80.0 seconds per vehicle.

Changes in signal timing and phasing would not mitigate intersection conditions. To mitigate the intersection to an acceptable level of service, major modifications to the intersection geometry would be required. Due to the constraints on Third Street and Cesar Chavez Street, including existing structures that would have to be acquired, such intersection modifications are not considered feasible. The Project's contribution to 2025 Cumulative Conditions at the Third Street/Cesar Chavez Street intersection would be a significant and unavoidable impact.

Mitigation Measure D-4: Illinois Street/Cargo Way/Amador Street

The signalized Illinois Street/Cargo Way/Amador Street intersection would degrade from LOS C (average delay of 26.9 seconds per vehicle) to LOS F (average delay of more than 80.0 seconds per vehicle) in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. The intersection would accommodate pedestrians, bicycles, vehicles, and a significant amount of heavy truck traffic. Additionally, Union Pacific Railroad tracks will pass through the intersection and the two-lane Illinois Street Bridge to provide rail freight access for local industrial uses. Rail traffic is not expected to use these tracks during the PM peak-period. The proposed Project would add 332 vehicles per hour to the intersection during the PM peak period – a contribution of 18.9 percent to the overall growth.

A substantial amount of the delay at the Illinois Street/Cargo Way/Amador Street intersection would be caused by the protected southbound left-and westbound right-turn movements. The southbound Illinois Street approach would consist of one all-movement lane in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. The westbound Cargo Way approach would consist of one through lane and one through-right-turn lane in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. All intersection approaches are geometrically constrained by existing structures and the two-lane Illinois Street Bridge. Cycle length at this intersection would be constrained because the signal would be part of the Third Street signal system with a maximum 100-second cycle length to allow priority for the Third Street light rail operations.

The westbound through and right-turn traffic volumes are expected to be similar in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. Therefore, the westbound approach lanes could be divided into two independent movements – one through lane and one exclusive right-turn lane. Given the exclusive westbound right-turn lane and the southbound left-turn phase, the westbound right-turn lane could include an overlap phase to coincide with the southbound left-turn phase.

With the westbound approach lane reconfiguration, the Illinois Street / Cargo Way / Amador Street intersection would operate at LOS E with an average delay of 56.0 seconds per vehicle in 2025 Cumulative Conditions. To mitigate the intersection to an acceptable level of service, major modifications to the network geometry would be required. Due to the physical constraints at the intersection, particularly on the Illinois Street Bridge, geometric modifications would be infeasible, and the cumulative effects would be significant and unavoidable. Therefore, the Project would contribute to a significant unavoidable cumulative impact at this intersection.

Mitigation Measure D-5: Third Street/Evans Avenue

The signalized Third Street/Evans Avenue intersection would degrade from LOS E (average delay of 60.9 seconds per vehicle) to LOS F (average delay of more than 80.0 seconds per vehicle) in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. The intersection would be actuated by video detection equipment and accommodate pedestrians, bicycles, vehicles, and the T-Third Street light rail line. The T-Third Street light rail line occupies the center median. The proposed Project would add 324 vehicles per hour to the intersection during the PM peak period – a contribution of 9.8 percent to the overall growth.

Substantial delays are expected at all intersection movements; specifically, the southbound left-turn movement and the conflicting northbound through movement. All intersection approaches would be constrained by existing structures and the T-Third Street light rail line in the center median.

Based on the heavy traffic volumes and site constraints, signal phasing and signal timing changes would not improve the Third Street/Evans Avenue operations to acceptable levels. The intersection would continue to operate at LOS F. Therefore, the Project would contribute to a significant unavoidable cumulative impact at this intersection.

## 5.4 Findings on Adoption of a Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program

The Planning Commission finds that the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program attached hereto as Exhibit 1 (the "Program"), is designed to ensure compliance during Project implementation. The Planning Commission further finds that the Program presents measures that are appropriate and feasible for adoption and the Program should be adopted and implemented as set forth herein and in Exhibit 1.

## 5.5 <u>Improvement Measures</u>

In addition to the mitigation measures contained in Exhibit 1, Chapter IV of the FEIR contains a few measures that are not required to avoid or reduce significant adverse impacts but will reduce less than significant impacts. These measures are referred to here and in Exhibit 1 as Improvement Measures. CEQA does not require the Planning Department or other implementing agencies to adopt these measures. Exhibit 1 explains how the Planning Department will ensure that each of these measures is implemented during the Project.

Improvement Measure D.1: Construction Traffic. Any construction traffic occurring between 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. or between 3:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. would coincide with peak hour traffic and could temporarily impede traffic and transit flow, although it would not be considered a significant impact. Limiting truck movements to the hours between 9:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. (or other times, if approved by SFMTA) would minimize disruption of the general traffic flow on adjacent streets during the AM and PM peak periods. In addition, the Project Sponsor and construction contractor(s) would meet with the Traffic Engineering Division of the SFMTA, the Fire Department, MUNI, and the Planning Department to determine feasible measures to reduce traffic congestion. Including transit disruption and pedestrian circulation impacts during construction of the proposed Project.

Improvement Measure G-1: Native Species Replanting. Once construction activities are completed a long-term program could be implemented to enhance and restore the existing serpentine bunchgrass habitat on the PG&E site and/or create "native habitat" areas on the Project Site. This Improvement Measure would create "native habitat" areas on some portions of the Project Site that are planned for landscaping or open space as part of the Project. Implementation of this Improvement Measure on the PG&E property would be the responsibility of PG&E.

- Seeds of locally-collected native species could be collected from valid reference sites within the surrounding area. From these seeds, transplants could be raised by local gardening clubs, science classes from local public schools, etc. Installation would be supervised by a qualified horticulturalist and/or botanist.
- On-going community programs undertaken by local citizen groups to remove trash and rehabilitate degraded portions of the PG&E site to expand higher-quality serpentine grassland habitat could be conducted.
- Management of invasive, non-native herbaceous and woody species would include reseeding of native plants and manual removal (e.g., by hand, loppers, chainsaws), and possibly some selective chemical applications to control highly competitive exotic species. Invasive, non-native tree species such as eucalyptus<sup>1</sup> could be systematically removed after any pre-construction nesting surveys for bird species have been conducted.
- A long-term monitoring program could be implemented by enlisting the support from science educators from local public schools and community colleges. Permanent transects could be established to document the changes in floristic composition in terms of the frequency, density, and distribution of native plant species throughout the PG&E site.

The incorporation of Mitigation Measures G-1, G-2 and G-7 would reduce impacts to biological resources that could result from the proposed Project to a less-than-significant level. If the Project Sponsor obtains control over a small portion of the PG&E site via easement or other agreement with PG&E, and chooses to pursue the construction of a pedestrian walkway across that site, the incorporation of Mitigation Measures G-3, G-4, G-5, and G-6 would reduce impacts from construction on the PG&E site to a less-than-significant level. In addition to Mitigation Measures G-3–G-6, Improvement Measure G-1 could also be incorporated to further enhance habitat on the PG&E site, and/or create "native habitat" on the Project Site if the Project Sponsor so chooses.

Improvement Measure: An interpretive display is generally considered an on-site, publicly accessible display/exhibit area which includes interpretive materials. The display could be an outdoor all-weather plaque or a permanent collection of materials displayed in a public area, such as in the community building.

For Hunters View, interpretive materials could document the history of the San Francisco Housing Authority, history of the Hunters View Housing Development, photographs, architectural drawings and site plans, and/or oral and written histories documenting the lives of, and events associated with, past and present occupants of the Hunters View Housing Development. It is recommended that the Project Sponsor install an exterior interpretive plaque, not smaller than two by four feet, near the entrance of the community center. A recommended enhancement to the interpretive display would be an interior interpretive display in the community center containing a timeline and a collection of photographs and/or artifacts.

The Project Sponsor could also document the existing Hunters View and the new development site via site photography and this collection of photographs (before and after) could also serve as an interpretive display for this project.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Blue gum (Eucalyptus globulus) and red gum (Eucalyptus camaldulensis) are both recognized by the California Invasive Plant Council(Cal-IPC) as invasive pest plant species in the state of California. Eucalyptus trees produce several volatile and water-soluble toxins in their tissues (including leaf and bark litter) that are all elopathic (i.e., they release chemicals in the soil that inhibits the growth and/or establishment of surrounding vegetation, including native herbaceous plant species). Although eucalyptus trees benefit from this form of "chemical warfare," the herbaceous ground layer is often depauperate and provides extremely limited habitat opportunities for local wildlife populations.

## 5.6 Location and Custodian of Record

The public hearing transcript, a copy of all letters regarding the FEIR received during the public review period, the administrative record, and background documentation for the FEIR are located at the Planning Department, 1650 Mission Street, San Francisco. The Planning Commission Secretary, Linda Avery, is the custodian of records for the Planning Department and Planning Commission.

#### 6. SIGNIFICANT UNAVOIDABLE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS

All impacts of the Project would either be less than significant or could be mitigated to less than significant levels, with the exception of the project specific and 2025 cumulative transportation impacts described in more detail below. The significant traffic impacts at Third Street/Evans Avenue, Third Street/25th Street, and Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue would be reduced to less than significant levels if Mitigation Measures D-1, D-2 and D-6 respectively are determined to be feasible and are implemented. However, because the feasibility of these Mitigation Measures remains uncertain, these impacts are considered to be significant and unavoidable for purposes of these Findings.

## 6.1 Traffic

Mitigation Measure D-1: Third Street/Evans Avenue

The signalized Third Street/Evans Avenue intersection would degrade from LOS D (average delay of 35.7 seconds per vehicle) to LOS E (average delay of 60.9 seconds per vehicle) with the addition of the project-generated traffic to baseline conditions. The intersection is actuated by video detection equipment and accommodates pedestrians, bicycles, vehicles, and the T-Third Street MUNI line. The T-Third Street MUNI line occupies the center median and makes several trips during the PM peak period. The northbound and southbound through movements are coordinated. The proposed Project would add 324 vehicles per hour to the intersection during the PM peak period. The most significant traffic volume increase would occur at the southbound left turn movement (83 vehicles per hour) which is already projected to operate at LOS F during the PM peak hour in the Baseline Conditions.

The project impacts at the Third Street/Evans Avenue intersection could be mitigated by adjusting the maximum allowable southbound left turn green time. In the Baseline plus Project Conditions, the southbound left turn movement is projected to have an allotted green time of 11 seconds per 100-second cycle (LOS F) and the opposing northbound through movement is projected to have an allotted green time of 37 seconds per 100-second cycle (LOS B). To mitigate the impact caused by the proposed Project, the southbound left turn green time could be increased to 16 seconds per 100-second cycle and the opposing northbound through movement green time could be decreased to 32 seconds per 100-second cycle.

With the signal timing modification, the intersection is expected to operate at LOS D with an average delay of 37.1 seconds per vehicle. It should also be noted that the implementation of the proposed mitigation measure would be dependent upon an assessment of transit and traffic coordination along Third Street and Evans Avenue to ensure that the changes would not substantially affect MUNI transit operations, signal progressions, pedestrian minimum green time requirements, and programming limitations of signals.

While the mitigation measure described above would reduce the significant Project impacts, further analysis is required to determine feasibility. Therefore, the Project would contribute to a significant unavoidable adverse impact at this intersection.

## Mitigation Measure D-2: Third Street/25<sup>th</sup> Street

The signalized Third Street/25thStreet intersection would degrade from LOS B (average delay of 18.9 seconds per vehicle) to LOS E (average delay of 76.6 seconds per vehicle) with 2025 Cumulative Conditions. The intersection would be actuated by video detection equipment and accommodate pedestrians, bicycles, vehicles, and the T-Third Street light rail line. The T-Third Street light rail line occupies the center median. Additionally, light rail tracks will occupy the westbound approach to the intersection to access the Metro East MUNI maintenance facility which is currently under construction. Light rail vehicles are not expected to use these tracks during the PM peak period. The northbound and southbound vehicle through movements would be coordinated. The proposed Project would add 280 vehicles per hour to the intersection during the PM peak period—a contribution of 9.9 percent to the overall growth.

A substantial amount of the delay at the Third Street/25thStreet intersection would be caused by the permitted eastbound and westbound through and right-turn movements. 25th Street would have one all-movement lane in each direction. To the west of the intersection, 25th Street is approximately 40 feet wide and accommodates on-street parking. To the east of the intersection, 25th Street is approximately 30 feet wide and does not accommodate on-street parking. With the removal of the on-street parking to the west of the Third Street/25thStreet intersection, the eastbound approach would have sufficient width to accommodate a through- left lane and an exclusive right turn lane. The eastbound right turn lane could include an overlap phase to coincide with the northbound left-turn phase, with U-turns from northbound Third Street prohibited. With this modification, the intersection steady demand green time splits could be recalculated, while maintaining a 100-second cycle length. The green time allotted to the T-Third trains and intersection offset would not be modified with the implementation of this mitigation measure. With the re-striping of the eastbound approach, the removal of on-street parking, addition of an eastbound right-turn overlap phase, and recalculation of the signal timing steady demand green time splits, the Third Street/25thStreet intersection would operate at LOS D with an average delay of 35.9 seconds per vehicle.

While mitigation has been identified to reduce impacts, further analysis of some of the measures is required to determine feasibility. Therefore, the Project would contribute to a significant unavoidable cumulative adverse impact at this intersection.

## Mitigation Measure D-3: Third Street/Cesar Chavez Street

The signalized Third Street/Cesar Chavez Street intersection would degrade from LOS C (average delay of 32.0 seconds per vehicle) to LOS F (average delay of more than 80.0 seconds per vehicle) with 2025 Cumulative Conditions. The intersection would be fully actuated by video detection equipment and accommodate pedestrians, bicycles, vehicles, and the T-Third Street light rail line. The T-Third Street light rail line occupies the center median. Additionally, light rail tracks will occupy the westbound approach of the intersection to the Metro East MUNI maintenance facility which is currently under construction. Light rail vehicles are not expected to use these tracks during the PM peak period. The northbound and southbound vehicle through movements would be coordinated. The proposed Project would add 343 vehicles per hour to the intersection during the PM peak period – a contribution of 11.3 percent to the overall growth.

A substantial amount of the delay at the Third Street/Cesar Chavez Street intersection would be caused by the permitted eastbound and westbound through and right-turn movements. The westbound Cesar Chavez approach would consist of one all-movement lane in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. The eastbound Cesar Chavez approach would consist of two left-turn lanes, one through lane, and one exclusive right turn lane in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. All intersection approaches would be geometrically constrained by existing structures and the T-Third Street light rail line in the center median. Cycle length at this intersection would be

constrained because the signal would be part of the Third Street signal system with a maximum100-second cycle length to allow priority for the Third Street light rail operations.

Given the exclusive eastbound right-turn lane and the northbound left-turn phase, the eastbound right-turn lane could include an overlap phase to coincide with the northbound left- turn phase. With the addition of an eastbound right-turn overlap phase, the Third Street/Cesar Chavez intersection would continue to operate at LOS F with an average delay greater than 80.0 seconds per vehicle.

Changes in signal timing and phasing would not mitigate intersection conditions. To mitigate the intersection to an acceptable level of service, major modifications to the intersection geometry would be required. Due to the constraints on Third Street and Cesar Chavez Street, including existing structures that would have to be acquired, such intersection modifications are not considered feasible. The Project's contribution to 2025 Cumulative Conditions at the Third Street/Cesar Chavez Street intersection would be a significant and unavoidable impact.

Mitigation Measure D-4: Illinois Street/Cargo Way/Amador Street

The signalized Illinois Street/Cargo Way/Amador Street intersection would degrade from LOS C (average delay of 26.9 seconds per vehicle) to LOS F (average delay of more than 80.0 seconds per vehicle) in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. The intersection would accommodate pedestrians, bicycles, vehicles, and a significant amount of heavy truck traffic. Additionally, Union Pacific Railroad tracks will pass through the intersection and the two-lane Illinois Street Bridge to provide rail freight access for local industrial uses. Rail traffic is not expected to use these tracks during the PM peak-period. The proposed Project would add 332 vehicles per hour to the intersection during the PM peak period – a contribution of 18.9 percent to the overall growth.

A substantial amount of the delay at the Illinois Street/Cargo Way/Amador Street intersection would be caused by the protected southbound left-and westbound right-turn movements. The southbound Illinois Street approach would consist of one all-movement lane in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. The westbound Cargo Way approach would consist of one through lane and one through-right-turn lane in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. All intersection approaches are geometrically constrained by existing structures and the two-lane Illinois Street Bridge. Cycle length at this intersection would be constrained because the signal would be part of the Third Street signal system with a maximum 100-second cycle length to allow priority for the Third Street light rail operations.

The westbound through and right-turn traffic volumes are expected to be similar in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. Therefore, the westbound approach lanes could be divided into two independent movements – one through lane and one exclusive right-turn lane. Given the exclusive westbound right-turn lane and the southbound left-turn phase, the westbound right-turn lane could include an overlap phase to coincide with the southbound left-turn phase.

With the westbound approach lane reconfiguration, the Illinois Street / Cargo Way / Amador Street intersection would operate at LOS E with an average delay of 56.0 seconds per vehicle in 2025 Cumulative Conditions. To mitigate the intersection to an acceptable level of service, major modifications to the network geometry would be required. Due to the physical constraints at the intersection, particularly on the Illinois Street Bridge, geometric modifications would be infeasible, and the cumulative effects would be significant and unavoidable. Therefore, the Project would contribute to a significant unavoidable cumulative impact at this intersection.

Mitigation Measure D-5: Third Street/Evans Avenue

The signalized Third Street/Evans Avenue intersection would degrade from LOS E (average delay of 60.9 seconds per vehicle) to LOS F (average delay of more than 80.0 seconds per vehicle) in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. The intersection would be actuated by video detection equipment and accommodate pedestrians, bicycles, vehicles, and the T-Third Street light rail line. The T-Third Street light rail line occupies the center median. The proposed Project would add 324 vehicles per hour to the intersection during the PM peak period – a contribution of 9.8 percent to the overall growth.

Substantial delays are expected at all intersection movements; specifically, the southbound left-turn movement and the conflicting northbound through movement. All intersection approaches would be constrained by existing structures and the T-Third Street light rail line in the center median.

Based on the heavy traffic volumes and site constraints, signal phasing and signal timing changes would not improve the Third Street/Evans Avenue operations to acceptable levels. The intersection would continue to operate at LOS F. Therefore, the Project would contribute to a significant unavoidable cumulative impact at this intersection.

Mitigation Measure D-6: Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue

The all-way stop-controlled Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection would degrade from LOS A (average delay of 8.4 seconds per vehicle) to LOS F (average delay of more than 50.0 seconds per vehicle) in the 2025 Cumulative Conditions. The intersection would accommodate pedestrians, bicycles, and vehicles. The proposed Project would add 580 vehicles per hour to the intersection during the PM peak period – a contribution of 22.3 percent to the overall growth.

A substantial amount of the delay at the Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection would be caused by the southbound and westbound approaches. The southbound Middle Point Road/Jennings Street approach would have one all-movement lane. The westbound Evans Avenue approach would have one left-turn lane, one through lane, and one through-right-turn lane.

The expected traffic volumes at the all-way stop-controlled Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection, would meet signal warrants and signalization would be required. With the existing geometry, the intersection would continue to operate at an unacceptable level (LOS F), even with signalization.

Removal of the on-street parking on Middle Point/Jennings to the north of the Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection, would allow the southbound approach to provide an exclusive left-turn lane and a shared left-through-right lane.

With the installation of an actuated-uncoordinated traffic signal, southbound and westbound approach lane reconfiguration, and removal of on-street parking, the Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection would operate at LOS D, with an average delay of 53.1 seconds per vehicle. Implementation of the proposed mitigation measure would be dependent upon an assessment of traffic coordination along Evans Avenue to ensure that the changes would not substantially affect signal progressions, pedestrian conditions requirements, and programming limitations of signals.

While mitigation has been identified to reduce impacts, further analysis is required to determine its feasibility. Therefore, the Project would contribute to a significant unavoidable cumulative adverse impact at this intersection.

## 7. STATEMENT OF OVERRIDING CONSIDERATIONS

Notwithstanding the significant effects noted above, pursuant to CEQA Section 21081(b) and the CEQA Guidelines Section 15093, the Planning Commission finds, after considering the FEIR and based on substantial evidence in said documents, the administrative record and as set forth herein, that specific overriding economic, legal, social, and other considerations outweigh the identified significant effects on the environment. In addition, the Planning Commission finds, in addition to the specific reasons discussed in Article 4 above, that those Project Alternatives rejected above are also rejected for the following specific economic, social, or other considerations resulting from Project approval and implementation:

- 7.1 Project implementation will alleviate blight and encourage revitalization of the Project area.
- 7.2 Project implementation will improve residential conditions and encourage residential activity through the creation, retention and rehabilitation of housing affordable by low-income and moderate-income persons.
- 7.3 Project implementation will promote the one-for-one replacement of 267 units of public housing.
- 7.4 Project implementation will help address the City's housing shortage.
- 7.5 Project implementation will promote the development of neighborhood-serving retail space that will lead to increased business activity in the Project area.
- 7.6 Project implementation will lead to improved housing opportunities and economic conditions in the Project area.
- 7.7 Project implementation will promote enhanced quality of life in the Project area.
- 7.8 Project implementation will promote enhanced social services for Project residents.
- 7.9 Project implementation will enhance the infrastructure in the Project area.
- 7.10 The Project will create hundreds of construction jobs over the next six to eight years.
- 7.11 The Project will be the pilot project for HOPE SF Program.

Having considered these Project benefits, including the benefits and considerations discussed in Article 4 above, the Planning Commission finds that the Project's benefits outweigh the unavoidable adverse environmental effects, and that the adverse environmental effects are therefore acceptable.



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## **Planning Commission Motion No. 17621**

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Project Address: 227 – 229 WEST POINT ROAD

Zoning: RH-2 (Residential, House Two Family)

RM-1 (Residential, Mixed Low Density)

NC-2 (Neighborhood Commercial, Small-Scale)

M-1 (Light Industrial)

40-X Height and Bulk District

Block/Lot: 4624/003, 004, 009

4720/027

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ADOPTING FINDINGS RELATED TO THE APPROVAL OF A CONDITIONAL USE AUTHORIZATION PURSUANT TO PLANNING CODE SECTIONS 303 AND 304 TO CREATE A NEW PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT (PUD) TO ALLOW THE CONSTRUCTION OF APPROXIMATELY 6,400 SQUARE FEET OF RETAIL USE, 21,600 SQUARE FEET OF COMMUNITY SPACE, AND UP TO 800 DWELLING UNITS IN RM-1, RH-2, NC-2, AND M-1 ZONING DISTRICTS WITH A 40 X HEIGHT AND BULK DESIGNATION ON ASSESSOR'S BLOCK 4624, LOTS 3, 4 & 9 AND BLOCK 4720, LOT 27. EXCEPTIONS ARE REQUESTED FROM DENSITY, REAR YARD, OPEN SPACE, EXPOSURE, OFF-STREET, LOADING AND BICYCLE PARKING REQUIREMENTS, AS MANDATED BY THE PLANNING CODE.

## **PREAMBLE**

On March 27, 2008, Hunters View Associates, L.P. (hereinafter "Project Sponsor") filed Application No. 2007.0168C (hereinafter "Application") with the Planning Department (hereinafter "Department") for Conditional Use authorization per Planning Code Sections 303 and 304 to create a new Planned Unit Development (PUD) to allow the construction up to 800 dwelling units and including the following exceptions: lot width and area (Planning Code Section 121), rear yards (Planning Code Section 134(a) and

(c)), usable open space (Planning Code Section 135), allowable obstructions (Planning Code Section 136), spacing of street trees (Planning Code Section 143), parking (Planning Code Sections 150, 151, 154 and 155), bicycle parking (Planning Code Section 155.5), loading (Section 152), dwelling unit exposure (Section 140), measurement of height (Planning Code Sections 102..12 and 260(a)) and density (Planning Code Section 209.1).

The revitalization of Hunters View will include the demolition of all of the existing public housing units and other community facilities on the site, resulting in a mixed-income community that will include up to 800 new residential units and provide one-for-one replacement of the existing 267 public housing units. The current project proposal includes up to 800 total units, including a total of 350 affordable rental units (267 of which will be the replacement public housing units) and up to 450 home ownership units, of which 10-15% will be affordable and 17 of those will be developed by Habitat for Humanity. This new mixed-income development will result in a range of resident incomes from less than 10% to over 120% of AMI. Additionally, the net proceeds from the sale of the market-rate for-sale units will cross-subsidize a portion of the development costs of the public housing replacement units and affordable rental units.

On June 12, 2008, the Department certified the Final Environmental Impact Report for the Hunters View Redevelopment Project (State Clearinghouse No. SCH 2007112086) for the Project (the "Final EIR").

On June 12, 2008, the San Francisco Planning Commission (hereinafter "Commission") conducted a duly noticed public hearing at a regularly scheduled meeting on Conditional Use Application No. 2007.0168C.

The Commission has heard and considered the testimony presented to it at the public hearing and has further considered written materials and oral testimony presented on behalf of the applicant, Department staff, and other interested parties.

**MOVED**, that the Commission hereby authorizes the Conditional Use requested in Application No. 2007.0168C, subject to the conditions contained in "EXHIBIT A" of this motion, based on the following findings:

## **FINDINGS**

Having reviewed the materials identified in the preamble above, and having heard all testimony and arguments, this Commission finds, concludes, and determines as follows:

- 1. The above recitals are accurate and constitute findings of this Commission.
- 2. Site Description and Present Use. Located in the Bayview Hunters Point neighborhood of San Francisco, Hunters View currently includes 267 public housing units located on approximately 20 acres of land. Constructed in 1957 on the foundations of World War II workforce housing, the units were never intended to be permanent and due to both their poor initial construction and years of deferred maintenance, the units at Hunters View have deteriorated beyond repair.

The Project will be developed on two adjacent properties. The first, which is owned by the San Francisco Housing Authority, is located at Middle Point and West Point Roads and Wills and

Hare Streets, and is Assessor's Block 4624, Lots 3, 4 and 9. The second, which is adjacent to the Housing Authority property and is currently owned by the San Francisco Redevelopment Agency, is located along Keith Street and is Assessor's Block 4720, Lot 27. Both properties will ultimately be conveyed by deed or ground lease to one or more partnerships which will be formed for the sole purpose of undertaking the Project.

The San Francisco Housing Authority property currently contains 267 public housing units in 50 buildings while the San Francisco Redevelopment Authority property is vacant. The 267 residential units contain approximately 325,000 square feet of space, and there is an additional 7,000 square feet of community serving and storage space on the site. The buildings range in height from one to three stories (or 16 to 28 feet) and currently there are no off-street parking spaces.

- 3. **Surrounding Properties and Neighborhood.** The subject property is located within RM-1, RH-2, NC-2 and M-1 zoning districts and a 40 X height/bulk district. Most of the surrounding properties are located within an RH-2 zoning district and contain residential uses. The neighboring properties to the west and south contain residential and public uses. The properties to the north and east contain primarily industrial uses. The former Hunters Point Naval Shipyard to the east and southeast is currently being redeveloped as a mixed use project.
- 4. **Text and Map Amendments to Planning Code.** In order to facilitate the Project at the density required to subsidize the 350 public housing and affordable rental units on the Project site, both text and map changes to the Planning Code are proposed. First, the height and bulk district for the Project site is proposed to be modified from 40-X to 40/65-X pursuant to the addition of Planning Code Section 263.20 to create the HOPE SF Hunters View Special Use District and 40/65-X Height and Bulk District. Secondly, an amendment to Section 249 of the Planning Code by adding Section 249.39 is proposed to establish the HOPE SF Hunters View Special Use District allowing the subdivision or portions of the site as individual lots to exceed the density of the underlying zoning district and allowing uses that are either principally or conditionally permitted within NC-1 Districts to be principally permitted within the special use district. Map amendments are proposed to amend the use designations on the Redevelopment Agency parcel from RH-2, NC-1, and M-1 to RM-1 to establish consistency between the various parcels and to map the Special Use District and the 40/65-X Height and Bulk District.
- 5. **Redevelopment Agency Parcel.** The Redevelopment Agency parcel, Assessor's Block 4720, Lot 27, is located within Project Area A of the Bayview Hunters Point Redevelopment Plan, which prohibits structures higher than 40 feet. This plan expires on January 1, 2009. A portion of the building to be located on Block 2 exceeds 40 feet in height, but will not be constructed until after the expiration of the Redevelopment Plan for Project Area A. Therefore, this Project Authorization as it relates to the Redevelopment Area parcel, to the extent it is inconsistent with the existing provisions of the Redevelopment Plan, is conditioned upon the expiration of the Redevelopment Plan for Project Area A on January 1, 2009, and shall be effective at that time.
- 6. Residential Uses.

- A. Planning Code Section 209.1 provides that residential uses are permitted as a principal use in the RH-2 and RM-1 Zoning Districts. Pursuant to Planning Code Section 209.1, the southeastern portion of the Project, which is zoned RM-1, is allowed a density ratio not exceeding one dwelling unit for each 800 square feet of lot area. Pursuant to Section 304(d)(4), as a Planned Unit Development, the Project is allowed the density permitted in the RM-2 Zoning District, which is a density ratio not exceeding one dwelling unit for each 600 square feet of lot area, minus one unit. Up to 849 residential units are permitted as of right in the RM-1 Zoning District and 1,132 units are permitted pursuant to a PUD. Currently, the Project proposes to develop up to 800 units.
- B. The northwestern portion of the Project site, which is primarily zoned RH-2, allows two-family dwelling units as a principally permitted use. RH-2 Districts also allow one dwelling unit for each 1,500 square feet of lot area, but no more than three dwelling units per lot, if authorized as a conditional use by the Planning Commission. The proposed town homes in Block 4720, Lot 27 exceed the density allowance and require conditional use approval.
- C. Planning Code Section 209.1(m) permits, as a principally permitted use, dwellings for senior citizens at twice the density allowed for the principal permitted uses in Section 209.1, or one senior dwelling unit for each 400 square feet of lot area in the RM-1 Zoning District.
- D. As detailed in Finding 4 above, the Project Sponsor is requesting a map amendment to change the use district for the entire site to RM-1.
- 7. Planned Unit Development. Planning Code Section 304 permits the creation of a Planned Unit Development for subject sites of greater than one half of an acre. "Planned Unit Developments are intended for project sites of considerable size, developed as integrated units and designed to produce an environment of stable and desirable character which will benefit the occupants, neighborhood and the City as a whole" Where a project demonstrates outstanding overall design, it may seek exceptions for certain Planning Code Provisions. The Project Sponsor is seeking the following exceptions: rear yards (Planning Code Section 134(a) and (c)), usable open space (Planning Code Section 135), allowable obstructions (Planning Code Section 136), spacing of street trees (Planning Code Section 143), parking (Planning Code Sections 150, 151, 154 and 155), bicycle parking (Planning Code Section 155.5), loading (Section 152), dwelling unit exposure (Section 140), measurement of height (Planning Code Sections 102...12 and 260(a)) and density (Planning Code Section 209.1).
- 8. **Design-for-Development.** Because of the scope of the project, the unusual topography and street layout of the site, and the intent to create a new integrated neighborhood, the Commission finds it appropriate to adopt a Design for Development document that specifically lays out development requirements usually regulated by the Planning Code. The Design for Development is also important to guide the subsequent phases of development over the projected six to ten year build-out. In some cases, the Design for Development provides less stringent requirements than the Planning Code in order to meet certain goals such as addressing the site's topography and designating more land for public space. In other cases, the Design for

> Development is more stringent to meet other goals such as assuring a strong public presence of the building and creating a fine-grained development pattern.

## 9. Use Exceptions.

- A. Planning Code Section 209.3(f) provides that child care facilities providing care for 13 or more children can be approved as conditional uses in the RH-2 and RM-1 Zoning Districts. Planning Code Section 209.4 provides that community facilities can be approved as conditional uses in the RM-1 and RH-2 Zoning Districts. The Project proposes to develop approximately 21,600 square feet of community space. This proposed Special Use District would principally permit those uses that are either principally or conditionally permitted in the NC-1 Districts, such as small and large institutional uses, which include child care in their definition.
- B. Planning Code Section 304(d)(5) provides that in R Districts, commercial uses are permitted only to the extent that such uses are necessary to serve residents of the immediate vicinity, subject to the limitations for NC-1 Districts under the Planning Code. The Project will include commercial uses in an R district in order to better serve the community. NC-1, or the Neighborhood Commercial Cluster District is described in Planning Code section 710.1 as "intended to serve as local neighborhood shopping districts, providing convenience retail goods and services for the immediately surrounding neighborhoods primarily during daytime hours" and "characterized by [locations] in residential neighborhoods, often in outlying areas of the City... Housing development in new buildings is encouraged above the ground story in most districts." Each nonresidential use in the NC-1 district can be no larger that 2,999 square feet (though 3,000 square foot spaces and greater are permitted via conditional use) and permitted uses include limited financial services (like a bank), personal services (like a salon) and full-service restaurants (which are defined to include coffee shops, see Planning Code section 790.92). The Project proposes to develop approximately 6,400 square feet of neighborhood-serving retail uses. The proposed Special Use District would allow those uses that are either principally or conditionally permitted in the NC-1 District to be principally permitted.
- 10. **Public Comment**. The Department has received no opposition to the proposal.
- 11. **Planning Code Compliance:** The Commission finds that the Project is consistent with the relevant provisions of the Planning Code in the following manner:

## A. Front Setback

Planning Code Section 132(e) requires front setback based on an average of adjacent buildings, up to a maximum requirement of 15 feet from the property line. This requirement is not applicable because the buildings in the Project will not be adjacent to any existing buildings.

As proposed in Development Control 4.7 of the Design for Development, the Project proposes that all residential buildings will have a minimum setback of 5 feet, a required

8 foot "build-to" line will be required for all streets and that a minimum 75 percent of the building façade must be built to the "build-to" line. Development Control 4.7.2 of the Design for Development provides that setbacks are not required at street frontages with an extreme slope or shallow lot.

#### B. Rear Yard

Planning Code Section 134(a) requires a minimum rear yard with a depth that is equal to 45 percent of the total depth of the lot, but Section 134(c) provides an exception that allows the minimum depth to be reduced to 25 percent of the total depth of the lot or 15 feet, whichever is greater. Most of the individual rear yards in the Project are between 25 percent to 45 percent of the total depth of the lot, with the exception of Block 7B.

## C. Open Space

Planning Code Section 135(a) requires that usable open space be located on the same lot as the dwelling units it serves. In most cases, the Project will comply with this requirement. However, in order to achieve the highest quality of overall design, the Project will propose to locate some of the open space for Block 7B in the private parks immediately adjacent.

Planning Code Section 135(d) requires 80 square feet and 107 square feet respectively of open space in the RM-2 Zoning District. The Project will meet the open space requirements.

Planning Code Section 135(f) requires that private open space have a minimum horizontal dimension of 6 feet and a minimum area of 36 square feet if located on a deck, balcony, porch or roof. Some private balconies in the Project will have a minimum horizontal dimension of 3 feet.

#### D. Obstructions.

Planning Code Section 136 requires that obstructions such as overhanging balconies, bays, sunshades and trellises meet minimal height and setback requirements. Most of the obstructions in the Project will meet Planning Code requirements, but some of the obstructions may reach into front and rear setbacks. The Project seeks front and rear setback exceptions to accommodate these limited architectural features, as proposed in Development Control 4.2.3 of the Design for Development. Overhanging balconies, bays, sunshades and trellises meeting the limitations of Planning Code Section 134 and the Design for Development may extend into the unbuilt area.

#### E. Exposure

Planning Code Section 140 provides that in each dwelling unit in any use district, the required windows of at least one room that meets the 120 square foot minimum superficial floor area requirement of Section 501.1 of the Housing Code must face on an open area such as a public street, a public alley at least 25 feet in width, a side yard of at least 25 feet in width, a rear yard meeting the requirements of the Code, or an open area which is unobstructed and is no less than 25 feet in every horizontal dimension for the floor at which the dwelling unit in question is located and the floor immediately above it. A limited number of units may not meet this requirement.

#### F. Street Trees.

Planning Code Section 143 requires the owner or developer of a new building in any R District to install street trees. Street trees must be a minimum of one tree of 15-gallon size for 20 feet of frontage of the property along each street or alley.

The Project Sponsor seeks a modification of this requirement. Development Control 3.4.1 of the Design for Development provides that street trees shall be provided at a minimum of 20 feet and a maximum of 30 feet apart on streets and mews.

## G. Density.

Planning Code Section 209.1 provides that the density ratio for an RM-1 Zoning District shall not exceed one dwelling unit per each 800 square feet of lot area. In order to accommodate all the planned affordable housing units, the Project requires the density to exceed the Code for up to one dwelling unit per 600 square feet of lot area. As described above, pursuant to Planning Code Section 304(d)(4), the Project seeks an exception to allow the density permitted in the RM-2 Zoning District. Also, the proposed SUD would enable portions of the site to be sub-divided which may be over the density limit for the newly created lot.

## H. Height and Bulk Stepping.

As described above, the proposed HOPE SF Hunters View SUD and 40/65-X Height and Bulk District provides that up to 35% of the entire Project site may have buildings over 50 feet in height and up to 50% of the entire Project site may have buildings over 40 feet in height. Buildings over 50 feet in height will be limited as specified in Development Control 4.4.1 of the Design for Development. Buildings over 40 feet in height not specified in Development Control 4.4.1 will be limited as specified in Development Control 4.4.2 of the Design for Development.

Planning Code Section 260(a)(3) requires that in areas where the building height limit is 65 feet or less and the buildings are on a slope, the average slope of curb or ground from which height is measured affects the maximum width for the portion of building that may be measured from a single point. The greater the slope, the more narrow the width of the building that may be measured from a single point.

The Project seeks an exception as described in Development Control 4.4.3 of the Design for Development to provide that building height shall be measured at the uphill end of each segment of a building that steps laterally in relation to the street that is the basis for the measurement. The Design for Development further provides that stepping shall be required in increments of at least 50 feet for buildings 50 feet or less in height.

#### I. Ground Story Street Frontages

Planning Code Section 144 requires that no less than 30 percent of the width of the ground story shall be devoted to windows, entrances, landscaping and other architectural features. The Project will comply with this section. Section 144 does not apply to Fairfax or Keith (Blocks 1A and 1B) as the lots have an upward slope of more than 20%.

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The Residential Design Guidelines provide that the width of parking entries should not exceed 12 feet. Development Control 4.12.1 of the Design for Development provides that parking entrances shall be no wider than 16 feet, with 12 feet preferred.

## J. Required Parking and Loading

Planning Code Section 151 requires one off-street parking space per dwelling unit, and one off-street space per each five senior dwelling units.

The Project Sponsor seeks a modification to provide approximately 672 off-street parking spaces. The average ratio of parking spaces (off-street and on-street) to units is 1.2 to 1. Some blocks have no off-street parking provided; others have up to 1.5 spaces per unit. Except on Keith Street and the northern part of Fairfax where the single-family homes each require a curb cut due to the sloping site conditions, the site has been designed to aggregate parking and to minimize garage entrances and curb cuts. The Project also seeks a modification to allow some of the parking requirements to be met through parking lifts and tandem parking and seeks a relaxation of parking space size and maneuverability requirements, as described in Development Control 4.12.2.

Planning Code Section 155.5 requires bicycle parking spaces for residential uses. Table 155.5 provides that for projects with over 50 dwelling units, the bicycle parking requirement is 25 Class 1 spaces plus one Class 1 space for every four dwelling units over 50. Section 155.5(c) provides that bicycle parking must meet the standards for Class 1 parking described in Section 155.1(d), which requires that the parking be at least as conveniently located as the most convenient non-disabled parking. The Project seeks an exception to this requirement in Development Control 4.12.3, which provides that bicycle parking requirements may be met site wide rather than on a block by block basis.

Planning Code Section 155 requires loading spaces to be located off the street. The Project Sponsor seeks a modification to provide the Project's loading spaces on the street.

## 12. Conditional Use Findings

Under the provisions of Planning Code Section 303, the Commission may authorize a Conditional Use after finding that the proposed use will provide a development that is necessary or desirable for and compatible with the neighborhood or the community, that such use will not be detrimental to the health, safety, convenience or general welfare or persons residing or working in the vicinity, or injurious to property, improvements or potential development in the vicinity and that such use will hot adversely affect the General Plan. The Project is found to be consistent with the criteria of Section 303 of the Code in that:

A. The proposed new uses and building, at the size and intensity contemplated and at the proposed location, will provide a development that is necessary or desirable, and compatible with, the neighborhood or the community.

The Project, including up to 800 new dwelling units, approximately 21,600 square feet of new community use space, and approximately 6,400 square feet of new neighborhood serving retail use

space, will provide a development that is necessary and desirable for, and compatible with, the surrounding neighborhood and existing community.

The Project is desirable for the existing community because redevelopment of the 267 existing public housing units on the site will be phased so that the approximately 570 residents currently residing at the Project site can be relocated on-site during demolition and construction activities to address the strong preference for on-site relocation expressed by the existing residents. Existing residents will help inform a comprehensive temporary relocation plan that will govern the process and outline the rules, regulations and assistance that will be provided to residents. Residents will not bear any of the costs attributable to their relocation on-site.

The Project is desirable for the existing community and the surrounding neighborhood because in addition to redeveloping the existing 267 public housing units, it will add approximately 83 additional affordable rental units, and up to 450 new for-sale units, of which at least 10 to 15% will be affordable (17 of which will be Habitat for Humanity units), thereby increasing affordable housing opportunities, adding home ownership opportunities, improving the economic diversity of the neighborhood through the addition of market rate units, and helping to meet San Francisco's housing shortage.

The proposed density of the Project will be compatible with the neighborhood and community and will be less than that permitted by the Planning Code for the RM-1 Zoning District by right, will be far less than that permitted via Planned Unit Development ("PUD"), and will be within the intensity contemplated by the Bayview Hunters Point Redevelopment Plan ("Redevelopment Plan").

The Project area currently has no neighborhood serving retail businesses and the Project will provide space for such uses.ize of the proposed use is in keeping with other storefronts on the block face.

- B. The proposed project will not be detrimental to the health, safety, convenience or general welfare of persons residing or working in the vicinity. There are no features of the project that could be detrimental to the health, safety or convenience of those residing or working the area, in that:
  - 1. Nature of proposed site, including its size and shape, and the proposed size, shape and arrangement of structures;

The subject property is approximately 22.5 acres and is currently poorly designed and underutilized. The existing street grid isolates the Project site from the surrounding neighborhoods and the rest of the City. It provides an excellent opportunity for infill housing.

The Project's size and shape, and the proposed size, shape and arrangement of structures upon it have been designed to drastically improve the Project site's and the neighborhood's street network, pedestrian-orientation, view-orientation, safety, aesthetic appeal, contextualization with underlying topography and the rest of the City of San Francisco, and open space design and layout. The proposed density will be consistent with the density of the surrounding neighborhoods. The entire site has been master planned and the Project's design will be a vast

improvement over existing conditions. Building heights will provide appropriate transitions to neighboring properties.

Planning Code Section 145 requires that new dwellings in the RM-1 and RM-2 Zoning Districts be compatible with the established mixture of residential buildings in terms of apparent building width. The Project will comply by stepping building heights along the front elevation, providing vertical articulation, and design walls to create variation in depth of buildings.height and bulk of the existing building will remain the same and will not alter the existing appearance or character of the project vicinity. The proposed work will not affect the building envelope, yet the inclusion of outside seating will alter the use of the property.

2. The accessibility and traffic patterns for persons and vehicles, the type and volume of such traffic, and the adequacy of proposed off-street parking and loading;

The Project will redesign the existing street network so that it forms more of a grid, connecting with the street grid elsewhere and improving vehicle and pedestrian access for persons residing or working in the vicinity.

Pedestrian and bicycle circulation will be improved. The estimated parking demand will be met on site through the provision of 672 off-street parking spaces and additional on-street parking spaces. Loading demand will be met on-site.

The Project will not result in commuter traffic that will impede Muni transit service or overburden San Francisco's streets or neighborhood parking. Although the Project could result in a net increase of up to 533 units in the Hunters View vicinity, this number falls well within the 700 net new units projected for this area that were analyzed in the Bayview Hunters Point Redevelopment Plan EIR. The Transportation Study for the Project indicates that the Project will contribute to one project-specific traffic impact at Evans Avenue/Third Street, and five cumulative (2025) significant traffic impacts, two of which can be mitigated to less than significant levels, and three of which will be significant unavoidable cumulative adverse traffic impacts. MUNI service will not be impeded as a result of the Project. Whereas there is currently no off-street parking for the 267 existing units at the project site, the Project will include up to 816 off-street spaces, with the current proposal of approximately 672 off-street parking spaces, so as not to overburden the streets.

3. The safeguards afforded to prevent noxious or offensive emissions such as noise, glare, dust and odor;

Prior to beginning demolition and construction of the Project, the Project Sponsor will seek Bay Area Air Quality Management District ("BAAQMD") approval of best available control technology ("BACT") for demolition and construction activities that could disrupt asbestos containing serpentine present in the existing rock at the site in order to protect the health and safety of persons residing or working in the vicinity from airborne particles.

The new residential, community and small-scale retail uses will not generate significant amounts of noxious or offensive uses that may cause noise, glare, dust or odor.

4. Treatment given, as appropriate, to such aspects as landscaping, screening, open spaces, parking and loading areas, service areas, lighting and signs;

The Project will create a comprehensive, well-integrated design for the entire site, with new and improved circulation, new streetscape and landscape, new lighting and signage, off-street parking and new open space areas. All these features will create an attractive development that emphasizes the visual appeal of the neighborhood to benefit its existing and new residents, including an enhancement of views from the Project site.

Pursuant to Planning Code Section 142, the Project will screen off-street parking from view or confine it by solid building walls.

The Project will replace the existing worn landscape with new landscaping and street trees.

The Project will create three new parks on site and establish new open space throughout the site.

Planning Code Section 159 requires off-street parking spaces to be on the same lot as the dwellings they serve or within a 600 foot walking distance. All the units comply with this requirement.

C. That the use as proposed will comply with the applicable provisions of the Planning Code and will not adversely affect the General Plan.

The Project complies with all relevant requirements and standards of the Planning Code and is consistent with objectives and policies of the General Plan as detailed below.

D. That the use as proposed would provide development that is in conformity with the purpose of the applicable Neighborhood Commercial District.

The subject project is not within a Neighborhood Commercial District.

- **13. Planned Unit Development.** Planning Code Section 304(d) establishes criteria and limitations for the authorization of PUD's over and above those applicable to Conditional Uses in general and contained in Section 303(c) and elsewhere in the Code. PUD's must:
  - A. Affirmatively promote applicable objectives and policies of the Master Plan;

The Project positively contributes to advancing numerous objectives and policies of the General Plan and has no significant conflicts with the objectives and policies of the General Plan, as discussed in Finding 13 below.

B. Provide off-street parking adequate for the occupancy proposed;

The Project will provide off-street parking adequate for the occupancy proposed. The Project currently proposes to provide approximately 672 off-street parking spaces, which when combined with on-street spaces will provide 1.27 spaces per dwelling unit.

C. Provide open space usable by the occupants and, where appropriate, by the general public, at least equal to the open spaces required by this Code;

As detailed in Finding 10 above, the Project will provide open space usable by the occupants and, where appropriate, by the general public, equal to the open space required by the Planning Code. The Project will provide 80 square feet of private open space or 107 square feet of common open space, as required by Code Section 135(d) in RM-2 Zoning Districts. The Project also will provide approximately 58,300 square feet of open space in the form of three parks.

D. Be limited in dwelling unit density to less than the density that would be allowed by Article 2 of this Code for a district permitting a greater density, so that the Planned Unit Development will not be substantially equivalent to a reclassification of property;

The subject property determines residential density according to the permissible density of an RM-2 zoning district. As a result, the Project Sponsor can construct 1,633 dwelling units as of right.

The Planned Unit Development permits an increase of density to up to 800 dwelling units, which is far less than what is allowable in an RM-2 Zoning District.

E. In R Districts, include commercial uses only to the extent that such uses are necessary to serve residents of the immediate vicinity, subject to the limitations for NC 1 Districts under this Code;

The Project will include commercial uses in an R district in order to better serve the community. NC-1, or the Neighborhood Commercial Cluster District is described in Planning Code section 710.1 as "intended to serve as local neighborhood shopping districts, providing convenience retail goods and services for the immediately surrounding neighborhoods primarily during daytime hours" and "characterized by [locations] in residential neighborhoods, often in outlying areas of the City... Housing development in new buildings is encouraged above the ground story in most districts." Each nonresidential use in the NC-1 district can be no larger that 2,999 s.f. (though 3,000 s.f. spaces and greater are permitted via conditional use) and permitted uses include limited financial services (like a bank), personal services (like a salon) and full service restaurants (which are defined to include coffee shops, see Planning Code section 790.92).

F. Under no circumstances be excepted from any height limit established by Article 2.5 of this Code, unless such exception is explicitly authorized by the terms of this Code. In the absence of such an explicit authorization, exceptions from the provisions of this Code with respect to height shall be confined to minor deviations from the provisions for measurement of height in Sections 260 and 261 of this Code, and no such deviation shall depart from the purposes or intent of those sections;

The Project is seeking a text and map amendment pursuant to Section 302 to change the height and bulk district from 40X to 40/65X.

G. In NC Districts, be limited in gross floor area to that allowed under the floor area ratio limit permitted for the district in Section 124 and Article 7 of this Code; and

This criterion is not applicable to the subject property's zoning district.

H. In NC Districts, not violate the use limitations by story set forth in Article 7 of this Code.

This criterion is not applicable to the subject property's zoning district.

I. This criterion is not applicable to the subject property's zoning district.

This criterion is not applicable to the subject property's zoning district.

14. **General Plan Compliance.** The Project is, on balance, consistent with the following Objectives and Policies of the General Plan:

## HOUSING ELEMENT

## **Objectives and Policies**

The Housing Element was certified in October 2004. In June 2007, the First District Court of Appeal ruled that the updated Housing Element should have been addressed in an EIR. Accordingly, this section refers to the 2004 Housing Element and the corresponding sections of the 1990 Residence Element in parenthesis when applicable.

## **OBJECTIVE 1** (Modified Objective 1):

INDENTIFY AND MAXIMIZE OPPORTUNITIES TO INCREASE THE POTENTIAL SUPPLY OF HOUSING IN APPROPRIATE LOCATIONS CITYWIDE.

## **Policy 1.4** (*Policy 1.4*):

Locate in-fill housing on appropriate sites in established residential neighborhoods.

#### **Policy 1.7** (*New*):

Encourage and support the construction of quality, new family housing.

The Project will create up to 800 units of new affordable and market-rate housing, including 267 replacement public housing units, 83 affordable rental units and up to 450 homeownership units, of which 10-15% will be affordable.

## **OBJECTIVE 3** (Modified Objective 5):

ENHANCE THE PHYSICAL CONDITION AND SAFETY OF HOUSING WITHOUT JEOPARDIZING USE OR AFFORDABILITY.

## **Policy 3.3** (*Policy 5.4*):

Maintain and improve the condition of the existing supply of public housing.

## **OBJECTIVE 4** (Modified Objective 7):

SUPPORT AFFORDABLE HOUSING PRODUCTION BY INCREASING SITE AVAILABILITY AND CAPACITY.

## **Policy 4.2** (Modified Policy 7.2):

Include affordable units in larger housing projects.

## **Policy 4.6** (*Merged Policies 7.4, 7.5, 7.6, and 7.9*):

Support a greater range of housing types and building techniques to promote more economical housing construction and achieve greater affordable housing production.

## **OBJECTIVE 8** (Modified Objective 13):

ENSURE EQUAL ACCESS TO HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES.

## **Policy 8.1** (Modified Policy 13.6):

Encourage sufficient and suitable rental housing opportunities and emphasize permanently affordable units wherever possible.

#### **Policy 8.4** (*Modified* 13.5):

Encourage greater economic integration within housing projects and throughout San Francisco.

## **OBJECTIVE 9** (Modified Objective 14):

AVOID OR MITIGATE HARDSHIPS IMPOSED BY DISPLACEMENT

## **Policy 9.1** (Modified Policy 14.1):

Minimize the hardships of displacement by providing essential relocation services.

### **OBJECTIVE 11** (Modified Objective 12):

IN INCREASING THE SUPPLY OF HOUSING, PURSUE PLACE MAKING AND NEIGHBORHOOD BUILDING PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICES TO CONTINUE SAN FRANCISCO'S DESIRABLE URBAN FABRIC AND ENHANCE LIVABILITY IN ALL NEIGHBORHOODS.

#### **Policy 11.1** (*New*):

Use new housing development as a means to enhance neighborhood vitality and diversity.

#### **Policy 11.3** (Modified Policy 12.2):

Encourage appropriate neighborhood-serving commercial activities in residential areas, without causing affordable housing displacement.

The Project will provide new housing, especially permanently affordable housing, in an appropriate location which meets identified housing needs and takes into account the demand for affordable housing created by employment demand. The Project will create up to 800 units of new affordable and market-rate housing, including 267 replacement public housing units, 83 affordable rental units and up to 450 homeownership units, of which 10-15% will be affordable.

## RECREATION AND OPEN SPACE ELEMENT

## **Objectives and Policies**

#### **OBJECTIVE 2:**

PRESERVE EXISTING PUBLIC OPEN SPACE

## Policy 2.3:

Preserve sunlight in public open spaces

## **OBJECTIVE 4:**

PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES FOR RECREATION AND THE ENJOYMENT OF OPEN SPACE IN EVERY SAN FRANCISCO NEIGHBORHOOD.

#### Policy 4.5:

Require private usable outdoor open space in new residential development.

The Project will develop and maintain high quality open space that, in some instances, will be open to members of the community. The Project will also preserve sunlight in public open spaces. The Project will not cast shadows over any open spaces under the jurisdiction of The Recreation and Park Department. The Project will also create private outdoor open space in new residential development. With rear yards, midblock courtyards, decks and terraces, the Project will create usable outdoor space directly accessible to dwelling units.

## TRANSPORTATION ELEMENT

## **Objectives and Policies**

#### **OBJECTIVE 24:**

IMPROVE THE AMBIENCE OF THE PEDESTRIAN ENVIRONMENT.

#### Policy 24.2:

Maintain and expand the planting of street trees and the infrastructure to support them.

#### Policy 24.4:

Preserve pedestrian-oriented building frontages.

## **OBJECTIVE 34:**

RELATE THE AMOUNT OF PARKING IN RESIDENTIAL AREAS AND NEIGHBORHOOD COMMERCIAL DISTRICTS TO THE CAPACITY OF THE CITY'S STREET SYSTEM AND LAND USE PATTERNS.

## **Policy 34.4:**

Regulate off-street parking in new housing so as to guarantee needed spaces without requiring excesses and to encourage low auto ownership in neighborhoods that are well served by transit and are convenient to neighborhood shopping.

## Policy 34.3:

Permit minimal or reduced off-street parking supply for new buildings in residential and commercial areas adjacent to transit centers and along transit preferential streets.

The Project will establish and design a new street hierarchy system in which the function and design of the new streets serving the site are consistent with the character and use of adjacent land and maintaining a level of traffic that serves adjacent land uses without causing a detrimental impact. The Project will also redesign the existing street layout to improve circulation and to improve bicycle and pedestrian facilities, thereby improving safety conditions.

The Project will also assure that any new parking facilities provided for the residential uses meet need, location, and design criteria. The Project will take into account issues such as parking needs, design and access to create any optimal parking solution. The amount of parking on the site will relate to the capacity of the City's street system and land use patterns.

#### URBAN DESIGN ELEMENT

## **Objectives and Policies**

#### **OBJECTIVE 1:**

EMPHASIS OF THE CHARACTERISTIC PATTERN WHICH GIVES TO THE CITY AND ITS NEIGHBORHOODS AN IMAGE, A SENSE OF PURPOSE AND A MEANS OF ORIENTATION.

#### Policy 1:

Promote harmony in the visual relationships and transitions between new and older buildings.

## Policy 3:

Recognize that buildings, when seen together, produce a total effect that characterizes the City and its districts.

#### Policy 6:

Relate the bulk of buildings to the prevailing scale of development to avoid an overwhelming or dominating appearance in new construction.

## **OBJECTIVE 3:**

MODERATION OF MAJOR NEW DEVELOPMENT TO COMPLEMENT THE CITY PATTERN, THE RESOURCES TO BE CONSERVED, AND THE NEIGHBORHOOD ENVIRONMENT.

## Policy 5:

Relate the height of buildings to important attributes of the city pattern and to the height and character of existing development.

## Policy 6:

Relate the bulk of buildings to the prevailing scale of development to avoid an overwhelming or dominating appearance in new construction.

The Project will emphasize the characteristic pattern which gives the City and its neighborhoods an image, a sense of purpose, and a means of orientation. The Project will be designed to respect San Francisco's characteristic pattern and to take advantage of the Project site's hilltop location and proximity to the Bay in developing a comprehensive development that will blend into the neighborhood and improve the area.

Major views in the City will be recognized and protected, with particular attention to those of open space and water. By modifying the street grid and aligning the buildings to the view corridors, the Project preserves and/or creates views from streets and parks to the Bay and Downtown that currently are not available.

The streets' relationships to topography will be protected and reinforced. The existing street configuration at the site is atypical for San Francisco; the new streets will improve the connectivity to the rest of the neighborhood and will be closer to a typical San Francisco grid pattern.

The bulk of buildings will relate to the prevailing scale of development to avoid an overwhelming appearance in new construction. By using a variety of building types, the Project will successfully keep a scale consistent with the neighborhood.

The Project will also replace the existing public housing which has deteriorated and become blighted. The Project will redevelop the site with a mixture of housing types, including one for one replacement of 267 public housing units, in a manner that will enhance personal safety for the residents and increase comfort, pride of occupancy and/or ownership, and create new opportunities for employment and housing.

#### NEIGHBORHOOD COMMERCE

## **Objectives and Policies**

## **OBJECTIVE 1:**

MANAGE ECONOMIC GROWTH AND CHANGE TO ENSURE ENHANCEMENT OF THE TOTAL CITY LIVING AND WORKINIG ENVIRONMENT.

## Policy 1.1:

Encourage development which provides substantial net benefits and minimizes undesirable consequences. Discourage development that has substantial undesirable consequences that cannot be mitigated.

## Policy 1.2:

Assure that all commercial and industrial uses meet minimum, reasonable performance standards.

## Policy 1.3:

Locate commercial and industrial activities according to a generalized commercial and industrial land use plan.

## **OBJECTIVE 2:**

MAINTAIN AND ENHANCE A SOUND AND DIVERSE ECONOMIC BASE AND FISCAL STRUCTURE FOR THE CITY.

## Policy 2.1:

Seek to retain existing commercial and industrial activity and to attract new such activity to the City.

**OBJECTIVE 6**: MAINTAIN AND STRENGTHEN VIABLE NEIGHBORHOOD COMMERCIAL AREAS EASILY ACCESSIBLE TO CITY RESIDENTS.

## Policy 6.1:

Ensure and encourage the retention and provision of neighborhood-serving goods and services in the city's neighborhood commercial districts, while recognizing and encouraging diversity among the districts.

The following guidelines, in addition to others in this objective for neighborhood commercial districts, should be employed in the development of overall district zoning controls as well as in the review of individual permit applications, which require case-by-case review and City Planning Commission approval. Pertinent guidelines may be applied as conditions of approval of individual permit applications. In general, uses should be encouraged which meet the guidelines; conversely, uses should be discouraged which do not.

#### **Eating and Drinking Establishments**

Eating and drinking establishments include bars, sit-down restaurants, fast food restaurants, self-service restaurants, and take-out food. Associated uses, which can serve similar functions and create similar land use impacts, include ice cream stores, bakeries and cookie stores. Guidelines for eating and drinking establishments are needed to achieve the following purposes:

- Regulate the distribution and proliferation of eating and drinking establishments, especially
  in districts experiencing increased commercial activity;
- Control nuisances associated with their proliferation;
- Preserve storefronts for other types of local-serving businesses; and
- Maintain a balanced mix of commercial goods and services.
- The regulation of eating and drinking establishments should consider the following:
- Balance of retail sales and services;
- Current inventory and composition of eating and drinking establishments;
- Total occupied commercial linear frontage, relative to the total district frontage;

- Uses on surrounding properties;
- Available parking facilities, both existing and proposed;
- Existing traffic and parking congestion; and
- Potential impacts on the surrounding community.

#### Policy 6.2:

Promote economically vital neighborhood commercial districts which foster small business enterprises and entrepreneurship and which are responsive to the economic and technological innovation in the marketplace and society.

## **BAYVIEW HUNTERS POINT PLAN**

## **OBJECTIVE 5:**

PRESERVE AND ENHANCE EXISTING RESIDENTIAL NEIGHBORHOODS.

#### Policy 5.1:

Preserve and enhance the existing character of residential neighborhoods.

#### Policy 5.3:

Conserve and enhance the existing supply of public housing.

#### **OBJECTIVE 6:**

ENCOURAGE THE CONSTRUCTION OF NEW AFFORDABLE AND MARKET RATE HOUSING AT LOCATIONS AND DENSITY LEVELS THAT ENHANCE THE OVERALL RESIDENTIAL QUALITY OF BAYVIEW HUNTERS POINT.

## Policy 6.1:

Encourage development of new moderate density affordable ownership units, appropriately designed and located and especially targeted for existing Bayview Hunters Point residents.

The Project will increase the community's supply of housing by facilitating economically feasible, affordable housing for existing very low-, low- and moderate-income households and residents in the community. The Project will provide a mix of housing types, including public housing units, affordable rental and homeownership units and market-rate home ownership units.

## REDEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR BAYVIEW HUNTERS POINT

The Project will support the Planning Goals and Objective for the Project Area, as set forth in Section 1.2.1 of the Redevelopment Plan. The Project will increase the community's supply of housing by facilitating economically feasible, affordable housing for existing very low-, low- and moderate-income households and residents in the community. The Project will provide a mix of housing types, including public housing units, affordable rental and homeownership units and market-rate home ownership units.

The Project will strengthen the economic base of the Project Area and the community by strengthening retail and other commercial functions. The Project will include approximately 6,400 square feet of commercial space to support neighborhood-oriented retail uses.

The Project will retain existing residents and retain existing cultural diversity. The construction of the Project in three separate phases will allow the existing residents to continue to live on the site and move into the new units after each of the three phases of construction is completed.

The Project will encourage participation of the area residents in the economic development that will occur by creating commercial and community spaces on site.

The Project will support locally owned small businesses and local entrepreneurship by providing retail space for small businesses to serve the residents of the neighborhood.

The Project will help eliminate blight by demolishing deteriorating and dilapidated buildings and creating new housing units with enhanced landscaping and improved access routes.

The Project will remove structurally substandard buildings and facilitate modern integrated development. The Project design will take into account pedestrian and vehicular circulation within the Project site and improve connectivity to the rest of the community.

The Project will redesign and redevelop an underdeveloped area. The site currently contains 267 public housing units, and the Project will increase the density to between 650 and 800 housing units, along with some commercial and community spaces. The Project will introduce more land uses and encourage an economically-diverse population.

The Project provides flexibility in development of real property by creating a mix of housing types. The Project will mix public housing units, affordable rental and homeownership units and market rate homeownership units with a small amount of neighborhood-serving retail space and community space which will allow the Project Sponsor to respond expeditiously and appropriately to market conditions.

The Project will increase the community's supply of housing by facilitating economically feasible, affordable housing for existing very low-, low- and moderate-income households and residents in the community. The Project will provide a mix of housing types, including public housing units, affordable rental and homeownership units and market-rate home ownership units.

The Project will promote the integration of affordable housing sites with sites developed for market rate housing. The Project will integrate different housing types and build affordable housing units next to market rate units.

The Project will help the Redevelopment Agency to promote the retention of existing businesses and attraction of new businesses. The Project will provide new neighborhood-serving commercial space to attract new businesses to the neighborhood.

The Project will promote Section 3.2.2 of the Redevelopment Plan by developing residential uses and some compatible neighborhood-serving retail and service uses in a residential area.

The Project will promote Section 3.2.8 of the Redevelopment Plan by developing a much improved circulation system that will increase connectivity to the surrounding neighborhoods.

The Project will be consistent with Section 3.3.2 of the Redevelopment Plan with respect to type, size, height and use of buildings. The Project will be consistent with the General Plan and the Planning Code except for minor exceptions permissible as part of the Planned Unit Development pursuant to Planning Code Section 304 and except for the requested modifications of the height limit and the new special use district enabling densities on portions of the site greater than allowed by underlying zoning in some cases. Section 3.3.2 provides that the Planning Commission and Board of Supervisors may adopt amendments to the Planning Code to better achieve the goals and objectives of the Redevelopment Plan, and the requested increase in height limit and flexibility regarding density will allow a superior development on the Project site with its challenging topography.

The Project will be consistent with Section 3.3.4 of the Redevelopment Plan by developing up to 533 net new units of housing in a planning node allowing for up to 700 net new units.

The Project will be consistent with Section 3.3.5 of the Redevelopment Plan by providing parking (off-street and on-street) adequate for the proposed uses.

The Project will affirmatively promote the Affordable Housing Production Goals set forth in Section 3.4.2 of the Redevelopment Plan. The Project will develop 350 affordable rental units, and up to 10-15% of the for-sale units will be affordable, resulting in a substantially greater percentage of affordability than the fifteen percent required by the Community Redevelopment Law or the twenty-five percent required by the Redevelopment Agency. In addition, the income eligibility restrictions of the Redevelopment Plan will be followed for the affordable rental and ownership units.

The Project will be consistent with Section 3.4.5 of the Redevelopment Plan by replacing all 267 units of public housing on site, so that none of the existing residents will be displaced as a result of the Project. By developing the Project in three phases, all demolished units will be replaced within less than four years.

The Project will be consistent with Section 3.4.6 of the Redevelopment Plan by giving priority to families of low- and moderate-income and other residency preferences created by the Agency.

The Project will further the Redevelopment Plan's goals for the Economic Development Activity Node of Hunters Point Shoreline, as set forth in Section 3.5.2 of the Redevelopment Plan. The Project will promote new housing on an available infill development site. It will assist with the renovation of a Housing Authority project by replacing substandard public housing with new housing units that fit in architecturally with other residential development in the area.

The Project will promote the Redevelopment Plan's Community Enhancement Program for project Area B as set forth in Section 3.6.2 of the Redevelopment Plan. The Project will create a new streetscape plan for the site and new landscaping and lighting of local streets. The Project will create new signage, open space and community facilities.

- 15. **Demolition of Dwelling Units**. On December 5, 2003, the Planning Commission adopted Resolution No. 16700 adopting policies regarding the demolition of dwelling units. The policy established procedures on how to evaluate the merits of allowing the demolition of dwelling units. Pursuant to the Policy, the Commission allows demolition, whether a building is sound or unsound, where it is found that there is preponderance of other General Plan Policies and Objectives for the Commission to approve the demolition. Such policies may include the provision of new family housing, adding units to the City's housing stock, proposing a high quality design for the replacement building that preserves and enhances the character of the neighborhood, or providing affordable rental or ownership opportunities. Here, the project will not only replace the units proposed for demolition, but will add a significant number of new affordable units, along with market rate units. The Commission finds that the Hunters View Development Project meets a preponderance of such Policies and Objectives and therefore is consistent with its policy on residential demolitions.
- **16. Planning Code Section 101.1(b)** establishes eight priority-planning policies and requires review of permits for consistency with said policies. On balance, the project does comply with said policies in that:
  - A. That existing neighborhood-serving retail uses be preserved and enhanced and future opportunities for resident employment in and ownership pf such businesses be enhanced.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 1 in that it will not affect any existing neighborhood-serving retail uses because none currently exists on the Project site. However, the Project will provide future opportunities for resident employment and ownership of neighborhood-serving retail uses that will be developed on the site. Small-scale, neighborhood-serving retail is permitted in the RM-1 zone, pursuant to a Planned Unit Development permit, complies with the Redevelopment Plan and will be beneficial to the neighborhood's residents.

B. That existing housing and neighborhood character be conserved and protected in order to preserve the cultural and economic diversity of our neighborhoods.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 2 in that it will protect and enhance existing housing and neighborhood character and preserve the cultural and economic diversity of San Francisco's neighborhoods. Although 267 units of deteriorating public housing will be demolished, each public housing unit will be replaced on a one-to-one basis. In addition, the Project will create at least an additional 83 affordable rental units, and up to 450 home ownership units, of which 10-15% will be affordable to restricted income households. It is anticipated that the proposed revitalization of Hunters View will result in a mixed-race and mixed-income community, with much greater housing variety and opportunity than currently exists..

C. That the City's supply of affordable housing be preserved and enhanced,

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 3 in that it will preserve and enhance the City's supply of affordable housing by replacing the 267 existing public housing units at Hunters View on a one-to-one basis with new, modern, affordable housing units and providing at least an additional 83 affordable rental units and additional home ownership units that will be affordable to restricted income households..

D. That commuter traffic not impede MUNI transit service or overburden our streets or neighborhood parking.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 4 in that it will not result in commuter traffic that will impede Muni transit service or overburden San Francisco's streets or neighborhood parking. Although the Project could result in a net increase of up to 533 units in the Hunters View vicinity, this number falls well within the 700 net new units projected for this area that were analyzed in the Bayview Hunters Point Redevelopment Plan EIR. The Transportation Study for the Project indicates that the Project will contribute to one project-specific traffic impact at Evans Avenue/Third Street, and five cumulative (2025) significant traffic impacts, two of which can be mitigated to less than significant levels, and three of which will be significant unavoidable cumulative adverse traffic impacts. MUNI service will not be impeded as a result of the Project. Whereas there is currently no off-street parking for the 267 existing units at the Project site, the Project will include up to 816 off-street spaces, with the current proposal of approximately 672 off-street parking spaces, so as not to overburden the streets.

E. That a diverse economic base be maintained by protecting our industrial and service sectors from displacement due to commercial office development, and that future opportunities for resident employment and ownership in these sectors be enhanced.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 5 in that it will develop residential uses on a site that is currently completely devoted to residential uses. The Project will not displace any industrial or service sector uses due to commercial office development, as no industrial or service development exists on the site, and the Project does not include commercial office space. The Project is entirely residential in nature, except for community space and neighborhood-serving retail space, which offers potential opportunity for resident employment and ownership.

F. That the City achieve the greatest possible preparedness to protect against injury and loss of life in an earthquake.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 6 in that the existing, deteriorating public housing on the site will be demolished and replaced with modern residential units built to current earthquake and seismic regulations

G. That landmarks and historic buildings be preserved.

> The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 7 in that it will have no effect on landmarks or historic buildings because none exists on the site. A Historic Structures Report for the existing structures has been completed and concluded that the existing public housing is not deemed eligible for listing on the California Register of Historical Places.

H. That our parks and open space and their access to sunlight and vistas be protected from development.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 8 in that it will not affect the City's parks or open space or their access to sunlight and vistas. The new construction on the site will be 2-7 stories in height and a shadow study has been completed and concluded that the new buildings will not cast excessive shadow on any property under the jurisdiction of, or designated for acquisition by, the Recreation and Park Commission. The open space designed to be part of the Project will be privately owned and maintained.

- 17. The Project is consistent with and would promote the general and specific purposes of the Code provided under Section 101.1(b) in that, as designed, the Project would contribute to the character and stability of the neighborhood and would constitute a beneficial development.
- 18. Where feasible, all significant environmental impacts of the Project have been mitigated to a less than significant level, and to the extent that an environmental impact of the Project cannot feasibly be mitigated to a less than significant level, specific overriding economic, legal, social, technological and other benefits of the Project each independently outweigh these significant and unavoidable impacts and warrant approval of the Project, as stated in the Findings of Fact, Evaluation of Mitigation Measures and Alternatives, and Statement of Overriding Considerations which is attached hereto as "Attachment A" and incorporated by this reference.
- 19. The Commission hereby finds that approval of the Conditional Use authorization would promote the health, safety and welfare of the City.

# **DECISION**

The Commission, after carefully balancing the competing public and private interests, and based upon the Recitals and Findings set forth above, in accordance with the standards specified in the Code, hereby approves the Project Authorization for a Planned Unit Development, including up to 800 dwelling units, approximately 6,400 square feet of retail use, approximately 21,600 square feet of community space, approximately 58,300 square feet of parks, and up to 816 off-street parking spaces, at 227-229 West Point Road in three construction phases, subject to the conditions of approval attached hereto as **Exhibit A**, which are incorporated herein by this reference, and further subject to determinations by Department staff that Phases 2 and 3 of the Project are consistent with this Project Authorization, the Design for Development dated May 29, 2008, attached hereto as **Exhibit C**, and the Planning Code.

APPEAL AND EFFECTIVE DATE OF MOTION: Any aggrieved person may appeal this Conditional Use Authorization to the Board of Supervisors within thirty (30) days after the date of this Motion No. 17621. The effective date of this Motion shall be the date of this Motion if not appealed (After the 30-day period has expired) OR the date of the decision of the Board of Supervisors if appealed to the Board of Supervisors. For further information, please contact the Board of Supervisors at (415) 554-5184, City Hall, Room 244, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Motion was adopted by the City Planning Commission on **June 12**, **2008**.

Linda Avery Commission Secretary

AYES: Commissioners Michael Antonini, William L. Lee, Ron Miguel, Kathrin Moore, Christina

Olague, and Bill Sugaya

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

ADOPTED: June 12, 2008

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# Exhibit A Conditions of Approval

Whenever "Project Sponsor" is used in the following conditions, the conditions shall also bind any successor to the Project or other persons having an interest in the Project or underlying property.

- 1. This approval is pursuant to Sections 303 (Conditional Use) and 304 (Planned Unit Development) for a Planned Unit Development, including up to 800 dwelling units, approximately 6,400 square feet of retail use, approximately 21,600 square feet of community space, approximately 58,300 square feet of parks, and up to 816 off-street parking spaces on an approximately 980,100 square foot site. The approval is in general conformance with the plans dated May 29, 2008, and stamped "Exhibit B", and the Design for Development document dated May 29, 2008, stamped "Exhibit C".
- 2. **Community Liaison.** The Project Sponsor shall appoint a community liaison officer to deal with issues of concern to the owners and occupants of nearby properties at all times during Project construction. Prior to the commencement of Project construction, the Project Sponsor shall give the Zoning Administrator the name, address and telephone number of such liaison.
- 3. **Reporting.** The Project Sponsor shall submit to the Zoning Administrator two copies of a written report describing the status of compliance with the conditions of approval contained within this Motion every six months from the date of this approval through the issuance of the first temporary certificate of occupancy. Thereafter, the submittal of the report shall be on an annual basis. This requirement shall lapse when the Zoning Administrator determines that all the conditions of approval have been satisfied or that the report is no longer required for other reasons.
- 4. **Design-for-Development.** The Hunters View Design for Development, Exhibit C, is hereby incorporated into these Conditions of Approval. This document provides the following: (1) a site plan for the overall project, (2) discussions of the project's overall design principles and intent, (3) discussion of the design principles and intent for features that will become part of the public realm (i.e. new street, parks, and other open space); (4) discussion of design principles and intent for buildings and uses; (5) the establishment of specific requirements for public realm features, buildings, and uses (referred to as "Design Controls") along with design recommendations for public realm features, buildings and uses (referred to as "Design Guidelines").

The further design, construction, and maintenance of the Project shall conform to the Design for Development in the following manner. All features, including, but not limited to, street and block layout, street design, parks and open space, buildings, and uses shall meet the general overarching goals and intent of the Design for Development, including the "Principles of San Francisco Neighborhood Design" discussed in Chapter 2. Public realm features that are provided with individual descriptions and discussions (i.e. Promontory Park, New Street) are required improvements and shall meet the general design intent described therein. Design specifics, such as lane dimensions and configuration of open space, may vary as long as the general design intent for the given feature has been met, and for parks and public open space, provide approximately the same square footage of open space.

Design provisions throughout the Design for Development that fall under a "Development Controls" heading must be met to be in conformance with this Planned Unit Development approval, except as provided under 4A, below.

Design provisions throughout the Design for Development that fall under the "Development Guidelines" heading are strongly recommended; they are not required as long as the general design intent for that feature has been met.

A. Provisions for "Development Controls" may vary as long as the following two conditions are met: (1) there is no more than a five-percent variance of the subject provision for the subject block; and (2) the Zoning Administrator finds that the general intent for the subject provision and overall Design for Development has been met. Design features that do not meet either the "Development Controls" and do not meet these conditions would require an amendment to the Design for Development Document and this Planned Unit Development approval.

#### 5. Land Use.

- A. The Project Sponsor has received an approval for the construction of up to 800 dwelling units, approximately 6,400 square feet of retail use, approximately 21,600 square feet of community space, approximately 58,300 square feet of parks, and up to 816 parking spaces in three phases.
- B. Uses listed under the NC-1 (Neighborhood Commercial Cluster) District whether conditionally or principally permitted are in general principally permitted within the proposed Special Use District under Planning Code Section 249.39.
- C. For social service and institutional uses, including those that fall under the definitions of large and small institutions (Planning Code Sections 790.50 and 790.51 respectively), the Project Sponsor shall promote alternative methods of transportation to and from the use's facility by employees. The Project Sponsor shall encourage the use of carpooling and public transportation for users of the facility in order to minimize congestion and reduce peak queuing of automobile pick-up and drop-off.
- D. For commercial uses including full- and self-service restaurants, the following conditions shall apply:
  - 1. The property owner shall maintain the main entrance to the building and all sidewalks abutting the subject property in a clean condition. Such maintenance shall include, at a minimum, daily sweeping and litter pickup and disposal as well as washing or steam cleaning of the main entrance and abutting sidewalks at least once each week.
  - Until removal by a waste disposal service, all garbage and/or waste containers shall be either kept within the subject building, or kept in a sealed enclosure which prevents the emission of any noxious odors.
  - 3. The Project Sponsor shall maintain appropriate odor control equipment to prevent any significant noxious or offensive kitchen odors from escaping the premises.
  - 4. The Project Sponsor shall operate the proposed use such that noise is kept at reasonable levels so as not to unduly disturb neighboring businesses and residents.

- 5. The Project Sponsor shall maintain an attractive storefront providing visibility of the restaurant interior through the storefront windows.
- 6. Signs for the business shall be reviewed and approved by the Planning Department before they are installed.

# 6. Design.

- A. The final plans shall meet the standards of the Planning Code, except for those modifications to Planning Code provisions approved by this Project Authorization or as Development Controls in the approved Design for Development dated May 29, 2008, and be in general conformity with the plans approved by the Commission on June 12, 2008 as Exhibit B found in the Case docket.
- B. Final detailed building plans shall be reviewed and approved by the Planning Department before issuance of the first superstructure addendum to a site permit. Detailed building plans shall include a final site plan for the building, unit plans, elevations, sections, landscape plan, choice of finish materials and colors, and details of construction.
- C. Final detailed plans sufficient for Conditional Use/Planned Unit Development approval for Phases 2 and 3 shall be submitted to the Planning Department prior to application for any site or building permits for those phases. The Planning Department shall review such plans for general conformity with this Project Authorization, the approved Design for Development and the Planning Code. Plans for Phases 2 and 3 shall be presented to the Planning Commission as information items.
- D. Space for the collection and storage of garbage shall be provided within an enclosed area on the property. Garbage containers shall be kept inside the building, and placed outside only when being serviced by the disposal company. Space for the collection and storage of recyclable materials which meets the size, location, accessibility and other standards specified by the San Francisco Recycling Program, shall be provided at the ground level of the Project.
- E. All proposed signage will be in general conformance with Article 6 of the Planning Code.
- F. The project sponsor shall continue to work with Planning Department staff on the details of the design of the project that include but not limited to assuring quality materials and detailing, and assuring a sufficient variety of materials and treatments across the site. Special attention shall also be given to the architectural treatment of corners and assuring that internal mews are appropriately activated. Designs for buildings on blocks 1b, 5, 6 and 7a may deviate from those shown in Exhibit "B" to allow greater diversity in form than those presented, as long as the overall design intent of the Design for Development and the required controls have been met. Likewise, configuration of front stoops may be reconfigured to be made larger, if appropriate.

#### 7. Housing.

- A. The Project shall not be marketed for time share, executive suites or short term transient use.
- B. Covenants, conditions and restrictions approved by the Planning Department shall be imposed upon the project units to restrict use to occupancy for permanent residents and to preclude timeshare ownership or occupancy. No residential units shall be used as hotel units, as defined in Section 203.8 of the San Francisco Housing Code.

C. The project is subject to affordable housing requirements through the Redevelopment Agency and not through Planning Code Section 315.

#### 8. Performance.

- A. Prior to the issuance of any new or amended building permit for the construction of the Project, the Zoning Administrator shall approve and order the recordation of a notice in the Official Records of the Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco, if not already recorded, which notice shall state that construction of the Project has been authorized by and is subject to the conditions of this Motion. From time to time after the recordation of such notice, at the request of the Project Sponsor or the successor thereto, the Zoning Administrator shall affirm in writing the extent to which the conditions of this Motion have been satisfied.
- B. The Project Sponsor shall obtain site or building permits for Phase 1 of this Project within three years from the date of this conditional use authorization, and construction shall thereafter be pursued diligently to completion or the said authorization shall be deemed null and void.
- C. The project requires the adoption of the proposed Planning Code Text and Map Amendments by the Board of Supervisors. In the event that the Board of Supervisors does not approve the project, the project would need to be redesigned.
- D. This authorization is valid for a period of ten years from the date of approval by the Planning Commission.
- E. After ten years, an extension for up to an additional two years may be specifically authorized by the Planning Commission. In the case where delays have been caused by a government agency or legal action, time shall be tolled and the authorization extended for such period by the Zoning Administrator.
- F. Failure to comply with these Conditions of Approval shall be grounds for revocation of the conditional use authorization. Should the Project result in complaints from neighbors that are not resolved by the Project Sponsor and are subsequently reported to the Zoning Administrator and found to be in violation of the Planning Code and/or the specific Conditions of Approval contained in this Exhibit A of this motion, the Zoning Administrator shall report such complaints to the Planning Commission which may thereafter hold a public hearing on the matter in accordance with the hearing notification and conduct procedures in Planning Code Sections 174, 306.3 and 306.4 to consider revocation of this Conditional Use Authorization. The subject authorization shall otherwise be reviewed administratively by the Planning Department one year from the effective date of approval.
- G. First Source hiring requirements shall be administered through the San Francisco Redevelopment Agency.
- 9. **Project mitigation.** "Mitigation Measures" and "Improvement Measures" to be included in the Project, as outlined in the Final Environmental Impact Report, Hunters View Redevelopment Project (State Clearinghouse No. SCH 2007112086). If said mitigation measures are less restrictive than the following conditions, the more restrictive and protective, as determined by the Zoning Administrator, shall govern. These measures are as follows:

# A. Transportation and Circulation

The Project impacts at the Third Street/Evans Avenue intersection under the Baseline Plus Project Conditions could be mitigated by adjusting the maximum allowable southbound left turn green time. In the Baseline Plus Project Conditions, the southbound left turn movement is projected to have an allotted green time of 11 seconds per 100-second cycle (LOS F) and the opposing northbound through movement is projected to have an allotted green time of 37 seconds per 100-second cycle (LOS B). To mitigate the impact caused by the Project, the southbound left turn green time could be increased to 16 seconds per 100-second cycle and the opposing northbound through movement green time could be decreased to 32 seconds per 100-second cycle.

Implementation of the proposed mitigation measure would be dependent upon an assessment of transit and traffic coordination along Third Street and Evans Avenue to ensure that the changes would not substantially affect MUNI transit operations, signal progressions, pedestrian minimum green time requirements, and programming limitations of signals.

If the proposed mitigation is determined to be feasible, the Project Sponsor shall be required to fund its fair share of the cost of such mitigation.

Under 2025 Cumulative Plus Project Conditions, a substantial amount of the delay at the Third Street/25th Street intersection would be caused by the permitted eastbound and westbound through-and right-turn movements. 25th Street would have one all-movement lane in each direction. To the west of the intersection, 25th Street is approximately 40 feet wide and accommodates on-street parking. To the east of the intersection, 25th Street is approximately 30 feet wide and does not accommodate on-street parking. With the removal of the on-street parking to the west of the Third Street/25th Street intersection, the eastbound approach would have sufficient width to accommodate a through-left lane and an exclusive right turn lane. The eastbound right turn lane could include an overlap phase to coincide with the northbound leftturn phase, with U-turns from northbound Third Street prohibited. With this modification, the intersection steady demand green time splits could be recalculated, while maintaining a 100second cycle length. The green time allotted to the T-Third trains and intersection offset would not be modified with the implementation of this mitigation measure. With the re-striping of the eastbound approach, the removal of on-street parking, addition of an eastbound right-turn overlap phase, and ecalculation of the signal timing steady demand green time splits, the Third Street/25th Street intersection would operate at LOS D with an average delay of 35.9 seconds per vehicle.

While mitigation has been identified to reduce impacts, further analysis of some of the measures is required to determine feasibility.

If the proposed mitigation is determined to be feasible, the Project Sponsor shall be required to fund its fair share of the cost of such mitigation.

Under the 2025 Cumulative Plus Project Conditions, the expected traffic volumes at the all-way stop-controlled Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection, would meet signal warrants and signalization would be required. With the existing geometry, the intersection would continue to operate at an unacceptable level (LOS F), even with signalization.

Removal of the on-street parking on Middle Point/Jennings to the north of the Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection, would allow the southbound approach to provide an exclusive left-turn lane and a shared left-through-right lane.

With the installation of an actuated-uncoordinated traffic signal, southbound and westbound approach lane reconfiguration, and removal of on-street parking, the Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection would operate at LOS D, with an average delay of 53.1 seconds per vehicle.1 Implementation of the proposed mitigation measure would be dependent upon an assessment of traffic coordination along Evans Avenue to ensure that the changes would not substantially affect signal progressions, pedestrian conditions requirements, and programming limitations of signals. If signalization is implemented, the Project Sponsor shall be required to fund its fair share of the cost of such signalization.

Further analysis is required to determine the feasibility of this mitigation. If the proposed mitigation is determined to be feasible, the Project Sponsor shall be required to fund its fair share of the cost of such mitigation.

# B. Construction Air Quality

- 1. To reduce particulate matter emissions during project excavation and construction phases, the Project Sponsor shall comply with the dust control strategies developed by the BAAQMD. The Project Sponsor shall include in construction contracts the following requirements or other measures shown to be equally effective.
  - Cover all truck hauling soil, sand, and other loose construction and demolition debris from the site, or require all such trucks to maintain at least two feet of freeboard;
  - Water all exposed or disturbed soil surfaces in active construction areas at least twice daily;
  - Use watering to control dust generation during demolition of structures or break-up of pavement;
  - Pave, apply water three times daily, or apply (non-toxic) soil stabilizers on all unpaved parking areas and staging areas;
  - Sweep daily (with water sweepers) all paved parking areas and staging areas;
  - Provide daily clean-up of mud and dirt carried onto paved streets from the site;
  - Enclose, cover, water twice daily or apply non-toxic soil binders to exposed stockpiles (dirt, sand, etc.);
  - Limit traffic speeds on unpaved roads to 15 mph;
  - Install sandbags or other erosion control measures to prevent silt runoff to public roadways;
  - Replant vegetation in disturbed areas as quickly as possible;
  - Hydroseed or apply (non-toxic) soil stabilizers to inactive construction areas (previously graded areas inactive for ten days or more);
  - Install wheel washers for all existing trucks, or wash off the tires or tracks of all trucks and equipment leaving the site;

- Install wind breaks at the windward side(s) of construction areas;
- Suspend excavation and grading activity when winds (instantaneous gusts) exceed 25 miles per hour over a 30-minute period or more; and
- To the extent possible, limit the area subject to excavation, grading, and other dustgenerating construction activity at any one time.
- 2. The Project Sponsor shall implement measures to reduce the emissions of pollutants generated by heavy-duty diesel-powered equipment operating at the Project Site during project excavation and construction phases. The Project Sponsor shall include in construction contracts the following requirements or other measures shown to be equally effective.
  - Keep all construction equipment in proper tune in accordance with manufacturer's specifications;
  - Use late model heavy-duty diesel-powered equipment at the Project site to the extent that it is readily available in the San Francisco Bay Area;
  - Use diesel-powered equipment that has been retrofitted with after-treatment products (e.g., engine catalysts) to the extent that it is readily available in the San Francisco Bay Area;
  - Use low-emission diesel fuel for all heavy-duty diesel-powered equipment operating
    and refueling at the Project site to the extent that it is readily available and cost effective
    in the San Francisco Bay Area (this does not apply to diesel-powered trucks traveling to
    and from the site);
  - Utilize alternative fuel construction equipment (i.e., compressed natural gas, liquid
    petroleum gas, and unleaded gasoline) to the extent that the equipment is readily
    available and cost effective in the San Francisco Bay Area;
  - Limit truck and equipment idling time to five minutes or less;
  - Rely on the electricity infrastructure surrounding the construction sites rather than electrical generators powered by internal combustion engines to the extent feasible.
- 3. The Project Sponsor will be responsible for compliance with Toxic Control Measures for Construction, Grading, Quarrying, and Surface Mining Operation as enforced by CARB. These measures require that areas greater than one acre that have any portion of the area to be disturbed located in a geographic ultramafic rock unit or has naturally occurring asbestos, serpentine, or ultramafic rock as determined by the sponsor or an Air Pollution Control Officer shall not engage in any construction or grading operation on property where the area to be disturbed is greater than one acre unless an Asbestos Dust Mitigation Plan for the operation has been:
  - Submitted to and approved by the district before the start of any construction or grading activity; and
  - The provisions of that dust mitigation plan are implemented at the beginning and maintained throughout the duration of the construction or grading activity.
  - Compliance with these dust control measures would reduce air quality impacts to a less-than-significant level.

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#### C. Construction Noise

1. To the extent feasible, the Project Sponsor shall limit construction activity to the hours of 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on weekdays, and 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. If nighttime construction is required, the Project Sponsor shall apply for, and abide by the terms of, a permit from the San Francisco Department of Public Works. The Project Sponsor shall require contractors to comply with the City Noise Ordinance.

2. Construction contractors shall implement appropriate additional noise reduction measures that include using noise-reducing mufflers and other noise abatement devices, changing the location of stationary construction equipment, where possible, shutting off idling equipment, and notifying adjacent residences and businesses in advance of construction work. In addition, the Project Sponsor shall require the posting of signs prior to construction activities with a phone number for residents to call with noise complaints.

#### D. Construction Vibration

- 1. The Project Sponsor shall provide notification to the closest receptors, at least ten days in advance, of construction activities that could cause vibration levels above the threshold.
- 2. The Project Sponsor shall require construction contractors to conduct demolition, earthmoving, and ground-impacting operations so as not to occur in the same time period.
- 3. The Project Sponsor shall require construction contractors to, where possible, and financially feasible, select demolition methods to minimize vibration (e.g., sawing masonry into sections rather than demolishing it by pavement breakers)
- 4. The Project Sponsor shall require construction contractors to operate earthmoving equipment on the construction site as far away from vibration sensitive sites as possible.
- 5. The construction contractor shall implement methods to reduce vibration, including, but not limited to, sound attenuation barriers, cutoff trenches and the use of smaller hammers.

# E. Mechanical Equipment

The Project is zoned RM-1, which is prohibited by San Francisco Police Code Section 2909, to have a fixed source noise that exceeds 50 dBA, at the property line, between 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. The Project's mechanical equipment could exceed 50 dBA at the property line. The Project Sponsor shall provide shielding to minimize noise from stationary mechanical equipment, including ventilation units, such that noise levels from the equipment at the nearest property line would be below 50 dBA.

# F. Biological Resources

- 1. The Project Sponsor shall retain a qualified biologist to conduct preconstruction breedingseason surveys (approximately March 15 through August 30) of the Project Site and immediate vicinity during the same calendar year that construction is planned to begin, in consultation with the City of San Francisco and CDFG.
  - If phased construction procedures are planned for the Project, the results of the above survey shall be valid only for the season when it is conducted.
  - A report shall be submitted to the City of San Francisco, following the completion of the bird nesting survey that includes, at a minimum, the following information:

- A description of methodology including dates of field visits, the names of survey personnel with resumes, and a list of references cited and persons contacted.
- A map showing the location(s) of any bird nests observed on the Project Site.
- 2. If the above survey does not identify any nesting bird species on the Project site, no further mitigation would be required. Should any active bird nests be located on the Project Site, the Project Sponsor, in consultation with the City and County of San Francisco and California Department of Fish and Game (CDFG), shall delay construction in the vicinity of active bird nest sites located on or adjacent to the Project Site during the breeding season (approximately March 15 through August 30) while the nest is occupied with adults and/or young. If active nests are identified, construction activities should not occur within 500 ft of the nest. A qualified biologist, determined by the Environmental Review Officer, shall monitor the active nest until the young have fledged, until the biologist determines that the nest is no longer active, or if it is reasonable that construction activities are not disturbing nesting behaviors. The buffer zone shall be delineated by highly visible temporary construction fencing.
- 3. Due to the presence of steep slopes, all construction activities associated with the pedestrian route on the PG&E property, if the Project Sponsor can obtain site control for an easement on the PG&E property and if it is developed, shall occur during the dry season (typically from the end of May to mid-October) to limit the likelihood of soil erosion and to minimize the need to install erosion-control barriers (e.g., silt fencing, wattles) that may impact existing serpentine bunchgrass remnants from their placement along slope contours.

Prior to the initiation of any construction activities on the PG&E property, the Project Sponsor shall prepare a detailed plan showing proposed construction-related activities on the PG&E site. A qualified botanist familiar with serpentine bunchgrass communities shall conduct a pre¬construction survey of the PG&E property, during the portion of the growing season when most native vascular plant species previously documented as occurring on the site are evident and readily identifiable. Any areas containing remnants of serpentine bunchgrass habitat outside the proposed footprint for the walkway (including access routes), but within 20 feet of these areas shall be clearly delineated by appropriate avoidance markers (e.g., orange construction fencing, brightly colored flagging tape on lath stakes). An appropriate access route to and from the walkway area shall be developed, utilizing existing service roads and/or concrete building pads to avoid remnants of serpentine bunchgrass. Staging areas for this construction shall be limited to areas where remnants of serpentine bunchgrass do not occur.

The Project Sponsor shall conduct Worker Environmental Awareness Program (WEAP) training for construction crews (primarily crew and construction foreman) and City inspectors before construction activities begin. The WEAP shall include a brief review of the serpentine bunchgrass resource that occurs on the PG&E site. The program shall also cover all mitigation measures, and Project plans, such as BMPs and any other required plans. During WEAP training, construction personnel shall be informed of the importance of avoiding ground-disturbing activities outside of the designated work area. The designated biological monitor shall be responsible for ensuring that construction personnel adhere to the guidelines and restrictions. WEAP training sessions shall be conducted as needed for new personnel brought onto the job during the construction period.

- 4. Best Management Practices (BMPs) shall be employed during all construction activities on the PG&E site (e.g., all fueling of equipment within designated areas, containment of hazardous materials in the advent of accidental spills).
- 5. After construction is complete, all trash shall be removed from within the PG&E site.
- 6. After construction is complete, all areas of identified serpentine bunchgrass habitat on the PG&E property impacted by construction activities shall be restored to a level equal to, or exceeding the quality of habitat that existed before impacts to these habitats occurred. Mitigation shall be achieved by implementation of the following planting plan:
  - Installation of transplants and/or planting of locally-collected seeds from native plant species associated with serpentine grassland habitats into areas impacted by the Project. The frequency, density, and distribution of native species used within the mitigation plantings shall be determined through consultation with appropriate resource agencies, organizations, and practitioners. Installation shall be supervised by a qualified horticulturalist or botanist. Measures to reduce transplant mortality may include, but are not limited to the following:
  - Placement of cages, temporary fences, or other structures to reduce small mammal access, until transplants are sufficiently established;
  - Any weeding around transplants to reduce competition from non-native species shall be done manually;
  - Placement of a temporary irrigation system or periodic watering by mobile equipment sources for the first two years until transplants are sufficiently established.
  - General success of the mitigation plantings shall be measured by the following criteria:
    - Periodically assess the overall health and vigor of transplants during the growing season for the first three years; no further success criteria is required if transplants within the mitigation plantings have maintained a 70 percent or greater success rate by the end of the third year. If transplant success rate is below 70 percent by the end of the third year, a contingency plan to replace transplants due to mortality loss (e.g., foraging by small mammals, desiccation) shall be implemented.
- 7. The Project will comply with Article 16 of the Public Works Code for protection for significant trees. "Significant trees" are defined as trees within 10 feet of a public right-of-way, and also meet one of the following size requirements:
  - 20 feet or greater in height;
  - 15 feet or greater in canopy width; or
  - 12 inches or greater diameter of trunk measured at 4.5 feet above grade.

Street trees are also protected by the City's Urban Forestry Ordinance and both require a permit for removal. Some tree species within the Project Site meet the criterion of "Significant Tree" status; before construction occurs within any portions of the Project Site that could contain "Significant Trees," a tree survey shall be performed by a qualified arborist, and a map shall be prepared showing the genus and species, location, and drip line of all trees greater than 36 inches in diameter at breast height (DBH) or greater that are proposed to be altered, removed, or relocated. Any removal of these trees associated with the Project will

require a permit review, and replacement of affected "significant" trees as specified in the ordinance. Adherence to the ordinance will avoid the potential impact on the loss of significant trees.

# G. Archaeological Resources

The Project Sponsor shall retain the services of a qualified archaeological consultant having expertise in California prehistoric and urban historical archaeology. The archaeological consultant shall undertake an archaeological monitoring program during construction activities in Blocks 13, 18, and 19. The archaeological consultant shall first undertake a geoarchaeological study of this project sub-area to determine if any buried land surfaces available for prehistoric occupation are present. All plans and reports prepared by the consultant as specified herein shall be submitted first and directly to the ERO for review and comment, and shall be considered draft reports subject to revision until final approval by the ERO. Archaeological monitoring and/or data recovery programs required by this measure could suspend construction of the Project for up to a maximum of four weeks. At the direction of the ERO, the suspension of construction can be extended beyond four weeks only if such a suspension is the only feasible means to reduce to a less-than-significant level potential effects on a significant archaeological resource as defined in CEQA Guidelines Sect. 15064.5 (a)(c).

Archaeological monitoring program (AMP). The archaeological monitoring program shall minimally include the following provisions:

The archaeological consultant, Project Sponsor, and ERO shall meet and consult on the scope of the AMP reasonably prior to any project-related soils disturbing activities commencing. The ERO in consultation with the project archeologist shall determine what project activities shall be archaeologically monitored. In most cases, any soils disturbing activities, such as demolition, foundation removal, excavation, grading, utilities installation, foundation work, driving of piles (foundation, shoring, etc.), site remediation, etc., shall require archaeological monitoring because of the potential risk these activities pose to archaeological resources and to their depositional context;

The archaeological consultant shall advise all project contractors to be on the alert for evidence of the presence of the expected resource(s), of how to identify the evidence of the expected resource(s), and of the appropriate protocol in the event of apparent discovery of an archaeological resource;

The archaeological monitor(s) shall be present on the Project site according to a schedule agreed upon by the archaeological consultant and the ERO until the ERO has, in consultation with the archaeological consultant, determined that project construction activities could have no effects on significant archaeological deposits;

The archaeological monitor shall record and be authorized to collect soil samples and artifactual/ecofactual material as warranted for analysis;

If an intact archaeological deposit is encountered, all soils disturbing activities in the vicinity of the deposit shall cease. The archaeological monitor shall be empowered to temporarily redirect demolition/excavation/pile driving/construction crews and heavy equipment until the deposit is evaluated. If in the case of pile driving activity (foundation, shoring, etc.), the archaeological

monitor has cause to believe that the pile driving activity may affect an archaeological resource, the pile driving activity shall be terminated until an appropriate evaluation of the resource has been made in consultation with the ERO. The archaeological consultant shall immediately notify the ERO of the encountered archaeological deposit. The archaeological consultant shall, after making a reasonable effort to assess the identity, integrity, and significance of the encountered archaeological deposit, present the findings of this assessment to the ERO.

If the ERO in consultation with the archaeological consultant determines that a significant archaeological resource is present and that the resource could be adversely affected by the Project, at the discretion of the Project Sponsor either:

The Project shall be re-designed so as to avoid any adverse effect on the significant archaeological resource; or

An archaeological data recovery program shall be implemented, unless the ERO determines that the archaeological resource is of greater interpretive than research significance and that interpretive use of the resource is feasible.

If an archaeological data recovery program is required by the ERO, the archaeological data recovery program shall be conducted in accord with an archaeological data recovery plan (ADRP). The project archaeological consultant, Project Sponsor, and ERO shall meet and consult on the scope of the ADRP. The archaeological consultant shall prepare a draft ADRP that shall be submitted to the ERO for review and approval. The ADRP shall identify how the proposed data recovery program will preserve the significant information the archaeological resource is expected to contain. That is, the ADRP will identify what scientific/historical research questions are applicable to the expected resource, what data classes the resource is expected to possess, and how the expected data classes would address the applicable research questions. Data recovery, in general, should be limited to the portions of the historical property that could be adversely affected by the Project. Destructive data recovery methods shall not be applied to portions of the archaeological resources if nondestructive methods are practical.

The scope of the ADRP shall include the following elements:

- Field Methods and Procedures. Descriptions of proposed field strategies, procedures, and operations.
- Cataloguing and Laboratory Analysis. Description of selected cataloguing system and artifact analysis procedures.
- Discard and Deaccession Policy. Description of and rationale for field and post-field discard and deaccession policies.
- Interpretive Program. Consideration of an on-site/off-site public interpretive program during the course of the archaeological data recovery program.
- Security Measures. Recommended security measures to protect the archaeological resource from vandalism, looting, and non-intentionally damaging activities.
- Final Report. Description of proposed report format and distribution of results.
- Curation. Description of the procedures and recommendations for the curation of any recovered data having potential research value, identification of appropriate curation facilities, and a summary of the accession policies of the curation facilities.

- Human Remains, Associated or Unassociated Funerary Objects. The treatment of human remains and of associated or unassociated funerary objects discovered during any soils disturbing activity shall comply with applicable State and Federal Laws, including immediate notification of the Coroner of the City and County of San Francisco and in the event of the Coroner's determination that the human remains are Native American remains, notification of the California State Native American Heritage Commission (NAHC) who shall appoint a Most Likely Descendant (MLD) (Pub. Res. Code Sec. 5097.98). The archaeological consultant, Project Sponsor, and MLD shall make all reasonable efforts to develop an agreement for the treatment of, with appropriate dignity, human remains and associated or unassociated funerary objects (CEQA Guidelines. Sec. 15064.5(d)). The agreement should take into consideration the appropriate excavation, removal, recordation, analysis, curation, possession, and final disposition of the human remains and associated or unassociated funerary objects.
- Final Archaeological Resources Report. The archaeological consultant shall submit a Draft Final Archaeological Resources Report (FARR) to the ERO that evaluates the historical significance of any discovered archaeological resource and describes the archaeological and historical research methods employed in the archaeological testing/monitoring/data recovery program(s) undertaken. Information that may put at risk any archaeological resource shall be provided in a separate removable insert within the draft final report.
- Copies of the Draft FARR shall be sent to the ERO for review and approval. Once approved by the ERO copies of the FARR shall be distributed as follows: California Archaeological Site Survey Northwest Information Center (NWIC) shall receive one (1) copy and the ERO shall receive a copy of the transmittal of the FARR to the NWIC. The Major Environmental Analysis division of the Planning Department shall receive three copies of the FARR along with copies of any formal site recordation forms (CA DPR 523 series) and/or documentation for nomination to the National Register of Historic Places/California Register of Historical Resources. In instances of high public interest or interpretive value, the ERO may require a different final report content, format, and distribution than that presented above.

# H. Hazardous Building Materials Survey

Prior to demolition of existing buildings, light fixtures and electrical components that contain PCBs or mercury should be identified, removed and disposed of in accordance with the Department of Toxic Substances Controls "universal waste" procedures. Compliance with these procedures would reduce impacts to a less-than-significant level.

# I. Contaminated Soil Identification and Disposal

- 1. Prior to issuance of a grading permit a Phase II analysis should be conducted on the Project Site. The Phase II shall include comprehensive soil sampling and laboratory analysis with the goal of identifying lead, chromium and contaminated soils. The scope of this Phase II analysis should be developed in cooperation with the San Francisco Department of Public Health.
- 2. If the results of this Phase II analysis indicate that contaminated soils is, in fact present on the site, a soil remediation and disposal plan shall be developed that includes a plan for on-site reuse or disposal of contaminated soils. in the event that soils are contaminated beyond DTSC thresholds, load-and-go procedures should be identified.

- J. Improvement Measures. Improvement measures diminish effects of the Project that were found through the environmental analysis to be less-than-significant impacts. The Project Sponsor has agreed to implement the following improvement measure.
  - 1. Any construction traffic occurring between 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. or between 3:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. would coincide with peak hour traffic and could temporarily impede traffic and transit flow, although it would not be considered a significant impact. Limiting truck movements to the hours between 9:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. (or other times, if approved by SFMTA) would minimize disruption of the general traffic flow on adjacent streets during the AM and PM peak periods. In addition, the Project Sponsor and construction contractor(s) would meet with the Traffic Engineering Division of the SFMTA, the Fire Department, MUNI, and the Planning Department to determine feasible measures to reduce traffic congestion, including transit disruption and pedestrian circulation impacts during construction of the Project.
  - 2. Once construction activities are completed a long-term program could be implemented to enhance and restore the existing serpentine bunchgrass habitat on the PG&E site and/or create "native habitat" areas on the Project Site. This Improvement Measure would create "native habitat" areas on some portions of the Project Site that are planned for landscaping or open space as part of the Project. Implementation of this Improvement Measure on the PG&E property would be the responsibility of PG&E.
    - Seeds of locally-collected native species could be collected from valid reference sites
      within the surrounding area. From these seeds, transplants could be raised by local
      gardening clubs, science classes from local public schools, etc. Installation would be
      supervised by a qualified horticulturalist and/or botanist.
    - On-going community programs undertaken by local citizen groups to remove trash and rehabilitate degraded portions of the PG&E site to expand higher-quality serpentine grassland habitat could be conducted.
    - Management of invasive, non-native herbaceous and woody species would include reseeding of native plants and manual removal (e.g., by hand, loppers, chainsaws), and possibly some selective chemical applications to control highly competitive exotic species. Invasive, non-native tree species such as eucalyptus2 could be systematically removed after any pre-construction nesting surveys for bird species have been conducted.
    - A long-term monitoring program could be implemented by enlisting the support from science educators from local public schools and community colleges. Permanent transects could be established to document the changes in floristic composition in terms of the frequency, density, and distribution of native plant species throughout the PG&E site.
  - 3. An interpretive display is generally considered an on-site, publicly accessible display/exhibit area which includes interpretive materials. The display could be an outdoor all-weather plaque or a permanent collection of materials displayed in a public area, such as in the community building.
    - For Hunters View, interpretive materials could document the history of the San Francisco Housing Authority, history of the Hunters View Housing Development, photographs,

architectural drawings and site plans, and/or oral and written histories documenting the lives of, and events associated with, past and present occupants of the Hunters View Housing Development. It is recommended that the Project Sponsor install an exterior interpretive plaque, not smaller than two by four feet, near the entrance of the community center. A recommended enhancement to the interpretive display would be an interior interpretive display in the community center containing a timeline and a collection of photographs and/or artifacts.

The Project Sponsor could also document the existing Hunters View and the new development site via site photography and this collection of photographs (before and after) could also serve as an interpretive display for this project.

# **Planning Commission Motion No. 20663**

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**Hunters View HOPE SF Development Project** 

227–229 WEST POINT ROAD

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ADOPTING FINDINGS RELATED TO THE DETERMINATION OF COMPLIANCE UNDER PLANNING CODE SECTION 303(e) TO MODIFY CONDITIONS OF APPROVALS OF PLANNING COMMISSION MOTION NO. 17621 ADOPTED UNDER PLANNING CODE SECTIONS 303 AND 304 BY MODIFYING THREE CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL AND MODIFYING FOUR PROVISIONS IN THE ASSOCIATED HUNTERS VIEW DESIGN-FOR-DEVELOPMENET DOCUMENT BY (1) EXTENDING THE PERFORMANCE PERIOD FOR ANOTHER TEN YEARS (CONDITION NO. 8D AND 8E); (2) ALLOWING MODIFICATIONS FROM DESIGN-FOR-DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS UP TO TEN PERCENT (CONDITION NO. 4A) (3) REQUIRING THAT THE PLANNING COMMISSION BE NOTIFICED OF SUBSEQENT PHASES (CONDITION NO. 6C) (4) ALLOWING BUILDINGS ON LOTS 14 AND 17 EXTEND ABOVE 50-FEET (DESIGN-FOR-DEVELOPMENT SECTION 4.4); (5) REPLACING TWO PROPOSED PARKS WITH ONE LARGER PARK (DESIGN-FOR-DEVELOPMENT SECTIONS 3.1.2 AND 3.1.3); (6) ALLOWING ADDITIONAL PORTIONS OF THE USEABLE OPEN SPACE REQUIREMENT BE MET ON ADJACENT NEW PARKS (DESIGN-FOR-DEVELOPMENT SECTION 4.3); (7) REMOVING THE OFF-STREET PARKING PROVISIONS AND ALLOWING PARKING BE DETERMINED BY THE PLANNING CODE (DESIGN-FOR-DEVELOPMENT 4,12) AND (8) ADDING LANGUAGE TO THE DESIGN-FOR-DEVELOPMENT CLARIFYING PARKING ENTRY DIMINSION LIMITATIONS DO NOT APPLY TO PARKING ALLEYS (DESIGN-FOR-DEVELOPMENT SECTION 4.12), FOR THE PROPOSED HUNTERS VIEW HOPE SF DEVELOPMENT PROJECT LOCATED ON ALL LOTS ON ASSESSOR'S BLOCK 4624 IN THE RM-1 ZONING DISTRICT, THE HUNTERS VIEW SPECIAL USE DISTRICT, AND A 40/65 X HEIGHT AND BULK DISTRICT, AND ADOPT FINDINGS UNDER THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT.

# **PREAMBLE**

On March 27, 2008, the Project Sponsor filed Application No. 2007.0168C for Conditional Use authorization pursuant to Planning Code Sections 303 and 304 to construct a new Planned Unit Development (PUD) for up to 800 dwelling units with exceptions to the following Planning Code requirements: lot width and area (Planning Code Section 121), rear yards (Planning Code Section 134(a) an (c)), usable open space (Planning Code Section 135), allowable obstructions (Planning Code Section 136), spacing of street trees (Planning Code Section 143), parking (Planning Code Sections 150, 151, 154 and 155), bicycle parking (Planning Code Section 155.5), loading (Section 152), dwelling unit exposure (Section 140), measurement of height (Planning Code Sections 102..12 and 260(a)) and density (Planning Code Section 209.1).

The proposed Hunters View HOPE SF Development Project (Project) includes the revitalization of Hunters View and consists of demolition of all existing public housing units and other community facilities on the site, which would result in a mixed-income community that will include up to 800 new residential units and provide one-for-one replacement of the existing 267 public housing units. Of the 800 residential units, the Project would construct 350 affordable rental units (267 of which will be the replacement public housing units). In addition, the net proceeds from the sale of the market-rate, for-sale units will cross-subsidize a portion of the development costs of the public housing replacement units and affordable rental units.

On June 12, 2008, the Department certified the Final Environmental Impact Report for the Hunters View Redevelopment Project (State Clearinghouse No. SCH 2007112086) for the Project (the "Final EIR").

On June 12, 2008, the Planning Commission adopted Motion No. 17621, approving the Conditional Use Authorization-Planned Unit Development, along with Planning Code text and map amendments that created the Hunters View Special Use District (Planning Code Sections 249.44 and 263.23), and changed the height and bulk district for the site from a 40-X Height and Bulk District to a 40/65-X Height and Bulk District ("Original Approvals"). Findings contained within said motion are incorporated herein by this reference thereto as if fully set forth in this Motion.

On September 18, 2018, Hunters View Associates, L.P. (hereinafter "Project Sponsor") filed Application No. 2007.0168CUA-02 (hereinafter "Application") with the Planning Department (hereinafter "Department") to modify Conditions of Approval of Motion No. 17621 by modifying three conditions of approval and modifying five provisions in the Hunters View Design-for-Development ("D4D") document.

On January 16, 2020, the Department issued an addendum to the Final EIR. The FEIR analyzed the environmental effects of implementing the Hunters View project. As shown in the addendum, the modified project would not result in new environmental impacts, substantially increase the severity of the previously identified environmental impacts, nor require new mitigation measures. Additionally, no new information has emerged that would materially change the analyses or conclusions set forth in the FEIR. Therefore, as discussed in more detail below, the modified project would not change the analysis or conclusions reached in the FEIR.

On February 20, 2020, the San Francisco Planning Commission (hereinafter "Commission") conducted a duly noticed public hearing at a regularly scheduled meeting on Conditional Use/Large Project Authorization/Downtown Project Authorization Application No. 2015-000123CUA.

The Commission has heard and considered the testimony presented to it at the public hearing and has further considered written materials and oral testimony presented on behalf of the applicant, Department staff, and other interested parties.

MOVED, that the Commission hereby authorizes the Conditional Use requested in Application No. 2007.0168CUA-02, subject to the conditions contained in "EXHIBIT A" of this motion, based on the following findings:

#### **FINDINGS**

Having reviewed the materials identified in the preamble above, and having heard all testimony and arguments, this Commission finds, concludes, and determines as follows:

- 1. The above recitals are accurate and constitute findings of this Commission.
- 2. Project Description. Hunters View is the first HOPE SF project. HOPE SF is a San Francisco program that seeks to completely rebuild four of the City's Housing Authority sites. Through the HOPE SF Program, the City and respective Project Sponsors will rebuild these sites as mixed-income full-service neighborhoods within a built pattern that is more in keeping with typical San Francisco development. Hunters View's Original Approvals were structured as a Planned Unit Development with an extended performance period of ten years and relied on a Design-for-Development (D4D) document to guide the multi-phased buildout.

As part of Planning Commission Motion No. 17621, the Commission adopted a Design-for-Development ("D4D") document as an extension of the Conditions of Approval that specifically laid out development requirements usually regulated by the Planning Code. The D4D enables the Project Sponsor to rely on this document in developing designs for subsequent phases without requiring individual approval from the Planning Commission for such subsequent phases.

The Proposed Project (Project) includes modifications to the Conditions of Approval of Planning Commission Motion No. 17621, and include the following revisions: (1) *Performance Period:* extending the performance period for an additional ten (10) years from the date of this approval (Condition Nos. 8D and 8E); (2) *Design-for-Development Allowed Modifications:* allowing 10-percent modifications from D4D quantitative controls rather than five-percent as currently provided (Condition No. 4A); (3) *Planning Commission Review of Subsequent Phases:* substituting the requirement for informational hearings of subsequent phases with the requirement that the Planning Commission be notified of subsequent phases (Condition No. 6).

In addition, the Project includes modifications to the associated D4D, including revisions to the following sections: (1) *Height*: allowing heights on Blocks 14 and 17 to extend above 50-feet (Section 4.4 Height Diagrams, page 58) (2) *Parks*: remove the requirement for both Panhandle Park and Hudson Avenue Overlook and replace it with the requirement for one larger Bayview Park (Sections 3.1.2 and 3.1.3, pages 36, 38, and 39); (3) *Usable Open Space*: allowing additional portions of the usable open space requirement be met on adjacent new parks (Section 4.3, page 57); (4) *Parking*: amending the off-street parking requirements to allow parking be determined by the underlying zoning

(Sections 4.12); and (5) *Parking Alleys*: adding language clarifying that dimension limitations to parking garages are not applicable to parking alleys (Sections 4.12).

- 3. Site Description and Present Use. Located in the Bayview Hunters Point neighborhood of San Francisco, Hunters View originally included 267 public housing units located on approximately 21 acres of land. Constructed in 1957 on the foundations of World War II workforce housing, the units were never intended to be permanent and due to both their poor initial construction and years of deferred maintenance, the units at Hunters View had deteriorated beyond repair. Since the Original Approvals, the Project Sponsor and its affiliates have demolished all of the existing units and constructed 286 new replacement housing units, reconfigured roughly two thirds of the previous street grid and block pattern, pursuant to the approved Planned Unit Authorization (Planning Commission Motion No. 17621), and constructed two new public parks.
- 4. Surrounding Properties and Neighborhood. The subject property is located within RM-1 (Residential, Mixed, Low Density) Use District, the Hunters View Special Use District and a 40/65-X Height and Bulk District. The Hunters View project area is within the Bayview Hunters Point neighborhood on Hunters Point Hill. The surrounding Hunters Point Hill neighborhood is characterized by curvilinear streets and low-density residential development, most of which was developed as a part of the original Hunters Point Redevelopment Project Area (later referred to as Area A of the Bayview Hunters Point Redevelopment Project Area). Hunters View sits at a higher elevation and overlooks Evans Avenue and Hunters Point Avenue along with the site of the previous Hunters Point PG&E Power Station, India Basin Shoreline Park and 900 Innes Avenue (the site of a proposed new park) to its north and east. Hunters View is within the Bayview Hunters Point Redevelopment Project Area (Area B), and within the boundaries of the Bayview Hunters Point Area Plan.
- 5. **Public Comment**. The Project Sponsor conducts community engagement with the immediate community on an ongoing basis. Since 2005, they have conducted over 250 resident outreach and community meetings, including, but not limited with the Hunters View Tenants Association, India Basin Neighborhood Association, Malcolm X Academy, and Bayview Hunters Point PAC. For Blocks 2, 3, 9, 14 and 17, the Project Sponsor has conducted five meetings on site to engage residents and solicit feedback around building design, park space, access to parking and community building. The Project Sponsor has also recently attended India Basin Neighborhood Association meeting and the Bayview CAC. According to the Project Sponsor, response to the latest designs have been generally positive, particularly around the now proposed market-rate units. Planning staff has not heard any feedback regarding the proposal.
- Planning Code Compliance. The Planning Code Compliance Findings set forth in Motion No. 17621, Case No. 2007.0168C (Conditional Use Authorization-Planned Unit Development, pursuant to Planning Code Sections 303 and 304) apply to this Motion, and are incorporated herein as though fully set forth.
- 7. Planned Unit Development. Planning Code Section 304 permits the creation of a Planned Unit Development ("PUD") for subject sites of greater than one half of an acre. "Planned Unit Developments are intended for project sites of considerable size, developed as integrated units and

designed to produce an environment of stable and desirable character which will benefit the occupants, neighborhood and the City as a whole". Where a project demonstrates outstanding overall design, it may seek exceptions for certain Planning Code Provisions.

The Original Approvals granted exceptions for rear yards (Planning Code Section 134(a) and (c)), usable open space (Planning Code Section 135), allowable obstructions (Planning Code Section 136), spacing of street trees (Planning Code Section 143), off-street parking (Planning Code Sections 150, 151, 154 and 155), bicycle parking (Planning Code Section 155.5), loading (Section 152), dwelling unit exposure (Section 140), measurement of height (Planning Code Sections 102..12 and 260(a)) and density (Planning Code Section 209.1). The PUD Authorization, in turn, referred to the Hunters View Design-for-Development to provide standards for these controls.

As part of the original PUD, the Commission identified several conditions of approval for the Project. As part of the updated Project, the Project Sponsor requests revisions to the following Conditions of Approval, as originally approved in Motion No. 17621:

- a) <u>Performance Period</u>. Condition Nos. 8D and 8E established a ten-year performance period for the Conditional Use Authorization-Planning Unit Development, which has passed. The Project Sponsor is requesting that the performance period be extended another ten years from the date of this amended authorization.
  - The Commission finds this request reasonable, since Hunters View is a high priority project for the City and is part of the overall HOPE SF project. The Project Sponsor has been making steady progress on construction over the last ten years. Given the changes in the economy and construction, the development of this multi-phase complex project has taken longer than the originally provided in the ten years performance period.
- b) <u>Allowed Modifications under the D4D.</u> Condition No. 4A allowed modifications from the standards set forth in the D4D up to five percent of a quantitative control if the design continued to meet the general design intent of the control. Staff recommends that this be changed to allow for a modification up to ten percent under the same condition.
  - The Commission supports allowing D4D modifications of up to ten percent, since this would bring this Project in conformance with other similar D4Ds of other large-scale developments that have been approved subsequent to the Original Approvals.
- c) Modification to Conditions of Approval Regarding Subsequent Phase Review. Condition No. 6c requires that subsequent phases be brought before the Planning Commission as informational presentations. Staff recommends that this condition be changed so that the Planning Commission is notified of subsequent phases but eliminates the automatic requirement of informational presentations.
  - The Commission supports this revision to this Condition of Approval since it is consistent with the other HOPE SF Projects and Development Agreements where phase review is generally handled at the staff level. As noted above, the Project Sponsor conducts community outreach with the Hunters View

community and other nearby Bayview organizations on an ongoing basis. Even with the elimination of the automatic informational hearings, the Planning Commission retains the ability to request such presentations per their discretion:

- 8. **Design for Development Modifications.** As part of the revisions to the Project, the Project Sponsor is requesting additional modification to certain Planning Code requirements, in order to support the feasibility of the Project. These modifications include:
  - a) Open Space. Motion No. 17621 granted certain exceptions to the usable open space requirement and established that such requirements would be set forth in the D4D. The D4D allows up to 25% of required open space for each block to be provided in the form of public open space located within 125 feet of the building or unit entry.

The Project Sponsor is requesting that this provision be expanded to enable up to 75% of the usable open space be met on an adjacent new park, where such a park is greater than 25,000 gsf.

The Commission supports this modification to the Project, since the Project is providing a greater amount of open space through the provision of new parks than what would otherwise be required if the development were strictly adhering to the usable open space requirements of Planning Code Section 135. Some portions of the site are particularly steep, which makes meeting the usable open space requirement particularly challenging within the boundaries of some of the newly created lots.

b) <u>Height.</u> Planning Code Section 263.23 allows that up to 35% of the entire Hunters View site to have buildings over 50 feet in height and up to 50% of the site to have buildings over 40 feet in height if said heights are approved through a PUD and further described and controlled within a D4D document. As such, Motion No. 17621 enabled heights above 40-feet and provided the Hunters View D4D, which identified which portions of the site could be above these heights.

Currently, the Height Diagram on page 58 of the D4D shows Blocks 14 and 17 as being limited to 40-feet. The proposal would revise the Height Diagram by showing blocks 14 and 17 within a height zone that allows portions of the building to be taller than 50-feet. Even after allowing Blocks 14 and 17 to have structures taller than 50-feet, the total area of the Hunters View site that allows buildings above 50-feet would be under 35 percent, as limited by Planning Code Section 363.23.

The Commission finds that allowing additional height above 50-feeet as currently proposed will enable the Project to meet its objective to supplying additional much needed affordable housing. While the proposed buildings on Lots 14 and 17 would cast new shadows on India Basin Shoreline Park and 900 Innes Avenue, the Commission has found, through Motion No. 20664, that the new shadows were neither significant nor adverse to the use and enjoyment of the public park.

c) <u>Required Parking.</u> Per Motion No. 17621, Planning Code Section 151 required at least one off-street parking space per dwelling unit, and one off-street space per each five senior dwelling units. Motion No. 17621 provided an exception to that requirement, by reducing the requirement such that at the completion of the buildout, 672 parking spaces would be provided

for the 800 units.

Since that time, Planning Code Section 151 was amended to no longer require parking minimums.

This modification would eliminate the off-street parking requirement and enable parking to be provided under the same controls as anywhere else in the City. The Commission supports this modification given the transit-first policies within San Francisco.

d) <u>Location of Parks.</u> The D4D originally envisioned a "Panhandle Park" that would be configured along several blocks between two lanes of the Fairfax Avenue. A smaller park, "Hudson Avenue Overlook Park", was envisioned at the top of the unimproved Hudson Avenue alignment.

Since the Original Approvals, the Project Sponsor found that providing Panhandle Park in its original configuration as infeasible due to grading issues and would unduly break up the total area of open space into smaller less usable plots. Similarly, the Hudson Avenue overlook was also difficult to develop due to its steep slope.

The Project Sponsor is now proposing a larger 30,000 gsf park, "Bayview Park", between Blocks 14 and 17 that would provide as much open space as the two previous parks combined. The Commission finds the proposed new configuration would better serve the community as a single larger unbroken open space that could be more efficiently programmed.

e) <u>Parking Alleys.</u> The D4D did not contemplate the provision of private parking alleys. The Project Sponsor has requested that additional language be added to the D4D to clarify that the parking entry dimension limitations do not apply to parking allies.

The Commission finds this request reasonable: parking alleys are more akin to public Alleys than to private parking garage entries and by incorporating private Alleys into a block's design, individual parking garage entries can be eliminated along the street frontage, thereby reducing the urban design impact of parking garages.

9. **General Plan Compliance**. The General Plan Findings set forth in Motion No. 17621, Case No. 2007.0168C apply to this Motion, and are incorporated herein as though fully set forth, except previous findings under the previous Housing Element and Recreation and Open Space Elements are hereby replaced with findings under the updated 2014 Housing Element and the updated 2014 Recreation and Open Space Element as set forth below:

# **OBJECTIVE 1**

IDENTIFY AND MAKE AVAILABLE FOR DEVELOPMENT ADEQUATE SITES TO MEET THE CITY'S HOUSING NEEDS, ESPECIALLY PERMANENTLY AFFORDABLE HOUSING.

#### Policy 1.1

Plan for the full range of housing needs in the City and County of San Francisco, especially

affordable housing.

# Policy 1.3

Work proactively to identify and secure opportunity sites for permanently affordable housing.

# Policy 1.7

Consider public health objectives when designating and promoting housing development sites.

# Policy 1.10

Support new housing projects, especially affordable housing, where households can easily rely on public transportation, walking and bicycling for the majority of daily trips.

The Project will create up to 800 units of new affordable and market-rate housing, including 267 replacement public housing units, at least additional 83 affordable rental units and up to 450 homeownership units.

# **OBJECTIVE 3**

PROTECT THE AFFORDABILITY OF THE EXISTING HOUSING STOCK, ESPECIALLY RENTAL UNITS.

# Policy 3.2

Promote voluntary housing acquisition and rehabilitation to protect affordability for existing occupants.

# **OBJECTIVE 4**

FOSTER A HOUSING STOCK THAT MEETS THE NEEDS OF ALL RESIDENTS ACROSS LIFECYCLES.

#### Policy 4.1

Develop new housing, and encourage remodeling of existing housing, for families with children.

# Policy 4.4

Encourage sufficient and suitable rental housing opportunities, emphasizing permanently affordable rental units wherever possible.

# Policy 4.5

Ensure that new permanently affordable housing is located in all of the city's neighborhoods, and encourage integrated neighborhoods.

This HOPE SF Project has replaced all the previous existing dilapidated residential units with new replacement units. Unit configurations and bedroom counts have varied widely to address a broad need of housing by the Hunters View community.

#### **OBJECTIVE 5**

ENSURE THAT ALL RESIDENTS HAVE EQUAL ACCESS TO AVAILABLE UNITS.

# Policy 5.5

Minimize the hardships of displacement by providing essential relocation services.

# Policy 5.6

Offer displaced households the right of first refusal to occupy replacement housing units that are comparable in size, location, cost, and rent control protection.

A key tenant of the HOPE SF Program is to assure tenants of previous units to have first access to the new replacement units.

# **OBJECTIVE 7**

SECURE FUNDING AND RESOURCES FOR PERMANENTLY AFFORDABLE HOUSING, INCLUDING INNOVATIVE PROGRAMS THAT ARE NOT SOLELY RELIANT ON TRADITIONAL MECHANISMS OR CAPITAL.

# Policy 7.5

Encourage the production of affordable housing through process and zoning accommodations and prioritize affordable housing in the review and approval processes.

# Policy 7.6

Acquire and rehabilitate existing housing to maximize effective use of affordable housing resources.

# **OBJECTIVE 8**

BUILD PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTOR CAPACITY TO SUPPORT, FACILITATE, PROVIDE AND MAINTAIN AFFORDABLE HOUSING.

#### Policy 8.1

Support the production and management of permanently affordable housing.

# Policy 8.3

Generate greater public awareness about the quality and character of affordable housing projects and generate community-wide support for new affordable housing.

#### **OBJECTIVE 9**

PRESERVE UNITS SUBSIDIZED BY THE FEDERAL, STATE OR LOCAL SOURCES.

#### Policy 9.2

Continue prioritization of preservation of existing affordable housing as the most effective means of providing affordable housing.

#### Policy 9.3

Maintain and improve the condition of the existing supply of public housing, through programs such as HOPE SF.

#### **OBJECTIVE 11**

SUPPORT AND RESPECT THE DIVERSE AND DISTINCT CHARACTER OF SAN FRANCISCO'S

#### NEIGHBORHOODS.

# Policy 11.1

Promote the construction and rehabilitation of well-designed housing that emphasizes beauty, flexibility, and innovative design, and respects existing neighborhood character.

# Policy 11.3

Ensure growth is accommodated without substantially and adversely impacting existing residential neighborhood character.

# Policy 11.5

Ensure densities in established residential areas promote compatibility with prevailing neighborhood character.

# Policy 11.6

Foster a sense of community through architectural design, using features that promote community interaction.

Hunters View along with the other HOPE SF Projects seek to reconstruct the Housing Authority sites, which were originally developed in patterns that separated the respective communities from the surrounding neighborhood fabric, in a way to connects them to the surrounding neighborhood and City.

# **OBJECTIVE 12**

BALANCE HOUSING GROWTH WITH ADEQUATE INFRASTRUCTURE THAT SERVES THE CITY'S GROWING POPULATION.

#### Policy 12.1

Encourage new housing that relies on transit use and environmentally sustainable patterns of movement.

#### Policy 12.2

Consider the proximity of quality of life elements, such as open space, child care, and neighborhood services, when developing new housing units.

#### Policy 12.3

Ensure new housing is sustainably supported by the City's public infrastructure system.

The Project will provide new housing, especially permanently affordable housing, in an appropriate location which meets identified housing needs and takes into account the demand for affordable housing created by employment demand. The Project will create up to 800 units of new affordable and market-rate housing, including 267 replacement public housing units, 83 affordable rental units and up to 450 homeownership units, of which 10-15% will be affordable.

# RECREATION AND OPEN SPACE ELEMENT

Objectives and Policies

# **OBJECTIVE 1**

ENSURE A WELL-MAINTAINED, HIGHLY UTILIZED, AND INTEGRATED OPEN SPACE SYSTEM.

#### Policy 1.9

Preserve sunlight in public open spaces

# Policy 1.11

Encourage private recreational facilities on private land that provide a community benefit, particularly to low and moderate-income residents.

# **OBJECTIVE 2**

INCREASE RECREATION AND OPEN SPACE TO MEET THE LONG-TERM NEEDS OF THE CITY AND BAY REGION.

# Policy 2.11

Assure that privately developed residential open spaces are usable, beautiful, and environmentally sustainable.

The Project will develop and maintain high quality open space that will be open to members of the community. The Project will also preserve sunlight in public open spaces. The Project will also create private outdoor open space in new residential development. With rear yards, mid-block courtyards, decks and terraces, the Project will create usable outdoor space directly accessible to dwelling units.

- 10. Planning Code Section 101.1(b) establishes eight priority-planning policies and requires review of permits for consistency with said policies. On balance, the project does comply with said policies in that:
  - A. That existing neighborhood-serving retail uses be preserved and enhanced and future opportunities for resident employment in and ownership of such businesses be enhanced.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 1 in that it will not affect any existing neighborhood-serving retail uses because none currently exists on the Project site. However, the Project will provide future opportunities for resident employment and ownership of neighborhood-serving retail uses that will be developed on the site. Small-scale, neighborhood-serving retail is permitted in the RM-1 zone, pursuant to a Planned Unit Development permit, complies with the Redevelopment Plan and will be beneficial to the neighborhood's residents.

B. That existing housing and neighborhood character be conserved and protected in order to preserve the cultural and economic diversity of our neighborhoods.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 2 in that it will protect and enhance existing housing and neighborhood character and preserve the cultural and economic diversity of San Francisco's neighborhoods. Through this project 267 units of deteriorating public have been replaced to date. Further

buildout of the Hunters View will include additional much needed affordable housing and market rate housing that is proposed to cross subsidize the infrastructure and affordable housing

C. That the City's supply of affordable housing be preserved and enhanced.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 3 in that it will preserve and enhance the City's supply of affordable housing by replacing the 267 existing public housing units at Hunters View on a one-to-one basis with new, modern, affordable housing units and providing at least an additional 112 affordable rental units and additional home ownership.

D. That commuter traffic not impede MUNI transit service or overburden our streets or neighborhood parking.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 4 in that it will not result in commuter traffic that will impede Muni transit service or overburden San Francisco's streets or neighborhood parking. Although the Project could result in a net increase of up to 533 units in the Hunters View vicinity, this number falls well within the 700 net new units projected for this area that were analyzed in the Bayview Hunters Point Redevelopment Plan EIR. The Transportation Study for the Project indicates that the Project will contribute to one project-specific traffic impact at Evans Avenue/Third Street, and five cumulative (2025) significant traffic impacts, two of which can be mitigated to less than significant levels, and three of which will be significant unavoidable cumulative adverse traffic impacts. MUNI service will not be impeded as a result of the Project.

E. That a diverse economic base be maintained by protecting our industrial and service sectors from displacement due to commercial office development, and that future opportunities for resident employment and ownership in these sectors be enhanced.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 5 in that it will develop residential uses on a site that is currently completely devoted to residential uses. The Project will not displace any industrial or service sector uses due to commercial office development, as no industrial or service development exists on the site, and the Project does not include commercial office space. The Project is entirely residential in nature, except for community space and neighborhood-serving retail space, which offers potential opportunity for resident employment and ownership.

F. That the City achieve the greatest possible preparedness to protect against injury and loss of life in an earthquake.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 6 in that the existing, deteriorating public housing on the site will be demolished and replaced with modern residential units built to current earthquake and seismic regulations

G. That landmarks and historic buildings be preserved.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 7 in that it will have no effect on landmarks or historic buildings because none exists on the site. A Historic Structures Report for the existing structures has been completed and concluded that the existing public housing is not deemed eligible for listing on the California Register of Historical Places.

H. That our parks and open space and their access to sunlight and vistas be protected from development.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 8 in that it will not affect the City's parks or open space or their access to sunlight and vistas. The proposal includes new publicly accessible open space. While the proposals for Buildings 14 and 17 create new shadow on India Basin Shoreline Park and the 900 Innes Future Park site, the Planning Commission finds that the new shadow is neither significant nor adverse. (See Motion No. 20664).

- 11. The Project is consistent with and would promote the general and specific purposes of the Code provided under Section 101.1(b) in that, as designed, the Project would contribute to the character and stability of the neighborhood and would constitute a beneficial development.
- 12. The Commission hereby finds that approval of the Conditional Use Authorization would promote the health, safety and welfare of the City.



# DECISION

That based upon the Record, the submissions by the Applicant, the staff of the Department and other interested parties, the oral testimony presented to this Commission at the public hearings, and all other written materials submitted by all parties, the Commission hereby **APPROVES Conditional Use Authorization Application No. 2007.0168CUA-02** subject to the Conditions of Planning Code Motion No. 17621, except as modified as attached hereto as "EXHIBIT A", in general conformance with Design-for-Development as amended on file, dated February 13, 2020, and stamped "EXHIBIT B" to this Motion, which is incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth; the Commission hereby modifies Condition of Approval Nos. 4A, 6C, and 8D and E of Motion No. 17621 and as set forth in Exhibit A of this Motion and modifies provisions of the Design-for-Development as also set forth in Exhibit A. All other Conditions of Motion No. 17621 remain in effect.

APPEAL AND EFFECTIVE DATE OF MOTION: Any aggrieved person may appeal this Conditional Use Authorization to the Board of Supervisors within thirty (30) days after the date of this Motion No. 19301. The effective date of this Motion shall be the date of this Motion if not appealed (After the 30-day period has expired) OR the date of the decision of the Board of Supervisors if appealed to the Board of Supervisors. For further information, please contact the Board of Supervisors at (415) 554-5184, City Hall, Room 244, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102.

Protest of Fee or Exaction: You may protest any fee or exaction subject to Government Code Section 66000 that is imposed as a condition of approval by following the procedures set forth in Government Code Section 66020. The protest must satisfy the requirements of Government Code Section 66020(a) and must be filed within 90 days of the date of the first approval or conditional approval of the development referencing the challenged fee or exaction. For purposes of Government Code Section 66020, the date of imposition of the fee shall be the date of the earliest discretionary approval by the City of the subject development.

If the City has not previously given Notice of an earlier discretionary approval of the project, the Planning Commission's adoption of this Motion, Resolution, Discretionary Review Action or the Zoning Administrator's Variance Decision Letter constitutes the approval or conditional approval of the development and the City hereby gives **NOTICE** that the 90-day protest period under Government Code Section 66020 has begun. If the City has already given Notice that the 90-day approval period has begun for the subject development, then this document does not re-commence the 90-day approval period.

I hereby certify that the Planning Commission ADOPTED the foregoing Motion on February 20, 2020.

Jonas P. Jonin
Commission Secretary

AYES:

Koppel, Moore, Diamond, Fung, Imperial, Johnson

NAYS:

None

ABSENT:

Richards

ADOPTED:

February 20, 2020

# **EXHIBIT A**

# **AUTHORIZATION**

This authorization is to modify Motion No. 17621 by modifying three Conditions of Approval as follows: (1) extending the performance period for an additional ten years from the date of this approval (Condition Nos. 8D); (2) allowing 10-percent modifications from D4D quantitative controls rather than five-percent as currently provided (Condition No. 4A); (3) substituting the requirement for informational hearings of subsequent phases with the requirement that the Planning Commission be notified of subsequent phases (Condition No. 6C); and modifying four provisions in the Hunters View Design-for-Development ("D4D") document as follows: (1) allowing heights on Blocks 14 and 17 to extend above 50-feet (D4D Section 4.4) (2) removing the requirement for both Panhandle Park and Hudson Park and replacing it with the requirement for one larger Bayview Park (Sections 3.1.2 and 3.1.3); (3) allowing some portions of the usable open space requirement be met on adjacent new parks (Section 4.3); (4) amending the off-street parking requirements to allow parking be determined by the underlying zoning (D4D Section 4.12) and (5) amending the D4D by clarifying that parking entry and garage dimension limitations do not apply to parking alleys (Section 4.12); in general conformance with revised Design-for-Development document dated February 13, 2020 and stamped "EXHIBIT B" and included in the docket for Case No. 2007.0168CUA-02, and subject to conditions of approval in Motion No. 17621 as approved by the Commission on June 12, 2008, except as otherwise provided herein. This authorization and the conditions contained herein run with the property and not with a particular Project Sponsor, business, or operator.

# RECORDATION OF CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

Prior to the issuance of the building permit or commencement of use for the Project the Zoning Administrator shall approve and order the recordation of a Notice in the Official Records of the Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco for the subject property. This Notice shall state that the project is subject to the conditions of approval contained herein and reviewed and approved by the Planning Commission on February 20, 2020 under Motion No. 20663.

#### PRINTING OF CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL ON PLANS

The conditions of approval under the 'Exhibit A' of this Planning Commission Motion No. 20663 shall be reproduced on the Index Sheet of construction plans submitted with the Site or Building permit application for the Project. The Index Sheet of the construction plans shall reference to the Office Development Authorization and any subsequent amendments or modifications.

# **SEVERABILITY**

The Project shall comply with all applicable City codes and requirements. If any clause, sentence, section or any part of these conditions of approval is for any reason held to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect or impair other remaining clauses, sentences, or sections of these conditions. This decision conveys no right to construct, or to receive a building permit. "Project Sponsor" shall include any subsequent responsible party.

#### CHANGES AND MODIFICATIONS

Changes to the approved plans may be approved administratively by the Zoning Administrator. Significant changes and modifications of conditions shall require Planning Commission approval of a new authorization.

# Conditions of Approval, Compliance, Monitoring, and Reporting

# **MODIFICATIONS**

[Modifications are provided with cross-outs, indicating where a provision is no longer applicable, and double underline indicating where a provision is being modified and carried forward. Condition numbers refer to originally ordered conditions from Planning Commission Motion No. 17621.]

Condition No. 4A. Provisions for "Development Controls" may vary as long as the following two conditions are met: (1) there is no more than a <u>five-ten-percent</u> variance of the subject provision for the subject block; and (2) the Zoning Administrator finds that the general intent for the subject provision and overall Design for Development has been met. Design features that do not meet either the "Development Controls" and do not meet these conditions would require an amendment to the Design for Development Document and this Planned Unit Development approval.

Condition No. 6C. Final detailed plans sufficient for Conditional Use/Planned Unit Development approval for Phases 2 and 3 subsequent phases shall be submitted to the Planning Department prior to application for any site or building permits for those phases. The Planning Department shall review such plans for general conformity with this Project Authorization, the approved Design for Development and the Planning Code. Plans for Phases 2 and 3 shall be presented to the Planning Commission as information items. The Planning Commission shall be notified of plans for subsequent phases, and may request informational hearings at their discretion.

Condition No. 8D. This authorization is valid for a period of ten years from the date of approval by the Planning Commission.

Condition No. 8E. After ten years, an extension for up to an additional two years may be specifically authorized by the Planning Commission. In the case where delays have been caused by a government agency or legal action, time shall be tolled and the authorization extended for such period by the Zoning Administrator.

The authorization and right vested by virtue of this action is valid for ten (10) years from the effective date of Motion No. 20663, adopted by the Planning Commission on February 20, 2020. The Department of Building Inspection shall have issued a Building Permit or Site Permit to construct the project and/or commence the approved use within this ten-year period.

# MODIFICATIONS TO THE DESIGN-FOR-DEVELOPMENT

Page 36-37, Section 3.1.2, Panhandle Park: [Replace description and graphics for "Panhandle Park" for description and graphics for "Bayview Park".]

Pages 38-39, Section 3.1.3, Hudson Park: [Remove section, which describes "Hudson Park"]

Page 57, Section 4.3, Usable Open Space: Revise Control No. 5 as follows:

Except for blocks immediately adjacent to new parks greater than 25,000 gsf, up to 25% of the required open space for each block may be provided in the form of public open space located within 125' of the building or unit entry. For buildings immediately adjacent to new parks greater than 25,000 gsf, up to 75% of the required open space said blocks may be provided in the immediately adjacent open space.

Page 58, Section 4.4, Building Heights: [Replace diagram showing blocks 14 and 17 within an area where buildings above 50-feet are permitted]

# Page 66, Section 4.12 Parking, Parking Entrances and Curb Cuts:

1. Garage entrances accessing a street shall be no wider than 16' and are preferably 12'; <u>this</u> requirement does not apply to private parking alleys.

Page 66, Section 4.12, Parking, Parking Entrances and Curb Cuts: Add controls No. 5 as follows: 5: "Parking ratios shall be determined by the Planning Code."



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**Planning Commission Motion No. 17621** 

**HEARING DATE: JUNE 12, 2008** 

Date: May 29, 2008
Case No.: **2007.0168CETZ** 

Project Address: 227 – 229 WEST POINT ROAD

Zoning: RH-2 (Residential, House Two Family)

RM-1 (Residential, Mixed Low Density)

NC-2 (Neighborhood Commercial, Small-Scale)

M-1 (Light Industrial)

40-X Height and Bulk District

Block/Lot: 4624/003, 004, 009

4720/027

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ADOPTING FINDINGS RELATED TO THE APPROVAL OF A CONDITIONAL USE AUTHORIZATION PURSUANT TO PLANNING CODE SECTIONS 303 AND 304 TO CREATE A NEW PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT (PUD) TO ALLOW THE CONSTRUCTION OF APPROXIMATELY 6,400 SQUARE FEET OF RETAIL USE, 21,600 SQUARE FEET OF COMMUNITY SPACE, AND UP TO 800 DWELLING UNITS IN RM-1, RH-2, NC-2, AND M-1 ZONING DISTRICTS WITH A 40 X HEIGHT AND BULK DESIGNATION ON ASSESSOR'S BLOCK 4624, LOTS 3, 4 & 9 AND BLOCK 4720, LOT 27. EXCEPTIONS ARE REQUESTED FROM DENSITY, REAR YARD, OPEN SPACE, EXPOSURE, OFF-STREET, LOADING AND BICYCLE PARKING REQUIREMENTS, AS MANDATED BY THE PLANNING CODE.

# **PREAMBLE**

On March 27, 2008, Hunters View Associates, L.P. (hereinafter "Project Sponsor") filed Application No. 2007.0168C (hereinafter "Application") with the Planning Department (hereinafter "Department") for Conditional Use authorization per Planning Code Sections 303 and 304 to create a new Planned Unit Development (PUD) to allow the construction up to 800 dwelling units and including the following exceptions: lot width and area (Planning Code Section 121), rear yards (Planning Code Section 134(a) and

(c)), usable open space (Planning Code Section 135), allowable obstructions (Planning Code Section 136), spacing of street trees (Planning Code Section 143), parking (Planning Code Sections 150, 151, 154 and 155), bicycle parking (Planning Code Section 155.5), loading (Section 152), dwelling unit exposure (Section 140), measurement of height (Planning Code Sections 102..12 and 260(a)) and density (Planning Code Section 209.1).

The revitalization of Hunters View will include the demolition of all of the existing public housing units and other community facilities on the site, resulting in a mixed-income community that will include up to 800 new residential units and provide one-for-one replacement of the existing 267 public housing units. The current project proposal includes up to 800 total units, including a total of 350 affordable rental units (267 of which will be the replacement public housing units) and up to 450 home ownership units, of which 10-15% will be affordable and 17 of those will be developed by Habitat for Humanity. This new mixed-income development will result in a range of resident incomes from less than 10% to over 120% of AMI. Additionally, the net proceeds from the sale of the market-rate for-sale units will cross-subsidize a portion of the development costs of the public housing replacement units and affordable rental units.

On June 12, 2008, the Department certified the Final Environmental Impact Report for the Hunters View Redevelopment Project (State Clearinghouse No. SCH 2007112086) for the Project (the "Final EIR").

On June 12, 2008, the San Francisco Planning Commission (hereinafter "Commission") conducted a duly noticed public hearing at a regularly scheduled meeting on Conditional Use Application No. 2007.0168C.

The Commission has heard and considered the testimony presented to it at the public hearing and has further considered written materials and oral testimony presented on behalf of the applicant, Department staff, and other interested parties.

**MOVED**, that the Commission hereby authorizes the Conditional Use requested in Application No. 2007.0168C, subject to the conditions contained in "EXHIBIT A" of this motion, based on the following findings:

#### **FINDINGS**

Having reviewed the materials identified in the preamble above, and having heard all testimony and arguments, this Commission finds, concludes, and determines as follows:

- 1. The above recitals are accurate and constitute findings of this Commission.
- 2. Site Description and Present Use. Located in the Bayview Hunters Point neighborhood of San Francisco, Hunters View currently includes 267 public housing units located on approximately 20 acres of land. Constructed in 1957 on the foundations of World War II workforce housing, the units were never intended to be permanent and due to both their poor initial construction and years of deferred maintenance, the units at Hunters View have deteriorated beyond repair.

The Project will be developed on two adjacent properties. The first, which is owned by the San Francisco Housing Authority, is located at Middle Point and West Point Roads and Wills and

Hare Streets, and is Assessor's Block 4624, Lots 3, 4 and 9. The second, which is adjacent to the Housing Authority property and is currently owned by the San Francisco Redevelopment Agency, is located along Keith Street and is Assessor's Block 4720, Lot 27. Both properties will ultimately be conveyed by deed or ground lease to one or more partnerships which will be formed for the sole purpose of undertaking the Project.

The San Francisco Housing Authority property currently contains 267 public housing units in 50 buildings while the San Francisco Redevelopment Authority property is vacant. The 267 residential units contain approximately 325,000 square feet of space, and there is an additional 7,000 square feet of community serving and storage space on the site. The buildings range in height from one to three stories (or 16 to 28 feet) and currently there are no off-street parking spaces.

- 3. **Surrounding Properties and Neighborhood.** The subject property is located within RM-1, RH-2, NC-2 and M-1 zoning districts and a 40 X height/bulk district. Most of the surrounding properties are located within an RH-2 zoning district and contain residential uses. The neighboring properties to the west and south contain residential and public uses. The properties to the north and east contain primarily industrial uses. The former Hunters Point Naval Shipyard to the east and southeast is currently being redeveloped as a mixed use project.
- 4. **Text and Map Amendments to Planning Code.** In order to facilitate the Project at the density required to subsidize the 350 public housing and affordable rental units on the Project site, both text and map changes to the Planning Code are proposed. First, the height and bulk district for the Project site is proposed to be modified from 40-X to 40/65-X pursuant to the addition of Planning Code Section 263.20 to create the HOPE SF Hunters View Special Use District and 40/65-X Height and Bulk District. Secondly, an amendment to Section 249 of the Planning Code by adding Section 249.39 is proposed to establish the HOPE SF Hunters View Special Use District allowing the subdivision or portions of the site as individual lots to exceed the density of the underlying zoning district and allowing uses that are either principally or conditionally permitted within NC-1 Districts to be principally permitted within the special use district. Map amendments are proposed to amend the use designations on the Redevelopment Agency parcel from RH-2, NC-1, and M-1 to RM-1 to establish consistency between the various parcels and to map the Special Use District and the 40/65-X Height and Bulk District.
- 5. **Redevelopment Agency Parcel.** The Redevelopment Agency parcel, Assessor's Block 4720, Lot 27, is located within Project Area A of the Bayview Hunters Point Redevelopment Plan, which prohibits structures higher than 40 feet. This plan expires on January 1, 2009. A portion of the building to be located on Block 2 exceeds 40 feet in height, but will not be constructed until after the expiration of the Redevelopment Plan for Project Area A. Therefore, this Project Authorization as it relates to the Redevelopment Area parcel, to the extent it is inconsistent with the existing provisions of the Redevelopment Plan, is conditioned upon the expiration of the Redevelopment Plan for Project Area A on January 1, 2009, and shall be effective at that time.
- 6. Residential Uses.

- A. Planning Code Section 209.1 provides that residential uses are permitted as a principal use in the RH-2 and RM-1 Zoning Districts. Pursuant to Planning Code Section 209.1, the southeastern portion of the Project, which is zoned RM-1, is allowed a density ratio not exceeding one dwelling unit for each 800 square feet of lot area. Pursuant to Section 304(d)(4), as a Planned Unit Development, the Project is allowed the density permitted in the RM-2 Zoning District, which is a density ratio not exceeding one dwelling unit for each 600 square feet of lot area, minus one unit. Up to 849 residential units are permitted as of right in the RM-1 Zoning District and 1,132 units are permitted pursuant to a PUD. Currently, the Project proposes to develop up to 800 units.
- B. The northwestern portion of the Project site, which is primarily zoned RH-2, allows two-family dwelling units as a principally permitted use. RH-2 Districts also allow one dwelling unit for each 1,500 square feet of lot area, but no more than three dwelling units per lot, if authorized as a conditional use by the Planning Commission. The proposed town homes in Block 4720, Lot 27 exceed the density allowance and require conditional use approval.
- C. Planning Code Section 209.1(m) permits, as a principally permitted use, dwellings for senior citizens at twice the density allowed for the principal permitted uses in Section 209.1, or one senior dwelling unit for each 400 square feet of lot area in the RM-1 Zoning District.
- D. As detailed in Finding 4 above, the Project Sponsor is requesting a map amendment to change the use district for the entire site to RM-1.
- 7. Planned Unit Development. Planning Code Section 304 permits the creation of a Planned Unit Development for subject sites of greater than one half of an acre. "Planned Unit Developments are intended for project sites of considerable size, developed as integrated units and designed to produce an environment of stable and desirable character which will benefit the occupants, neighborhood and the City as a whole" Where a project demonstrates outstanding overall design, it may seek exceptions for certain Planning Code Provisions. The Project Sponsor is seeking the following exceptions: rear yards (Planning Code Section 134(a) and (c)), usable open space (Planning Code Section 135), allowable obstructions (Planning Code Section 136), spacing of street trees (Planning Code Section 143), parking (Planning Code Sections 150, 151, 154 and 155), bicycle parking (Planning Code Section 155.5), loading (Section 152), dwelling unit exposure (Section 140), measurement of height (Planning Code Sections 102...12 and 260(a)) and density (Planning Code Section 209.1).
- 8. **Design-for-Development.** Because of the scope of the project, the unusual topography and street layout of the site, and the intent to create a new integrated neighborhood, the Commission finds it appropriate to adopt a Design for Development document that specifically lays out development requirements usually regulated by the Planning Code. The Design for Development is also important to guide the subsequent phases of development over the projected six to ten year build-out. In some cases, the Design for Development provides less stringent requirements than the Planning Code in order to meet certain goals such as addressing the site's topography and designating more land for public space. In other cases, the Design for

> Development is more stringent to meet other goals such as assuring a strong public presence of the building and creating a fine-grained development pattern.

#### 9. Use Exceptions.

- A. Planning Code Section 209.3(f) provides that child care facilities providing care for 13 or more children can be approved as conditional uses in the RH-2 and RM-1 Zoning Districts. Planning Code Section 209.4 provides that community facilities can be approved as conditional uses in the RM-1 and RH-2 Zoning Districts. The Project proposes to develop approximately 21,600 square feet of community space. This proposed Special Use District would principally permit those uses that are either principally or conditionally permitted in the NC-1 Districts, such as small and large institutional uses, which include child care in their definition.
- B. Planning Code Section 304(d)(5) provides that in R Districts, commercial uses are permitted only to the extent that such uses are necessary to serve residents of the immediate vicinity, subject to the limitations for NC-1 Districts under the Planning Code. The Project will include commercial uses in an R district in order to better serve the community. NC-1, or the Neighborhood Commercial Cluster District is described in Planning Code section 710.1 as "intended to serve as local neighborhood shopping districts, providing convenience retail goods and services for the immediately surrounding neighborhoods primarily during daytime hours" and "characterized by [locations] in residential neighborhoods, often in outlying areas of the City... Housing development in new buildings is encouraged above the ground story in most districts." Each nonresidential use in the NC-1 district can be no larger that 2,999 square feet (though 3,000 square foot spaces and greater are permitted via conditional use) and permitted uses include limited financial services (like a bank), personal services (like a salon) and full-service restaurants (which are defined to include coffee shops, see Planning Code section 790.92). The Project proposes to develop approximately 6,400 square feet of neighborhood-serving retail uses. The proposed Special Use District would allow those uses that are either principally or conditionally permitted in the NC-1 District to be principally permitted.
- 10. **Public Comment**. The Department has received no opposition to the proposal.
- 11. **Planning Code Compliance:** The Commission finds that the Project is consistent with the relevant provisions of the Planning Code in the following manner:

#### A. Front Setback

Planning Code Section 132(e) requires front setback based on an average of adjacent buildings, up to a maximum requirement of 15 feet from the property line. This requirement is not applicable because the buildings in the Project will not be adjacent to any existing buildings.

As proposed in Development Control 4.7 of the Design for Development, the Project proposes that all residential buildings will have a minimum setback of 5 feet, a required

8 foot "build-to" line will be required for all streets and that a minimum 75 percent of the building façade must be built to the "build-to" line. Development Control 4.7.2 of the Design for Development provides that setbacks are not required at street frontages with an extreme slope or shallow lot.

#### B. Rear Yard

Planning Code Section 134(a) requires a minimum rear yard with a depth that is equal to 45 percent of the total depth of the lot, but Section 134(c) provides an exception that allows the minimum depth to be reduced to 25 percent of the total depth of the lot or 15 feet, whichever is greater. Most of the individual rear yards in the Project are between 25 percent to 45 percent of the total depth of the lot, with the exception of Block 7B.

# C. Open Space

Planning Code Section 135(a) requires that usable open space be located on the same lot as the dwelling units it serves. In most cases, the Project will comply with this requirement. However, in order to achieve the highest quality of overall design, the Project will propose to locate some of the open space for Block 7B in the private parks immediately adjacent.

Planning Code Section 135(d) requires 80 square feet and 107 square feet respectively of open space in the RM-2 Zoning District. The Project will meet the open space requirements.

Planning Code Section 135(f) requires that private open space have a minimum horizontal dimension of 6 feet and a minimum area of 36 square feet if located on a deck, balcony, porch or roof. Some private balconies in the Project will have a minimum horizontal dimension of 3 feet.

#### D. Obstructions.

Planning Code Section 136 requires that obstructions such as overhanging balconies, bays, sunshades and trellises meet minimal height and setback requirements. Most of the obstructions in the Project will meet Planning Code requirements, but some of the obstructions may reach into front and rear setbacks. The Project seeks front and rear setback exceptions to accommodate these limited architectural features, as proposed in Development Control 4.2.3 of the Design for Development. Overhanging balconies, bays, sunshades and trellises meeting the limitations of Planning Code Section 134 and the Design for Development may extend into the unbuilt area.

#### E. Exposure

Planning Code Section 140 provides that in each dwelling unit in any use district, the required windows of at least one room that meets the 120 square foot minimum superficial floor area requirement of Section 501.1 of the Housing Code must face on an open area such as a public street, a public alley at least 25 feet in width, a side yard of at least 25 feet in width, a rear yard meeting the requirements of the Code, or an open area which is unobstructed and is no less than 25 feet in every horizontal dimension for the floor at which the dwelling unit in question is located and the floor immediately above it. A limited number of units may not meet this requirement.

#### F. Street Trees.

Planning Code Section 143 requires the owner or developer of a new building in any R District to install street trees. Street trees must be a minimum of one tree of 15-gallon size for 20 feet of frontage of the property along each street or alley.

The Project Sponsor seeks a modification of this requirement. Development Control 3.4.1 of the Design for Development provides that street trees shall be provided at a minimum of 20 feet and a maximum of 30 feet apart on streets and mews.

### G. Density.

Planning Code Section 209.1 provides that the density ratio for an RM-1 Zoning District shall not exceed one dwelling unit per each 800 square feet of lot area. In order to accommodate all the planned affordable housing units, the Project requires the density to exceed the Code for up to one dwelling unit per 600 square feet of lot area. As described above, pursuant to Planning Code Section 304(d)(4), the Project seeks an exception to allow the density permitted in the RM-2 Zoning District. Also, the proposed SUD would enable portions of the site to be sub-divided which may be over the density limit for the newly created lot.

#### H. Height and Bulk Stepping.

As described above, the proposed HOPE SF Hunters View SUD and 40/65-X Height and Bulk District provides that up to 35% of the entire Project site may have buildings over 50 feet in height and up to 50% of the entire Project site may have buildings over 40 feet in height. Buildings over 50 feet in height will be limited as specified in Development Control 4.4.1 of the Design for Development. Buildings over 40 feet in height not specified in Development Control 4.4.1 will be limited as specified in Development Control 4.4.2 of the Design for Development.

Planning Code Section 260(a)(3) requires that in areas where the building height limit is 65 feet or less and the buildings are on a slope, the average slope of curb or ground from which height is measured affects the maximum width for the portion of building that may be measured from a single point. The greater the slope, the more narrow the width of the building that may be measured from a single point.

The Project seeks an exception as described in Development Control 4.4.3 of the Design for Development to provide that building height shall be measured at the uphill end of each segment of a building that steps laterally in relation to the street that is the basis for the measurement. The Design for Development further provides that stepping shall be required in increments of at least 50 feet for buildings 50 feet or less in height.

#### I. Ground Story Street Frontages

Planning Code Section 144 requires that no less than 30 percent of the width of the ground story shall be devoted to windows, entrances, landscaping and other architectural features. The Project will comply with this section. Section 144 does not apply to Fairfax or Keith (Blocks 1A and 1B) as the lots have an upward slope of more than 20%.

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The Residential Design Guidelines provide that the width of parking entries should not exceed 12 feet. Development Control 4.12.1 of the Design for Development provides that parking entrances shall be no wider than 16 feet, with 12 feet preferred.

#### J. Required Parking and Loading

Planning Code Section 151 requires one off-street parking space per dwelling unit, and one off-street space per each five senior dwelling units.

The Project Sponsor seeks a modification to provide approximately 672 off-street parking spaces. The average ratio of parking spaces (off-street and on-street) to units is 1.2 to 1. Some blocks have no off-street parking provided; others have up to 1.5 spaces per unit. Except on Keith Street and the northern part of Fairfax where the single-family homes each require a curb cut due to the sloping site conditions, the site has been designed to aggregate parking and to minimize garage entrances and curb cuts. The Project also seeks a modification to allow some of the parking requirements to be met through parking lifts and tandem parking and seeks a relaxation of parking space size and maneuverability requirements, as described in Development Control 4.12.2.

Planning Code Section 155.5 requires bicycle parking spaces for residential uses. Table 155.5 provides that for projects with over 50 dwelling units, the bicycle parking requirement is 25 Class 1 spaces plus one Class 1 space for every four dwelling units over 50. Section 155.5(c) provides that bicycle parking must meet the standards for Class 1 parking described in Section 155.1(d), which requires that the parking be at least as conveniently located as the most convenient non-disabled parking. The Project seeks an exception to this requirement in Development Control 4.12.3, which provides that bicycle parking requirements may be met site wide rather than on a block by block basis.

Planning Code Section 155 requires loading spaces to be located off the street. The Project Sponsor seeks a modification to provide the Project's loading spaces on the street.

# 12. Conditional Use Findings

Under the provisions of Planning Code Section 303, the Commission may authorize a Conditional Use after finding that the proposed use will provide a development that is necessary or desirable for and compatible with the neighborhood or the community, that such use will not be detrimental to the health, safety, convenience or general welfare or persons residing or working in the vicinity, or injurious to property, improvements or potential development in the vicinity and that such use will hot adversely affect the General Plan. The Project is found to be consistent with the criteria of Section 303 of the Code in that:

A. The proposed new uses and building, at the size and intensity contemplated and at the proposed location, will provide a development that is necessary or desirable, and compatible with, the neighborhood or the community.

The Project, including up to 800 new dwelling units, approximately 21,600 square feet of new community use space, and approximately 6,400 square feet of new neighborhood serving retail use

space, will provide a development that is necessary and desirable for, and compatible with, the surrounding neighborhood and existing community.

The Project is desirable for the existing community because redevelopment of the 267 existing public housing units on the site will be phased so that the approximately 570 residents currently residing at the Project site can be relocated on-site during demolition and construction activities to address the strong preference for on-site relocation expressed by the existing residents. Existing residents will help inform a comprehensive temporary relocation plan that will govern the process and outline the rules, regulations and assistance that will be provided to residents. Residents will not bear any of the costs attributable to their relocation on-site.

The Project is desirable for the existing community and the surrounding neighborhood because in addition to redeveloping the existing 267 public housing units, it will add approximately 83 additional affordable rental units, and up to 450 new for-sale units, of which at least 10 to 15% will be affordable (17 of which will be Habitat for Humanity units), thereby increasing affordable housing opportunities, adding home ownership opportunities, improving the economic diversity of the neighborhood through the addition of market rate units, and helping to meet San Francisco's housing shortage.

The proposed density of the Project will be compatible with the neighborhood and community and will be less than that permitted by the Planning Code for the RM-1 Zoning District by right, will be far less than that permitted via Planned Unit Development ("PUD"), and will be within the intensity contemplated by the Bayview Hunters Point Redevelopment Plan ("Redevelopment Plan").

The Project area currently has no neighborhood serving retail businesses and the Project will provide space for such uses.ize of the proposed use is in keeping with other storefronts on the block face.

- B. The proposed project will not be detrimental to the health, safety, convenience or general welfare of persons residing or working in the vicinity. There are no features of the project that could be detrimental to the health, safety or convenience of those residing or working the area, in that:
  - 1. Nature of proposed site, including its size and shape, and the proposed size, shape and arrangement of structures;

The subject property is approximately 22.5 acres and is currently poorly designed and underutilized. The existing street grid isolates the Project site from the surrounding neighborhoods and the rest of the City. It provides an excellent opportunity for infill housing.

The Project's size and shape, and the proposed size, shape and arrangement of structures upon it have been designed to drastically improve the Project site's and the neighborhood's street network, pedestrian-orientation, view-orientation, safety, aesthetic appeal, contextualization with underlying topography and the rest of the City of San Francisco, and open space design and layout. The proposed density will be consistent with the density of the surrounding neighborhoods. The entire site has been master planned and the Project's design will be a vast

improvement over existing conditions. Building heights will provide appropriate transitions to neighboring properties.

Planning Code Section 145 requires that new dwellings in the RM-1 and RM-2 Zoning Districts be compatible with the established mixture of residential buildings in terms of apparent building width. The Project will comply by stepping building heights along the front elevation, providing vertical articulation, and design walls to create variation in depth of buildings.height and bulk of the existing building will remain the same and will not alter the existing appearance or character of the project vicinity. The proposed work will not affect the building envelope, yet the inclusion of outside seating will alter the use of the property.

2. The accessibility and traffic patterns for persons and vehicles, the type and volume of such traffic, and the adequacy of proposed off-street parking and loading;

The Project will redesign the existing street network so that it forms more of a grid, connecting with the street grid elsewhere and improving vehicle and pedestrian access for persons residing or working in the vicinity.

Pedestrian and bicycle circulation will be improved. The estimated parking demand will be met on site through the provision of 672 off-street parking spaces and additional on-street parking spaces. Loading demand will be met on-site.

The Project will not result in commuter traffic that will impede Muni transit service or overburden San Francisco's streets or neighborhood parking. Although the Project could result in a net increase of up to 533 units in the Hunters View vicinity, this number falls well within the 700 net new units projected for this area that were analyzed in the Bayview Hunters Point Redevelopment Plan EIR. The Transportation Study for the Project indicates that the Project will contribute to one project-specific traffic impact at Evans Avenue/Third Street, and five cumulative (2025) significant traffic impacts, two of which can be mitigated to less than significant levels, and three of which will be significant unavoidable cumulative adverse traffic impacts. MUNI service will not be impeded as a result of the Project. Whereas there is currently no off-street parking for the 267 existing units at the project site, the Project will include up to 816 off-street spaces, with the current proposal of approximately 672 off-street parking spaces, so as not to overburden the streets.

3. The safeguards afforded to prevent noxious or offensive emissions such as noise, glare, dust and odor;

Prior to beginning demolition and construction of the Project, the Project Sponsor will seek Bay Area Air Quality Management District ("BAAQMD") approval of best available control technology ("BACT") for demolition and construction activities that could disrupt asbestos containing serpentine present in the existing rock at the site in order to protect the health and safety of persons residing or working in the vicinity from airborne particles.

The new residential, community and small-scale retail uses will not generate significant amounts of noxious or offensive uses that may cause noise, glare, dust or odor.

4. Treatment given, as appropriate, to such aspects as landscaping, screening, open spaces, parking and loading areas, service areas, lighting and signs;

The Project will create a comprehensive, well-integrated design for the entire site, with new and improved circulation, new streetscape and landscape, new lighting and signage, off-street parking and new open space areas. All these features will create an attractive development that emphasizes the visual appeal of the neighborhood to benefit its existing and new residents, including an enhancement of views from the Project site.

Pursuant to Planning Code Section 142, the Project will screen off-street parking from view or confine it by solid building walls.

The Project will replace the existing worn landscape with new landscaping and street trees.

The Project will create three new parks on site and establish new open space throughout the site.

Planning Code Section 159 requires off-street parking spaces to be on the same lot as the dwellings they serve or within a 600 foot walking distance. All the units comply with this requirement.

C. That the use as proposed will comply with the applicable provisions of the Planning Code and will not adversely affect the General Plan.

The Project complies with all relevant requirements and standards of the Planning Code and is consistent with objectives and policies of the General Plan as detailed below.

D. That the use as proposed would provide development that is in conformity with the purpose of the applicable Neighborhood Commercial District.

The subject project is not within a Neighborhood Commercial District.

- **13. Planned Unit Development.** Planning Code Section 304(d) establishes criteria and limitations for the authorization of PUD's over and above those applicable to Conditional Uses in general and contained in Section 303(c) and elsewhere in the Code. PUD's must:
  - A. Affirmatively promote applicable objectives and policies of the Master Plan;

The Project positively contributes to advancing numerous objectives and policies of the General Plan and has no significant conflicts with the objectives and policies of the General Plan, as discussed in Finding 13 below.

B. Provide off-street parking adequate for the occupancy proposed;

The Project will provide off-street parking adequate for the occupancy proposed. The Project currently proposes to provide approximately 672 off-street parking spaces, which when combined with on-street spaces will provide 1.27 spaces per dwelling unit.

C. Provide open space usable by the occupants and, where appropriate, by the general public, at least equal to the open spaces required by this Code;

As detailed in Finding 10 above, the Project will provide open space usable by the occupants and, where appropriate, by the general public, equal to the open space required by the Planning Code. The Project will provide 80 square feet of private open space or 107 square feet of common open space, as required by Code Section 135(d) in RM-2 Zoning Districts. The Project also will provide approximately 58,300 square feet of open space in the form of three parks.

D. Be limited in dwelling unit density to less than the density that would be allowed by Article 2 of this Code for a district permitting a greater density, so that the Planned Unit Development will not be substantially equivalent to a reclassification of property;

The subject property determines residential density according to the permissible density of an RM-2 zoning district. As a result, the Project Sponsor can construct 1,633 dwelling units as of right.

The Planned Unit Development permits an increase of density to up to 800 dwelling units, which is far less than what is allowable in an RM-2 Zoning District.

E. In R Districts, include commercial uses only to the extent that such uses are necessary to serve residents of the immediate vicinity, subject to the limitations for NC 1 Districts under this Code;

The Project will include commercial uses in an R district in order to better serve the community. NC-1, or the Neighborhood Commercial Cluster District is described in Planning Code section 710.1 as "intended to serve as local neighborhood shopping districts, providing convenience retail goods and services for the immediately surrounding neighborhoods primarily during daytime hours" and "characterized by [locations] in residential neighborhoods, often in outlying areas of the City... Housing development in new buildings is encouraged above the ground story in most districts." Each nonresidential use in the NC-1 district can be no larger that 2,999 s.f. (though 3,000 s.f. spaces and greater are permitted via conditional use) and permitted uses include limited financial services (like a bank), personal services (like a salon) and full service restaurants (which are defined to include coffee shops, see Planning Code section 790.92).

F. Under no circumstances be excepted from any height limit established by Article 2.5 of this Code, unless such exception is explicitly authorized by the terms of this Code. In the absence of such an explicit authorization, exceptions from the provisions of this Code with respect to height shall be confined to minor deviations from the provisions for measurement of height in Sections 260 and 261 of this Code, and no such deviation shall depart from the purposes or intent of those sections;

The Project is seeking a text and map amendment pursuant to Section 302 to change the height and bulk district from 40X to 40/65X.

G. In NC Districts, be limited in gross floor area to that allowed under the floor area ratio limit permitted for the district in Section 124 and Article 7 of this Code; and

This criterion is not applicable to the subject property's zoning district.

H. In NC Districts, not violate the use limitations by story set forth in Article 7 of this Code.

This criterion is not applicable to the subject property's zoning district.

I. This criterion is not applicable to the subject property's zoning district.

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14. **General Plan Compliance.** The Project is, on balance, consistent with the following Objectives and Policies of the General Plan:

# HOUSING ELEMENT

# **Objectives and Policies**

The Housing Element was certified in October 2004. In June 2007, the First District Court of Appeal ruled that the updated Housing Element should have been addressed in an EIR. Accordingly, this section refers to the 2004 Housing Element and the corresponding sections of the 1990 Residence Element in parenthesis when applicable.

# **OBJECTIVE 1** (Modified Objective 1):

INDENTIFY AND MAXIMIZE OPPORTUNITIES TO INCREASE THE POTENTIAL SUPPLY OF HOUSING IN APPROPRIATE LOCATIONS CITYWIDE.

#### **Policy 1.4** (*Policy 1.4*):

Locate in-fill housing on appropriate sites in established residential neighborhoods.

#### **Policy 1.7** (*New*):

Encourage and support the construction of quality, new family housing.

The Project will create up to 800 units of new affordable and market-rate housing, including 267 replacement public housing units, 83 affordable rental units and up to 450 homeownership units, of which 10-15% will be affordable.

# **OBJECTIVE 3** (Modified Objective 5):

ENHANCE THE PHYSICAL CONDITION AND SAFETY OF HOUSING WITHOUT JEOPARDIZING USE OR AFFORDABILITY.

# **Policy 3.3** (*Policy 5.4*):

Maintain and improve the condition of the existing supply of public housing.

#### **OBJECTIVE 4** (Modified Objective 7):

SUPPORT AFFORDABLE HOUSING PRODUCTION BY INCREASING SITE AVAILABILITY AND CAPACITY.

# **Policy 4.2** (Modified Policy 7.2):

Include affordable units in larger housing projects.

### **Policy 4.6** (*Merged Policies 7.4, 7.5, 7.6, and 7.9*):

Support a greater range of housing types and building techniques to promote more economical housing construction and achieve greater affordable housing production.

# **OBJECTIVE 8** (Modified Objective 13):

ENSURE EQUAL ACCESS TO HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES.

# **Policy 8.1** (Modified Policy 13.6):

Encourage sufficient and suitable rental housing opportunities and emphasize permanently affordable units wherever possible.

#### **Policy 8.4** (*Modified* 13.5):

Encourage greater economic integration within housing projects and throughout San Francisco.

# **OBJECTIVE 9** (Modified Objective 14):

AVOID OR MITIGATE HARDSHIPS IMPOSED BY DISPLACEMENT

# **Policy 9.1** (Modified Policy 14.1):

Minimize the hardships of displacement by providing essential relocation services.

#### **OBJECTIVE 11** (Modified Objective 12):

IN INCREASING THE SUPPLY OF HOUSING, PURSUE PLACE MAKING AND NEIGHBORHOOD BUILDING PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICES TO CONTINUE SAN FRANCISCO'S DESIRABLE URBAN FABRIC AND ENHANCE LIVABILITY IN ALL NEIGHBORHOODS.

#### **Policy 11.1** (*New*):

Use new housing development as a means to enhance neighborhood vitality and diversity.

#### **Policy 11.3** (Modified Policy 12.2):

Encourage appropriate neighborhood-serving commercial activities in residential areas, without causing affordable housing displacement.

The Project will provide new housing, especially permanently affordable housing, in an appropriate location which meets identified housing needs and takes into account the demand for affordable housing created by employment demand. The Project will create up to 800 units of new affordable and market-rate housing, including 267 replacement public housing units, 83 affordable rental units and up to 450 homeownership units, of which 10-15% will be affordable.

# RECREATION AND OPEN SPACE ELEMENT

# **Objectives and Policies**

#### **OBJECTIVE 2:**

PRESERVE EXISTING PUBLIC OPEN SPACE

### Policy 2.3:

Preserve sunlight in public open spaces

#### **OBJECTIVE 4:**

PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES FOR RECREATION AND THE ENJOYMENT OF OPEN SPACE IN EVERY SAN FRANCISCO NEIGHBORHOOD.

#### Policy 4.5:

Require private usable outdoor open space in new residential development.

The Project will develop and maintain high quality open space that, in some instances, will be open to members of the community. The Project will also preserve sunlight in public open spaces. The Project will not cast shadows over any open spaces under the jurisdiction of The Recreation and Park Department. The Project will also create private outdoor open space in new residential development. With rear yards, midblock courtyards, decks and terraces, the Project will create usable outdoor space directly accessible to dwelling units.

# TRANSPORTATION ELEMENT

# **Objectives and Policies**

#### **OBJECTIVE 24:**

IMPROVE THE AMBIENCE OF THE PEDESTRIAN ENVIRONMENT.

#### Policy 24.2:

Maintain and expand the planting of street trees and the infrastructure to support them.

#### Policy 24.4:

Preserve pedestrian-oriented building frontages.

# **OBJECTIVE 34:**

RELATE THE AMOUNT OF PARKING IN RESIDENTIAL AREAS AND NEIGHBORHOOD COMMERCIAL DISTRICTS TO THE CAPACITY OF THE CITY'S STREET SYSTEM AND LAND USE PATTERNS.

# **Policy 34.4:**

Regulate off-street parking in new housing so as to guarantee needed spaces without requiring excesses and to encourage low auto ownership in neighborhoods that are well served by transit and are convenient to neighborhood shopping.

# Policy 34.3:

Permit minimal or reduced off-street parking supply for new buildings in residential and commercial areas adjacent to transit centers and along transit preferential streets.

The Project will establish and design a new street hierarchy system in which the function and design of the new streets serving the site are consistent with the character and use of adjacent land and maintaining a level of traffic that serves adjacent land uses without causing a detrimental impact. The Project will also redesign the existing street layout to improve circulation and to improve bicycle and pedestrian facilities, thereby improving safety conditions.

The Project will also assure that any new parking facilities provided for the residential uses meet need, location, and design criteria. The Project will take into account issues such as parking needs, design and access to create any optimal parking solution. The amount of parking on the site will relate to the capacity of the City's street system and land use patterns.

#### URBAN DESIGN ELEMENT

# **Objectives and Policies**

#### **OBJECTIVE 1:**

EMPHASIS OF THE CHARACTERISTIC PATTERN WHICH GIVES TO THE CITY AND ITS NEIGHBORHOODS AN IMAGE, A SENSE OF PURPOSE AND A MEANS OF ORIENTATION.

#### Policy 1:

Promote harmony in the visual relationships and transitions between new and older buildings.

#### Policy 3:

Recognize that buildings, when seen together, produce a total effect that characterizes the City and its districts.

#### Policy 6:

Relate the bulk of buildings to the prevailing scale of development to avoid an overwhelming or dominating appearance in new construction.

#### **OBJECTIVE 3:**

MODERATION OF MAJOR NEW DEVELOPMENT TO COMPLEMENT THE CITY PATTERN, THE RESOURCES TO BE CONSERVED, AND THE NEIGHBORHOOD ENVIRONMENT.

# Policy 5:

Relate the height of buildings to important attributes of the city pattern and to the height and character of existing development.

# Policy 6:

Relate the bulk of buildings to the prevailing scale of development to avoid an overwhelming or dominating appearance in new construction.

The Project will emphasize the characteristic pattern which gives the City and its neighborhoods an image, a sense of purpose, and a means of orientation. The Project will be designed to respect San Francisco's characteristic pattern and to take advantage of the Project site's hilltop location and proximity to the Bay in developing a comprehensive development that will blend into the neighborhood and improve the area.

Major views in the City will be recognized and protected, with particular attention to those of open space and water. By modifying the street grid and aligning the buildings to the view corridors, the Project preserves and/or creates views from streets and parks to the Bay and Downtown that currently are not available.

The streets' relationships to topography will be protected and reinforced. The existing street configuration at the site is atypical for San Francisco; the new streets will improve the connectivity to the rest of the neighborhood and will be closer to a typical San Francisco grid pattern.

The bulk of buildings will relate to the prevailing scale of development to avoid an overwhelming appearance in new construction. By using a variety of building types, the Project will successfully keep a scale consistent with the neighborhood.

The Project will also replace the existing public housing which has deteriorated and become blighted. The Project will redevelop the site with a mixture of housing types, including one for one replacement of 267 public housing units, in a manner that will enhance personal safety for the residents and increase comfort, pride of occupancy and/or ownership, and create new opportunities for employment and housing.

#### NEIGHBORHOOD COMMERCE

# **Objectives and Policies**

# **OBJECTIVE 1:**

MANAGE ECONOMIC GROWTH AND CHANGE TO ENSURE ENHANCEMENT OF THE TOTAL CITY LIVING AND WORKINIG ENVIRONMENT.

# Policy 1.1:

Encourage development which provides substantial net benefits and minimizes undesirable consequences. Discourage development that has substantial undesirable consequences that cannot be mitigated.

# Policy 1.2:

Assure that all commercial and industrial uses meet minimum, reasonable performance standards.

#### Policy 1.3:

Locate commercial and industrial activities according to a generalized commercial and industrial land use plan.

### **OBJECTIVE 2:**

MAINTAIN AND ENHANCE A SOUND AND DIVERSE ECONOMIC BASE AND FISCAL STRUCTURE FOR THE CITY.

# Policy 2.1:

Seek to retain existing commercial and industrial activity and to attract new such activity to the City.

**OBJECTIVE 6**: MAINTAIN AND STRENGTHEN VIABLE NEIGHBORHOOD COMMERCIAL AREAS EASILY ACCESSIBLE TO CITY RESIDENTS.

### Policy 6.1:

Ensure and encourage the retention and provision of neighborhood-serving goods and services in the city's neighborhood commercial districts, while recognizing and encouraging diversity among the districts.

The following guidelines, in addition to others in this objective for neighborhood commercial districts, should be employed in the development of overall district zoning controls as well as in the review of individual permit applications, which require case-by-case review and City Planning Commission approval. Pertinent guidelines may be applied as conditions of approval of individual permit applications. In general, uses should be encouraged which meet the guidelines; conversely, uses should be discouraged which do not.

#### **Eating and Drinking Establishments**

Eating and drinking establishments include bars, sit-down restaurants, fast food restaurants, self-service restaurants, and take-out food. Associated uses, which can serve similar functions and create similar land use impacts, include ice cream stores, bakeries and cookie stores. Guidelines for eating and drinking establishments are needed to achieve the following purposes:

- Regulate the distribution and proliferation of eating and drinking establishments, especially
  in districts experiencing increased commercial activity;
- Control nuisances associated with their proliferation;
- Preserve storefronts for other types of local-serving businesses; and
- Maintain a balanced mix of commercial goods and services.
- The regulation of eating and drinking establishments should consider the following:
- Balance of retail sales and services;
- Current inventory and composition of eating and drinking establishments;
- Total occupied commercial linear frontage, relative to the total district frontage;

- Uses on surrounding properties;
- Available parking facilities, both existing and proposed;
- Existing traffic and parking congestion; and
- Potential impacts on the surrounding community.

#### Policy 6.2:

Promote economically vital neighborhood commercial districts which foster small business enterprises and entrepreneurship and which are responsive to the economic and technological innovation in the marketplace and society.

# **BAYVIEW HUNTERS POINT PLAN**

# **OBJECTIVE 5:**

PRESERVE AND ENHANCE EXISTING RESIDENTIAL NEIGHBORHOODS.

#### Policy 5.1:

Preserve and enhance the existing character of residential neighborhoods.

#### Policy 5.3:

Conserve and enhance the existing supply of public housing.

#### **OBJECTIVE 6:**

ENCOURAGE THE CONSTRUCTION OF NEW AFFORDABLE AND MARKET RATE HOUSING AT LOCATIONS AND DENSITY LEVELS THAT ENHANCE THE OVERALL RESIDENTIAL QUALITY OF BAYVIEW HUNTERS POINT.

# Policy 6.1:

Encourage development of new moderate density affordable ownership units, appropriately designed and located and especially targeted for existing Bayview Hunters Point residents.

The Project will increase the community's supply of housing by facilitating economically feasible, affordable housing for existing very low-, low- and moderate-income households and residents in the community. The Project will provide a mix of housing types, including public housing units, affordable rental and homeownership units and market-rate home ownership units.

### REDEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR BAYVIEW HUNTERS POINT

The Project will support the Planning Goals and Objective for the Project Area, as set forth in Section 1.2.1 of the Redevelopment Plan. The Project will increase the community's supply of housing by facilitating economically feasible, affordable housing for existing very low-, low- and moderate-income households and residents in the community. The Project will provide a mix of housing types, including public housing units, affordable rental and homeownership units and market-rate home ownership units.

The Project will strengthen the economic base of the Project Area and the community by strengthening retail and other commercial functions. The Project will include approximately 6,400 square feet of commercial space to support neighborhood-oriented retail uses.

The Project will retain existing residents and retain existing cultural diversity. The construction of the Project in three separate phases will allow the existing residents to continue to live on the site and move into the new units after each of the three phases of construction is completed.

The Project will encourage participation of the area residents in the economic development that will occur by creating commercial and community spaces on site.

The Project will support locally owned small businesses and local entrepreneurship by providing retail space for small businesses to serve the residents of the neighborhood.

The Project will help eliminate blight by demolishing deteriorating and dilapidated buildings and creating new housing units with enhanced landscaping and improved access routes.

The Project will remove structurally substandard buildings and facilitate modern integrated development. The Project design will take into account pedestrian and vehicular circulation within the Project site and improve connectivity to the rest of the community.

The Project will redesign and redevelop an underdeveloped area. The site currently contains 267 public housing units, and the Project will increase the density to between 650 and 800 housing units, along with some commercial and community spaces. The Project will introduce more land uses and encourage an economically-diverse population.

The Project provides flexibility in development of real property by creating a mix of housing types. The Project will mix public housing units, affordable rental and homeownership units and market rate homeownership units with a small amount of neighborhood-serving retail space and community space which will allow the Project Sponsor to respond expeditiously and appropriately to market conditions.

The Project will increase the community's supply of housing by facilitating economically feasible, affordable housing for existing very low-, low- and moderate-income households and residents in the community. The Project will provide a mix of housing types, including public housing units, affordable rental and homeownership units and market-rate home ownership units.

The Project will promote the integration of affordable housing sites with sites developed for market rate housing. The Project will integrate different housing types and build affordable housing units next to market rate units.

The Project will help the Redevelopment Agency to promote the retention of existing businesses and attraction of new businesses. The Project will provide new neighborhood-serving commercial space to attract new businesses to the neighborhood.

The Project will promote Section 3.2.2 of the Redevelopment Plan by developing residential uses and some compatible neighborhood-serving retail and service uses in a residential area.

The Project will promote Section 3.2.8 of the Redevelopment Plan by developing a much improved circulation system that will increase connectivity to the surrounding neighborhoods.

The Project will be consistent with Section 3.3.2 of the Redevelopment Plan with respect to type, size, height and use of buildings. The Project will be consistent with the General Plan and the Planning Code except for minor exceptions permissible as part of the Planned Unit Development pursuant to Planning Code Section 304 and except for the requested modifications of the height limit and the new special use district enabling densities on portions of the site greater than allowed by underlying zoning in some cases. Section 3.3.2 provides that the Planning Commission and Board of Supervisors may adopt amendments to the Planning Code to better achieve the goals and objectives of the Redevelopment Plan, and the requested increase in height limit and flexibility regarding density will allow a superior development on the Project site with its challenging topography.

The Project will be consistent with Section 3.3.4 of the Redevelopment Plan by developing up to 533 net new units of housing in a planning node allowing for up to 700 net new units.

The Project will be consistent with Section 3.3.5 of the Redevelopment Plan by providing parking (off-street and on-street) adequate for the proposed uses.

The Project will affirmatively promote the Affordable Housing Production Goals set forth in Section 3.4.2 of the Redevelopment Plan. The Project will develop 350 affordable rental units, and up to 10-15% of the for-sale units will be affordable, resulting in a substantially greater percentage of affordability than the fifteen percent required by the Community Redevelopment Law or the twenty-five percent required by the Redevelopment Agency. In addition, the income eligibility restrictions of the Redevelopment Plan will be followed for the affordable rental and ownership units.

The Project will be consistent with Section 3.4.5 of the Redevelopment Plan by replacing all 267 units of public housing on site, so that none of the existing residents will be displaced as a result of the Project. By developing the Project in three phases, all demolished units will be replaced within less than four years.

The Project will be consistent with Section 3.4.6 of the Redevelopment Plan by giving priority to families of low- and moderate-income and other residency preferences created by the Agency.

The Project will further the Redevelopment Plan's goals for the Economic Development Activity Node of Hunters Point Shoreline, as set forth in Section 3.5.2 of the Redevelopment Plan. The Project will promote new housing on an available infill development site. It will assist with the renovation of a Housing Authority project by replacing substandard public housing with new housing units that fit in architecturally with other residential development in the area.

The Project will promote the Redevelopment Plan's Community Enhancement Program for project Area B as set forth in Section 3.6.2 of the Redevelopment Plan. The Project will create a new streetscape plan for the site and new landscaping and lighting of local streets. The Project will create new signage, open space and community facilities.

- 15. **Demolition of Dwelling Units**. On December 5, 2003, the Planning Commission adopted Resolution No. 16700 adopting policies regarding the demolition of dwelling units. The policy established procedures on how to evaluate the merits of allowing the demolition of dwelling units. Pursuant to the Policy, the Commission allows demolition, whether a building is sound or unsound, where it is found that there is preponderance of other General Plan Policies and Objectives for the Commission to approve the demolition. Such policies may include the provision of new family housing, adding units to the City's housing stock, proposing a high quality design for the replacement building that preserves and enhances the character of the neighborhood, or providing affordable rental or ownership opportunities. Here, the project will not only replace the units proposed for demolition, but will add a significant number of new affordable units, along with market rate units. The Commission finds that the Hunters View Development Project meets a preponderance of such Policies and Objectives and therefore is consistent with its policy on residential demolitions.
- **16. Planning Code Section 101.1(b)** establishes eight priority-planning policies and requires review of permits for consistency with said policies. On balance, the project does comply with said policies in that:
  - A. That existing neighborhood-serving retail uses be preserved and enhanced and future opportunities for resident employment in and ownership pf such businesses be enhanced.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 1 in that it will not affect any existing neighborhood-serving retail uses because none currently exists on the Project site. However, the Project will provide future opportunities for resident employment and ownership of neighborhood-serving retail uses that will be developed on the site. Small-scale, neighborhood-serving retail is permitted in the RM-1 zone, pursuant to a Planned Unit Development permit, complies with the Redevelopment Plan and will be beneficial to the neighborhood's residents.

B. That existing housing and neighborhood character be conserved and protected in order to preserve the cultural and economic diversity of our neighborhoods.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 2 in that it will protect and enhance existing housing and neighborhood character and preserve the cultural and economic diversity of San Francisco's neighborhoods. Although 267 units of deteriorating public housing will be demolished, each public housing unit will be replaced on a one-to-one basis. In addition, the Project will create at least an additional 83 affordable rental units, and up to 450 home ownership units, of which 10-15% will be affordable to restricted income households. It is anticipated that the proposed revitalization of Hunters View will result in a mixed-race and mixed-income community, with much greater housing variety and opportunity than currently exists..

C. That the City's supply of affordable housing be preserved and enhanced,

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 3 in that it will preserve and enhance the City's supply of affordable housing by replacing the 267 existing public housing units at Hunters View on a one-to-one basis with new, modern, affordable housing units and providing at least an additional 83 affordable rental units and additional home ownership units that will be affordable to restricted income households..

D. That commuter traffic not impede MUNI transit service or overburden our streets or neighborhood parking.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 4 in that it will not result in commuter traffic that will impede Muni transit service or overburden San Francisco's streets or neighborhood parking. Although the Project could result in a net increase of up to 533 units in the Hunters View vicinity, this number falls well within the 700 net new units projected for this area that were analyzed in the Bayview Hunters Point Redevelopment Plan EIR. The Transportation Study for the Project indicates that the Project will contribute to one project-specific traffic impact at Evans Avenue/Third Street, and five cumulative (2025) significant traffic impacts, two of which can be mitigated to less than significant levels, and three of which will be significant unavoidable cumulative adverse traffic impacts. MUNI service will not be impeded as a result of the Project. Whereas there is currently no off-street parking for the 267 existing units at the Project site, the Project will include up to 816 off-street spaces, with the current proposal of approximately 672 off-street parking spaces, so as not to overburden the streets.

E. That a diverse economic base be maintained by protecting our industrial and service sectors from displacement due to commercial office development, and that future opportunities for resident employment and ownership in these sectors be enhanced.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 5 in that it will develop residential uses on a site that is currently completely devoted to residential uses. The Project will not displace any industrial or service sector uses due to commercial office development, as no industrial or service development exists on the site, and the Project does not include commercial office space. The Project is entirely residential in nature, except for community space and neighborhood-serving retail space, which offers potential opportunity for resident employment and ownership.

F. That the City achieve the greatest possible preparedness to protect against injury and loss of life in an earthquake.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 6 in that the existing, deteriorating public housing on the site will be demolished and replaced with modern residential units built to current earthquake and seismic regulations

G. That landmarks and historic buildings be preserved.

> The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 7 in that it will have no effect on landmarks or historic buildings because none exists on the site. A Historic Structures Report for the existing structures has been completed and concluded that the existing public housing is not deemed eligible for listing on the California Register of Historical Places.

H. That our parks and open space and their access to sunlight and vistas be protected from development.

The Project is consistent with Priority Policy No. 8 in that it will not affect the City's parks or open space or their access to sunlight and vistas. The new construction on the site will be 2-7 stories in height and a shadow study has been completed and concluded that the new buildings will not cast excessive shadow on any property under the jurisdiction of, or designated for acquisition by, the Recreation and Park Commission. The open space designed to be part of the Project will be privately owned and maintained.

- 17. The Project is consistent with and would promote the general and specific purposes of the Code provided under Section 101.1(b) in that, as designed, the Project would contribute to the character and stability of the neighborhood and would constitute a beneficial development.
- 18. Where feasible, all significant environmental impacts of the Project have been mitigated to a less than significant level, and to the extent that an environmental impact of the Project cannot feasibly be mitigated to a less than significant level, specific overriding economic, legal, social, technological and other benefits of the Project each independently outweigh these significant and unavoidable impacts and warrant approval of the Project, as stated in the Findings of Fact, Evaluation of Mitigation Measures and Alternatives, and Statement of Overriding Considerations which is attached hereto as "Attachment A" and incorporated by this reference.
- 19. The Commission hereby finds that approval of the Conditional Use authorization would promote the health, safety and welfare of the City.

# **DECISION**

The Commission, after carefully balancing the competing public and private interests, and based upon the Recitals and Findings set forth above, in accordance with the standards specified in the Code, hereby approves the Project Authorization for a Planned Unit Development, including up to 800 dwelling units, approximately 6,400 square feet of retail use, approximately 21,600 square feet of community space, approximately 58,300 square feet of parks, and up to 816 off-street parking spaces, at 227-229 West Point Road in three construction phases, subject to the conditions of approval attached hereto as **Exhibit A**, which are incorporated herein by this reference, and further subject to determinations by Department staff that Phases 2 and 3 of the Project are consistent with this Project Authorization, the Design for Development dated May 29, 2008, attached hereto as **Exhibit C**, and the Planning Code.

APPEAL AND EFFECTIVE DATE OF MOTION: Any aggrieved person may appeal this Conditional Use Authorization to the Board of Supervisors within thirty (30) days after the date of this Motion No. 17621. The effective date of this Motion shall be the date of this Motion if not appealed (After the 30-day period has expired) OR the date of the decision of the Board of Supervisors if appealed to the Board of Supervisors. For further information, please contact the Board of Supervisors at (415) 554-5184, City Hall, Room 244, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Motion was adopted by the City Planning Commission on **June 12**, **2008**.

Linda Avery Commission Secretary

AYES: Commissioners Michael Antonini, William L. Lee, Ron Miguel, Kathrin Moore, Christina

Olague, and Bill Sugaya

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

ADOPTED: June 12, 2008

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# Exhibit A Conditions of Approval

Whenever "Project Sponsor" is used in the following conditions, the conditions shall also bind any successor to the Project or other persons having an interest in the Project or underlying property.

- 1. This approval is pursuant to Sections 303 (Conditional Use) and 304 (Planned Unit Development) for a Planned Unit Development, including up to 800 dwelling units, approximately 6,400 square feet of retail use, approximately 21,600 square feet of community space, approximately 58,300 square feet of parks, and up to 816 off-street parking spaces on an approximately 980,100 square foot site. The approval is in general conformance with the plans dated May 29, 2008, and stamped "Exhibit B", and the Design for Development document dated May 29, 2008, stamped "Exhibit C".
- 2. **Community Liaison.** The Project Sponsor shall appoint a community liaison officer to deal with issues of concern to the owners and occupants of nearby properties at all times during Project construction. Prior to the commencement of Project construction, the Project Sponsor shall give the Zoning Administrator the name, address and telephone number of such liaison.
- 3. **Reporting.** The Project Sponsor shall submit to the Zoning Administrator two copies of a written report describing the status of compliance with the conditions of approval contained within this Motion every six months from the date of this approval through the issuance of the first temporary certificate of occupancy. Thereafter, the submittal of the report shall be on an annual basis. This requirement shall lapse when the Zoning Administrator determines that all the conditions of approval have been satisfied or that the report is no longer required for other reasons.
- 4. **Design-for-Development.** The Hunters View Design for Development, Exhibit C, is hereby incorporated into these Conditions of Approval. This document provides the following: (1) a site plan for the overall project, (2) discussions of the project's overall design principles and intent, (3) discussion of the design principles and intent for features that will become part of the public realm (i.e. new street, parks, and other open space); (4) discussion of design principles and intent for buildings and uses; (5) the establishment of specific requirements for public realm features, buildings, and uses (referred to as "Design Controls") along with design recommendations for public realm features, buildings and uses (referred to as "Design Guidelines").

The further design, construction, and maintenance of the Project shall conform to the Design for Development in the following manner. All features, including, but not limited to, street and block layout, street design, parks and open space, buildings, and uses shall meet the general overarching goals and intent of the Design for Development, including the "Principles of San Francisco Neighborhood Design" discussed in Chapter 2. Public realm features that are provided with individual descriptions and discussions (i.e. Promontory Park, New Street) are required improvements and shall meet the general design intent described therein. Design specifics, such as lane dimensions and configuration of open space, may vary as long as the general design intent for the given feature has been met, and for parks and public open space, provide approximately the same square footage of open space.

Design provisions throughout the Design for Development that fall under a "Development Controls" heading must be met to be in conformance with this Planned Unit Development approval, except as provided under 4A, below.

Design provisions throughout the Design for Development that fall under the "Development Guidelines" heading are strongly recommended; they are not required as long as the general design intent for that feature has been met.

A. Provisions for "Development Controls" may vary as long as the following two conditions are met: (1) there is no more than a five-percent variance of the subject provision for the subject block; and (2) the Zoning Administrator finds that the general intent for the subject provision and overall Design for Development has been met. Design features that do not meet either the "Development Controls" and do not meet these conditions would require an amendment to the Design for Development Document and this Planned Unit Development approval.

#### 5. Land Use.

- A. The Project Sponsor has received an approval for the construction of up to 800 dwelling units, approximately 6,400 square feet of retail use, approximately 21,600 square feet of community space, approximately 58,300 square feet of parks, and up to 816 parking spaces in three phases.
- B. Uses listed under the NC-1 (Neighborhood Commercial Cluster) District whether conditionally or principally permitted are in general principally permitted within the proposed Special Use District under Planning Code Section 249.39.
- C. For social service and institutional uses, including those that fall under the definitions of large and small institutions (Planning Code Sections 790.50 and 790.51 respectively), the Project Sponsor shall promote alternative methods of transportation to and from the use's facility by employees. The Project Sponsor shall encourage the use of carpooling and public transportation for users of the facility in order to minimize congestion and reduce peak queuing of automobile pick-up and drop-off.
- D. For commercial uses including full- and self-service restaurants, the following conditions shall apply:
  - 1. The property owner shall maintain the main entrance to the building and all sidewalks abutting the subject property in a clean condition. Such maintenance shall include, at a minimum, daily sweeping and litter pickup and disposal as well as washing or steam cleaning of the main entrance and abutting sidewalks at least once each week.
  - Until removal by a waste disposal service, all garbage and/or waste containers shall be either kept within the subject building, or kept in a sealed enclosure which prevents the emission of any noxious odors.
  - 3. The Project Sponsor shall maintain appropriate odor control equipment to prevent any significant noxious or offensive kitchen odors from escaping the premises.
  - 4. The Project Sponsor shall operate the proposed use such that noise is kept at reasonable levels so as not to unduly disturb neighboring businesses and residents.

- 5. The Project Sponsor shall maintain an attractive storefront providing visibility of the restaurant interior through the storefront windows.
- 6. Signs for the business shall be reviewed and approved by the Planning Department before they are installed.

# 6. Design.

- A. The final plans shall meet the standards of the Planning Code, except for those modifications to Planning Code provisions approved by this Project Authorization or as Development Controls in the approved Design for Development dated May 29, 2008, and be in general conformity with the plans approved by the Commission on June 12, 2008 as Exhibit B found in the Case docket.
- B. Final detailed building plans shall be reviewed and approved by the Planning Department before issuance of the first superstructure addendum to a site permit. Detailed building plans shall include a final site plan for the building, unit plans, elevations, sections, landscape plan, choice of finish materials and colors, and details of construction.
- C. Final detailed plans sufficient for Conditional Use/Planned Unit Development approval for Phases 2 and 3 shall be submitted to the Planning Department prior to application for any site or building permits for those phases. The Planning Department shall review such plans for general conformity with this Project Authorization, the approved Design for Development and the Planning Code. Plans for Phases 2 and 3 shall be presented to the Planning Commission as information items.
- D. Space for the collection and storage of garbage shall be provided within an enclosed area on the property. Garbage containers shall be kept inside the building, and placed outside only when being serviced by the disposal company. Space for the collection and storage of recyclable materials which meets the size, location, accessibility and other standards specified by the San Francisco Recycling Program, shall be provided at the ground level of the Project.
- E. All proposed signage will be in general conformance with Article 6 of the Planning Code.
- F. The project sponsor shall continue to work with Planning Department staff on the details of the design of the project that include but not limited to assuring quality materials and detailing, and assuring a sufficient variety of materials and treatments across the site. Special attention shall also be given to the architectural treatment of corners and assuring that internal mews are appropriately activated. Designs for buildings on blocks 1b, 5, 6 and 7a may deviate from those shown in Exhibit "B" to allow greater diversity in form than those presented, as long as the overall design intent of the Design for Development and the required controls have been met. Likewise, configuration of front stoops may be reconfigured to be made larger, if appropriate.

#### 7. Housing.

- A. The Project shall not be marketed for time share, executive suites or short term transient use.
- B. Covenants, conditions and restrictions approved by the Planning Department shall be imposed upon the project units to restrict use to occupancy for permanent residents and to preclude timeshare ownership or occupancy. No residential units shall be used as hotel units, as defined in Section 203.8 of the San Francisco Housing Code.

C. The project is subject to affordable housing requirements through the Redevelopment Agency and not through Planning Code Section 315.

#### 8. Performance.

- A. Prior to the issuance of any new or amended building permit for the construction of the Project, the Zoning Administrator shall approve and order the recordation of a notice in the Official Records of the Recorder of the City and County of San Francisco, if not already recorded, which notice shall state that construction of the Project has been authorized by and is subject to the conditions of this Motion. From time to time after the recordation of such notice, at the request of the Project Sponsor or the successor thereto, the Zoning Administrator shall affirm in writing the extent to which the conditions of this Motion have been satisfied.
- B. The Project Sponsor shall obtain site or building permits for Phase 1 of this Project within three years from the date of this conditional use authorization, and construction shall thereafter be pursued diligently to completion or the said authorization shall be deemed null and void.
- C. The project requires the adoption of the proposed Planning Code Text and Map Amendments by the Board of Supervisors. In the event that the Board of Supervisors does not approve the project, the project would need to be redesigned.
- D. This authorization is valid for a period of ten years from the date of approval by the Planning Commission.
- E. After ten years, an extension for up to an additional two years may be specifically authorized by the Planning Commission. In the case where delays have been caused by a government agency or legal action, time shall be tolled and the authorization extended for such period by the Zoning Administrator.
- F. Failure to comply with these Conditions of Approval shall be grounds for revocation of the conditional use authorization. Should the Project result in complaints from neighbors that are not resolved by the Project Sponsor and are subsequently reported to the Zoning Administrator and found to be in violation of the Planning Code and/or the specific Conditions of Approval contained in this Exhibit A of this motion, the Zoning Administrator shall report such complaints to the Planning Commission which may thereafter hold a public hearing on the matter in accordance with the hearing notification and conduct procedures in Planning Code Sections 174, 306.3 and 306.4 to consider revocation of this Conditional Use Authorization. The subject authorization shall otherwise be reviewed administratively by the Planning Department one year from the effective date of approval.
- G. First Source hiring requirements shall be administered through the San Francisco Redevelopment Agency.
- 9. **Project mitigation.** "Mitigation Measures" and "Improvement Measures" to be included in the Project, as outlined in the Final Environmental Impact Report, Hunters View Redevelopment Project (State Clearinghouse No. SCH 2007112086). If said mitigation measures are less restrictive than the following conditions, the more restrictive and protective, as determined by the Zoning Administrator, shall govern. These measures are as follows:

# A. Transportation and Circulation

The Project impacts at the Third Street/Evans Avenue intersection under the Baseline Plus Project Conditions could be mitigated by adjusting the maximum allowable southbound left turn green time. In the Baseline Plus Project Conditions, the southbound left turn movement is projected to have an allotted green time of 11 seconds per 100-second cycle (LOS F) and the opposing northbound through movement is projected to have an allotted green time of 37 seconds per 100-second cycle (LOS B). To mitigate the impact caused by the Project, the southbound left turn green time could be increased to 16 seconds per 100-second cycle and the opposing northbound through movement green time could be decreased to 32 seconds per 100-second cycle.

Implementation of the proposed mitigation measure would be dependent upon an assessment of transit and traffic coordination along Third Street and Evans Avenue to ensure that the changes would not substantially affect MUNI transit operations, signal progressions, pedestrian minimum green time requirements, and programming limitations of signals.

If the proposed mitigation is determined to be feasible, the Project Sponsor shall be required to fund its fair share of the cost of such mitigation.

Under 2025 Cumulative Plus Project Conditions, a substantial amount of the delay at the Third Street/25th Street intersection would be caused by the permitted eastbound and westbound through-and right-turn movements. 25th Street would have one all-movement lane in each direction. To the west of the intersection, 25th Street is approximately 40 feet wide and accommodates on-street parking. To the east of the intersection, 25th Street is approximately 30 feet wide and does not accommodate on-street parking. With the removal of the on-street parking to the west of the Third Street/25th Street intersection, the eastbound approach would have sufficient width to accommodate a through-left lane and an exclusive right turn lane. The eastbound right turn lane could include an overlap phase to coincide with the northbound leftturn phase, with U-turns from northbound Third Street prohibited. With this modification, the intersection steady demand green time splits could be recalculated, while maintaining a 100second cycle length. The green time allotted to the T-Third trains and intersection offset would not be modified with the implementation of this mitigation measure. With the re-striping of the eastbound approach, the removal of on-street parking, addition of an eastbound right-turn overlap phase, and ecalculation of the signal timing steady demand green time splits, the Third Street/25th Street intersection would operate at LOS D with an average delay of 35.9 seconds per vehicle.

While mitigation has been identified to reduce impacts, further analysis of some of the measures is required to determine feasibility.

If the proposed mitigation is determined to be feasible, the Project Sponsor shall be required to fund its fair share of the cost of such mitigation.

Under the 2025 Cumulative Plus Project Conditions, the expected traffic volumes at the all-way stop-controlled Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection, would meet signal warrants and signalization would be required. With the existing geometry, the intersection would continue to operate at an unacceptable level (LOS F), even with signalization.

Removal of the on-street parking on Middle Point/Jennings to the north of the Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection, would allow the southbound approach to provide an exclusive left-turn lane and a shared left-through-right lane.

With the installation of an actuated-uncoordinated traffic signal, southbound and westbound approach lane reconfiguration, and removal of on-street parking, the Middle Point Road/Evans Avenue intersection would operate at LOS D, with an average delay of 53.1 seconds per vehicle.1 Implementation of the proposed mitigation measure would be dependent upon an assessment of traffic coordination along Evans Avenue to ensure that the changes would not substantially affect signal progressions, pedestrian conditions requirements, and programming limitations of signals. If signalization is implemented, the Project Sponsor shall be required to fund its fair share of the cost of such signalization.

Further analysis is required to determine the feasibility of this mitigation. If the proposed mitigation is determined to be feasible, the Project Sponsor shall be required to fund its fair share of the cost of such mitigation.

#### B. Construction Air Quality

- 1. To reduce particulate matter emissions during project excavation and construction phases, the Project Sponsor shall comply with the dust control strategies developed by the BAAQMD. The Project Sponsor shall include in construction contracts the following requirements or other measures shown to be equally effective.
  - Cover all truck hauling soil, sand, and other loose construction and demolition debris from the site, or require all such trucks to maintain at least two feet of freeboard;
  - Water all exposed or disturbed soil surfaces in active construction areas at least twice daily;
  - Use watering to control dust generation during demolition of structures or break-up of pavement;
  - Pave, apply water three times daily, or apply (non-toxic) soil stabilizers on all unpaved parking areas and staging areas;
  - Sweep daily (with water sweepers) all paved parking areas and staging areas;
  - Provide daily clean-up of mud and dirt carried onto paved streets from the site;
  - Enclose, cover, water twice daily or apply non-toxic soil binders to exposed stockpiles (dirt, sand, etc.);
  - Limit traffic speeds on unpaved roads to 15 mph;
  - Install sandbags or other erosion control measures to prevent silt runoff to public roadways;
  - Replant vegetation in disturbed areas as quickly as possible;
  - Hydroseed or apply (non-toxic) soil stabilizers to inactive construction areas (previously graded areas inactive for ten days or more);
  - Install wheel washers for all existing trucks, or wash off the tires or tracks of all trucks and equipment leaving the site;

- Install wind breaks at the windward side(s) of construction areas;
- Suspend excavation and grading activity when winds (instantaneous gusts) exceed 25 miles per hour over a 30-minute period or more; and
- To the extent possible, limit the area subject to excavation, grading, and other dustgenerating construction activity at any one time.
- 2. The Project Sponsor shall implement measures to reduce the emissions of pollutants generated by heavy-duty diesel-powered equipment operating at the Project Site during project excavation and construction phases. The Project Sponsor shall include in construction contracts the following requirements or other measures shown to be equally effective.
  - Keep all construction equipment in proper tune in accordance with manufacturer's specifications;
  - Use late model heavy-duty diesel-powered equipment at the Project site to the extent that it is readily available in the San Francisco Bay Area;
  - Use diesel-powered equipment that has been retrofitted with after-treatment products (e.g., engine catalysts) to the extent that it is readily available in the San Francisco Bay Area;
  - Use low-emission diesel fuel for all heavy-duty diesel-powered equipment operating
    and refueling at the Project site to the extent that it is readily available and cost effective
    in the San Francisco Bay Area (this does not apply to diesel-powered trucks traveling to
    and from the site);
  - Utilize alternative fuel construction equipment (i.e., compressed natural gas, liquid
    petroleum gas, and unleaded gasoline) to the extent that the equipment is readily
    available and cost effective in the San Francisco Bay Area;
  - Limit truck and equipment idling time to five minutes or less;
  - Rely on the electricity infrastructure surrounding the construction sites rather than electrical generators powered by internal combustion engines to the extent feasible.
- 3. The Project Sponsor will be responsible for compliance with Toxic Control Measures for Construction, Grading, Quarrying, and Surface Mining Operation as enforced by CARB. These measures require that areas greater than one acre that have any portion of the area to be disturbed located in a geographic ultramafic rock unit or has naturally occurring asbestos, serpentine, or ultramafic rock as determined by the sponsor or an Air Pollution Control Officer shall not engage in any construction or grading operation on property where the area to be disturbed is greater than one acre unless an Asbestos Dust Mitigation Plan for the operation has been:
  - Submitted to and approved by the district before the start of any construction or grading activity; and
  - The provisions of that dust mitigation plan are implemented at the beginning and maintained throughout the duration of the construction or grading activity.
  - Compliance with these dust control measures would reduce air quality impacts to a less-than-significant level.

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#### C. Construction Noise

1. To the extent feasible, the Project Sponsor shall limit construction activity to the hours of 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on weekdays, and 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. If nighttime construction is required, the Project Sponsor shall apply for, and abide by the terms of, a permit from the San Francisco Department of Public Works. The Project Sponsor shall require contractors to comply with the City Noise Ordinance.

2. Construction contractors shall implement appropriate additional noise reduction measures that include using noise-reducing mufflers and other noise abatement devices, changing the location of stationary construction equipment, where possible, shutting off idling equipment, and notifying adjacent residences and businesses in advance of construction work. In addition, the Project Sponsor shall require the posting of signs prior to construction activities with a phone number for residents to call with noise complaints.

#### D. Construction Vibration

- 1. The Project Sponsor shall provide notification to the closest receptors, at least ten days in advance, of construction activities that could cause vibration levels above the threshold.
- 2. The Project Sponsor shall require construction contractors to conduct demolition, earthmoving, and ground-impacting operations so as not to occur in the same time period.
- 3. The Project Sponsor shall require construction contractors to, where possible, and financially feasible, select demolition methods to minimize vibration (e.g., sawing masonry into sections rather than demolishing it by pavement breakers)
- 4. The Project Sponsor shall require construction contractors to operate earthmoving equipment on the construction site as far away from vibration sensitive sites as possible.
- 5. The construction contractor shall implement methods to reduce vibration, including, but not limited to, sound attenuation barriers, cutoff trenches and the use of smaller hammers.

# E. Mechanical Equipment

The Project is zoned RM-1, which is prohibited by San Francisco Police Code Section 2909, to have a fixed source noise that exceeds 50 dBA, at the property line, between 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. The Project's mechanical equipment could exceed 50 dBA at the property line. The Project Sponsor shall provide shielding to minimize noise from stationary mechanical equipment, including ventilation units, such that noise levels from the equipment at the nearest property line would be below 50 dBA.

# F. Biological Resources

- 1. The Project Sponsor shall retain a qualified biologist to conduct preconstruction breedingseason surveys (approximately March 15 through August 30) of the Project Site and immediate vicinity during the same calendar year that construction is planned to begin, in consultation with the City of San Francisco and CDFG.
  - If phased construction procedures are planned for the Project, the results of the above survey shall be valid only for the season when it is conducted.
  - A report shall be submitted to the City of San Francisco, following the completion of the bird nesting survey that includes, at a minimum, the following information:

- A description of methodology including dates of field visits, the names of survey personnel with resumes, and a list of references cited and persons contacted.
- A map showing the location(s) of any bird nests observed on the Project Site.
- 2. If the above survey does not identify any nesting bird species on the Project site, no further mitigation would be required. Should any active bird nests be located on the Project Site, the Project Sponsor, in consultation with the City and County of San Francisco and California Department of Fish and Game (CDFG), shall delay construction in the vicinity of active bird nest sites located on or adjacent to the Project Site during the breeding season (approximately March 15 through August 30) while the nest is occupied with adults and/or young. If active nests are identified, construction activities should not occur within 500 ft of the nest. A qualified biologist, determined by the Environmental Review Officer, shall monitor the active nest until the young have fledged, until the biologist determines that the nest is no longer active, or if it is reasonable that construction activities are not disturbing nesting behaviors. The buffer zone shall be delineated by highly visible temporary construction fencing.
- 3. Due to the presence of steep slopes, all construction activities associated with the pedestrian route on the PG&E property, if the Project Sponsor can obtain site control for an easement on the PG&E property and if it is developed, shall occur during the dry season (typically from the end of May to mid-October) to limit the likelihood of soil erosion and to minimize the need to install erosion-control barriers (e.g., silt fencing, wattles) that may impact existing serpentine bunchgrass remnants from their placement along slope contours.

Prior to the initiation of any construction activities on the PG&E property, the Project Sponsor shall prepare a detailed plan showing proposed construction-related activities on the PG&E site. A qualified botanist familiar with serpentine bunchgrass communities shall conduct a pre¬construction survey of the PG&E property, during the portion of the growing season when most native vascular plant species previously documented as occurring on the site are evident and readily identifiable. Any areas containing remnants of serpentine bunchgrass habitat outside the proposed footprint for the walkway (including access routes), but within 20 feet of these areas shall be clearly delineated by appropriate avoidance markers (e.g., orange construction fencing, brightly colored flagging tape on lath stakes). An appropriate access route to and from the walkway area shall be developed, utilizing existing service roads and/or concrete building pads to avoid remnants of serpentine bunchgrass. Staging areas for this construction shall be limited to areas where remnants of serpentine bunchgrass do not occur.

The Project Sponsor shall conduct Worker Environmental Awareness Program (WEAP) training for construction crews (primarily crew and construction foreman) and City inspectors before construction activities begin. The WEAP shall include a brief review of the serpentine bunchgrass resource that occurs on the PG&E site. The program shall also cover all mitigation measures, and Project plans, such as BMPs and any other required plans. During WEAP training, construction personnel shall be informed of the importance of avoiding ground-disturbing activities outside of the designated work area. The designated biological monitor shall be responsible for ensuring that construction personnel adhere to the guidelines and restrictions. WEAP training sessions shall be conducted as needed for new personnel brought onto the job during the construction period.

- 4. Best Management Practices (BMPs) shall be employed during all construction activities on the PG&E site (e.g., all fueling of equipment within designated areas, containment of hazardous materials in the advent of accidental spills).
- 5. After construction is complete, all trash shall be removed from within the PG&E site.
- 6. After construction is complete, all areas of identified serpentine bunchgrass habitat on the PG&E property impacted by construction activities shall be restored to a level equal to, or exceeding the quality of habitat that existed before impacts to these habitats occurred. Mitigation shall be achieved by implementation of the following planting plan:
  - Installation of transplants and/or planting of locally-collected seeds from native plant species associated with serpentine grassland habitats into areas impacted by the Project. The frequency, density, and distribution of native species used within the mitigation plantings shall be determined through consultation with appropriate resource agencies, organizations, and practitioners. Installation shall be supervised by a qualified horticulturalist or botanist. Measures to reduce transplant mortality may include, but are not limited to the following:
  - Placement of cages, temporary fences, or other structures to reduce small mammal access, until transplants are sufficiently established;
  - Any weeding around transplants to reduce competition from non-native species shall be done manually;
  - Placement of a temporary irrigation system or periodic watering by mobile equipment sources for the first two years until transplants are sufficiently established.
  - General success of the mitigation plantings shall be measured by the following criteria:
    - Periodically assess the overall health and vigor of transplants during the growing season for the first three years; no further success criteria is required if transplants within the mitigation plantings have maintained a 70 percent or greater success rate by the end of the third year. If transplant success rate is below 70 percent by the end of the third year, a contingency plan to replace transplants due to mortality loss (e.g., foraging by small mammals, desiccation) shall be implemented.
- 7. The Project will comply with Article 16 of the Public Works Code for protection for significant trees. "Significant trees" are defined as trees within 10 feet of a public right-of-way, and also meet one of the following size requirements:
  - 20 feet or greater in height;
  - 15 feet or greater in canopy width; or
  - 12 inches or greater diameter of trunk measured at 4.5 feet above grade.

Street trees are also protected by the City's Urban Forestry Ordinance and both require a permit for removal. Some tree species within the Project Site meet the criterion of "Significant Tree" status; before construction occurs within any portions of the Project Site that could contain "Significant Trees," a tree survey shall be performed by a qualified arborist, and a map shall be prepared showing the genus and species, location, and drip line of all trees greater than 36 inches in diameter at breast height (DBH) or greater that are proposed to be altered, removed, or relocated. Any removal of these trees associated with the Project will

require a permit review, and replacement of affected "significant" trees as specified in the ordinance. Adherence to the ordinance will avoid the potential impact on the loss of significant trees.

#### G. Archaeological Resources

The Project Sponsor shall retain the services of a qualified archaeological consultant having expertise in California prehistoric and urban historical archaeology. The archaeological consultant shall undertake an archaeological monitoring program during construction activities in Blocks 13, 18, and 19. The archaeological consultant shall first undertake a geoarchaeological study of this project sub-area to determine if any buried land surfaces available for prehistoric occupation are present. All plans and reports prepared by the consultant as specified herein shall be submitted first and directly to the ERO for review and comment, and shall be considered draft reports subject to revision until final approval by the ERO. Archaeological monitoring and/or data recovery programs required by this measure could suspend construction of the Project for up to a maximum of four weeks. At the direction of the ERO, the suspension of construction can be extended beyond four weeks only if such a suspension is the only feasible means to reduce to a less-than-significant level potential effects on a significant archaeological resource as defined in CEQA Guidelines Sect. 15064.5 (a)(c).

Archaeological monitoring program (AMP). The archaeological monitoring program shall minimally include the following provisions:

The archaeological consultant, Project Sponsor, and ERO shall meet and consult on the scope of the AMP reasonably prior to any project-related soils disturbing activities commencing. The ERO in consultation with the project archeologist shall determine what project activities shall be archaeologically monitored. In most cases, any soils disturbing activities, such as demolition, foundation removal, excavation, grading, utilities installation, foundation work, driving of piles (foundation, shoring, etc.), site remediation, etc., shall require archaeological monitoring because of the potential risk these activities pose to archaeological resources and to their depositional context;

The archaeological consultant shall advise all project contractors to be on the alert for evidence of the presence of the expected resource(s), of how to identify the evidence of the expected resource(s), and of the appropriate protocol in the event of apparent discovery of an archaeological resource;

The archaeological monitor(s) shall be present on the Project site according to a schedule agreed upon by the archaeological consultant and the ERO until the ERO has, in consultation with the archaeological consultant, determined that project construction activities could have no effects on significant archaeological deposits;

The archaeological monitor shall record and be authorized to collect soil samples and artifactual/ecofactual material as warranted for analysis;

If an intact archaeological deposit is encountered, all soils disturbing activities in the vicinity of the deposit shall cease. The archaeological monitor shall be empowered to temporarily redirect demolition/excavation/pile driving/construction crews and heavy equipment until the deposit is evaluated. If in the case of pile driving activity (foundation, shoring, etc.), the archaeological

monitor has cause to believe that the pile driving activity may affect an archaeological resource, the pile driving activity shall be terminated until an appropriate evaluation of the resource has been made in consultation with the ERO. The archaeological consultant shall immediately notify the ERO of the encountered archaeological deposit. The archaeological consultant shall, after making a reasonable effort to assess the identity, integrity, and significance of the encountered archaeological deposit, present the findings of this assessment to the ERO.

If the ERO in consultation with the archaeological consultant determines that a significant archaeological resource is present and that the resource could be adversely affected by the Project, at the discretion of the Project Sponsor either:

The Project shall be re-designed so as to avoid any adverse effect on the significant archaeological resource; or

An archaeological data recovery program shall be implemented, unless the ERO determines that the archaeological resource is of greater interpretive than research significance and that interpretive use of the resource is feasible.

If an archaeological data recovery program is required by the ERO, the archaeological data recovery program shall be conducted in accord with an archaeological data recovery plan (ADRP). The project archaeological consultant, Project Sponsor, and ERO shall meet and consult on the scope of the ADRP. The archaeological consultant shall prepare a draft ADRP that shall be submitted to the ERO for review and approval. The ADRP shall identify how the proposed data recovery program will preserve the significant information the archaeological resource is expected to contain. That is, the ADRP will identify what scientific/historical research questions are applicable to the expected resource, what data classes the resource is expected to possess, and how the expected data classes would address the applicable research questions. Data recovery, in general, should be limited to the portions of the historical property that could be adversely affected by the Project. Destructive data recovery methods shall not be applied to portions of the archaeological resources if nondestructive methods are practical.

The scope of the ADRP shall include the following elements:

- Field Methods and Procedures. Descriptions of proposed field strategies, procedures, and operations.
- Cataloguing and Laboratory Analysis. Description of selected cataloguing system and artifact analysis procedures.
- Discard and Deaccession Policy. Description of and rationale for field and post-field discard and deaccession policies.
- Interpretive Program. Consideration of an on-site/off-site public interpretive program during the course of the archaeological data recovery program.
- Security Measures. Recommended security measures to protect the archaeological resource from vandalism, looting, and non-intentionally damaging activities.
- Final Report. Description of proposed report format and distribution of results.
- Curation. Description of the procedures and recommendations for the curation of any recovered data having potential research value, identification of appropriate curation facilities, and a summary of the accession policies of the curation facilities.

- Human Remains, Associated or Unassociated Funerary Objects. The treatment of human remains and of associated or unassociated funerary objects discovered during any soils disturbing activity shall comply with applicable State and Federal Laws, including immediate notification of the Coroner of the City and County of San Francisco and in the event of the Coroner's determination that the human remains are Native American remains, notification of the California State Native American Heritage Commission (NAHC) who shall appoint a Most Likely Descendant (MLD) (Pub. Res. Code Sec. 5097.98). The archaeological consultant, Project Sponsor, and MLD shall make all reasonable efforts to develop an agreement for the treatment of, with appropriate dignity, human remains and associated or unassociated funerary objects (CEQA Guidelines. Sec. 15064.5(d)). The agreement should take into consideration the appropriate excavation, removal, recordation, analysis, curation, possession, and final disposition of the human remains and associated or unassociated funerary objects.
- Final Archaeological Resources Report. The archaeological consultant shall submit a Draft
  Final Archaeological Resources Report (FARR) to the ERO that evaluates the historical
  significance of any discovered archaeological resource and describes the archaeological and
  historical research methods employed in the archaeological testing/monitoring/data recovery
  program(s) undertaken. Information that may put at risk any archaeological resource shall be
  provided in a separate removable insert within the draft final report.
- Copies of the Draft FARR shall be sent to the ERO for review and approval. Once approved by the ERO copies of the FARR shall be distributed as follows: California Archaeological Site Survey Northwest Information Center (NWIC) shall receive one (1) copy and the ERO shall receive a copy of the transmittal of the FARR to the NWIC. The Major Environmental Analysis division of the Planning Department shall receive three copies of the FARR along with copies of any formal site recordation forms (CA DPR 523 series) and/or documentation for nomination to the National Register of Historic Places/California Register of Historical Resources. In instances of high public interest or interpretive value, the ERO may require a different final report content, format, and distribution than that presented above.

#### H. Hazardous Building Materials Survey

Prior to demolition of existing buildings, light fixtures and electrical components that contain PCBs or mercury should be identified, removed and disposed of in accordance with the Department of Toxic Substances Controls "universal waste" procedures. Compliance with these procedures would reduce impacts to a less-than-significant level.

#### I. Contaminated Soil Identification and Disposal

- 1. Prior to issuance of a grading permit a Phase II analysis should be conducted on the Project Site. The Phase II shall include comprehensive soil sampling and laboratory analysis with the goal of identifying lead, chromium and contaminated soils. The scope of this Phase II analysis should be developed in cooperation with the San Francisco Department of Public Health.
- 2. If the results of this Phase II analysis indicate that contaminated soils is, in fact present on the site, a soil remediation and disposal plan shall be developed that includes a plan for on-site reuse or disposal of contaminated soils. in the event that soils are contaminated beyond DTSC thresholds, load-and-go procedures should be identified.

- J. Improvement Measures. Improvement measures diminish effects of the Project that were found through the environmental analysis to be less-than-significant impacts. The Project Sponsor has agreed to implement the following improvement measure.
  - 1. Any construction traffic occurring between 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. or between 3:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. would coincide with peak hour traffic and could temporarily impede traffic and transit flow, although it would not be considered a significant impact. Limiting truck movements to the hours between 9:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. (or other times, if approved by SFMTA) would minimize disruption of the general traffic flow on adjacent streets during the AM and PM peak periods. In addition, the Project Sponsor and construction contractor(s) would meet with the Traffic Engineering Division of the SFMTA, the Fire Department, MUNI, and the Planning Department to determine feasible measures to reduce traffic congestion, including transit disruption and pedestrian circulation impacts during construction of the Project.
  - 2. Once construction activities are completed a long-term program could be implemented to enhance and restore the existing serpentine bunchgrass habitat on the PG&E site and/or create "native habitat" areas on the Project Site. This Improvement Measure would create "native habitat" areas on some portions of the Project Site that are planned for landscaping or open space as part of the Project. Implementation of this Improvement Measure on the PG&E property would be the responsibility of PG&E.
    - Seeds of locally-collected native species could be collected from valid reference sites
      within the surrounding area. From these seeds, transplants could be raised by local
      gardening clubs, science classes from local public schools, etc. Installation would be
      supervised by a qualified horticulturalist and/or botanist.
    - On-going community programs undertaken by local citizen groups to remove trash and rehabilitate degraded portions of the PG&E site to expand higher-quality serpentine grassland habitat could be conducted.
    - Management of invasive, non-native herbaceous and woody species would include reseeding of native plants and manual removal (e.g., by hand, loppers, chainsaws), and possibly some selective chemical applications to control highly competitive exotic species. Invasive, non-native tree species such as eucalyptus2 could be systematically removed after any pre-construction nesting surveys for bird species have been conducted.
    - A long-term monitoring program could be implemented by enlisting the support from science educators from local public schools and community colleges. Permanent transects could be established to document the changes in floristic composition in terms of the frequency, density, and distribution of native plant species throughout the PG&E site.
  - 3. An interpretive display is generally considered an on-site, publicly accessible display/exhibit area which includes interpretive materials. The display could be an outdoor all-weather plaque or a permanent collection of materials displayed in a public area, such as in the community building.
    - For Hunters View, interpretive materials could document the history of the San Francisco Housing Authority, history of the Hunters View Housing Development, photographs,

architectural drawings and site plans, and/or oral and written histories documenting the lives of, and events associated with, past and present occupants of the Hunters View Housing Development. It is recommended that the Project Sponsor install an exterior interpretive plaque, not smaller than two by four feet, near the entrance of the community center. A recommended enhancement to the interpretive display would be an interior interpretive display in the community center containing a timeline and a collection of photographs and/or artifacts.

The Project Sponsor could also document the existing Hunters View and the new development site via site photography and this collection of photographs (before and after) could also serve as an interpretive display for this project.



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**Public Works Order No: 205129** 

DIRECTOR'S DECISION FOR MAJOR/STREET ENCROACHMENT PERMIT NO. 21ME-00007

APPLICANT: HV Community Association, Inc.

DESCRIPTION OF REQUEST: To occupy a portion of the public right-of-way to maintain an irrigation system (non-street trees), sidewalks, curbs and curb ramps for ADA compliant loading and a portion of a retaining wall footing in the vicinity of Fairfax Avenue, Acacia Avenue, Ironwood Way, Catalina Street, and Middle Point Road fronting the Hunters View Phase 1 project.

LOCATION: Phase 1 boundaries of Hunters View (1101 Fairfax Ave [Assessor's Parcel Block No. 4624, Lots 23 to 32])

#### BACKGROUND:

- 1. The applicant filed an application with San Francisco Public Works (SFPW) for a Major Encroachment as part of the development for the Hunters Point Phase 1 project.
- 2. The proposed encroachments are permitted under Street Improvement Permit 11IE-0336.
- 3. SFPW scheduled public hearings along with providing public notification on April 14, 2021 with continuances to April 28, 2021 and May 5, 2021.
- 4. No public comments were received during the notification period.
- 5. Hearing Officer, Denny Phan conducted the hearing on May 5, 2021 to consider testimony regarding the permit.
- 6. No members of the public showed up in the hearing and no testimony opposing the application were submitted.
- 7. The hearing officer made recommendation to the Director after the hearing.

#### FINDING:

The proposed Major/Street Encroachment qualifies under Public Works Code (PWC) Section 786(b) as a portion of a multi-phase, large scale development project, and therefore, may obtain an individual master major/street encroachment permit, including the major/street encroachment agreement (collectively, the "Permit").

Further, it has been determined that the waiver of the public right-of-way assessment fee under PWC Section 786.7 is a policy decision for the Board of Supervisors, but noted that the Encroachments associated with the Hunters View Phase 1 project and all future phases provides a public benefit. Finally, it is acknowledged that the Hunters View project is subject to the terms of a Disposition and Development Agreement ("DDA") with the Housing Authority of the City and

County of San Francisco, a public body corporate and politic ("SFHA"), which is similar to the fee waiver authorized under Public Works Code Section 786.7(f)(3) for projects that have a DDA with either the City or the Successor Agency to the San Francisco Redevelopment Agency.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Recommend for approval of Major Encroachment Permit – 21ME-0007 along with a recommendation for annual assessment fee waiver, and forward said Encroachment Permit to the Board of Supervisors to authorize HV Community Association, Inc. to owner, operate the irrigation system in the public right-of-way along with the transfer of maintenance responsibility of the sidewalks, curbs and curb ramps along the ADA compliant loading zones, and a portion of the retaining wall footing along the Phase 1 Hunters View project.

Further, it is recommended that the Permit shall not be effective until:

- 1. The Permittee executes and acknowledges the Permit and delivers said permit and all required documents and fees to Public Works, and
- 2. Public Works records the Permit ensuring maintenance of the encroachments in the County Recorder's Office, and

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# HOPE SF

Launched in 2005, coming out of the seven corners study, HOPE SF is a twenty-year human and real estate capital commitment, spanning four mayoral administrations. HOPE SF is the nation's first large-scale community development and reparations initiative aimed at creating vibrant, inclusive mixed-income communities without mass displacement of the original residents.

Hunters View, Sunnydale, Potrero & Potrero Annex, and Alice Griffith, the four HOPE SF sites, share the goal of eradicating intergenerational poverty by:

- · Ensuring No Loss of Public Housing.
- Creating an Economically Integrated Community.
- Maximizing the Creation of New Affordable Housing.
- Involving Residents in the Highest Levels of Participation in the Entire Project.
- Providing Economic Opportunities through the Rebuilding Process.
- Integrating Process with Neighborhood Improvement Revitalization Plans.
- Creating Economically Sustainable and Accessible Communities.
- Building a Strong Sense of Community.



Hunters View was the first of the HOPE SF sites to begin construction. It is the first HOPE SF site to come before the City with the final step of full City integration through Street Acceptance with the accompanying legislation.

## Original Hunters View



- 267 public housing units
- Unconnected to street grid and city services
- Undefined open space/no parks
- No resident services

### Revitalized Hunters View



- 1:1 replacement of all public housing units based on exact existing unit configuration in 2005
- Additional affordable and market-rate housing (rental + homeownership)
- Reconfigured street grid and new infrastructure
- 3 new public parks and resident services space
- Orange blocks represent current and future affordable housing
- Yellow blocks represent future market rate housing

# HUNTERS VIEW PHASE I



- 107 units
  - 80 public housing replacement units (54 RAD, 26 PBV)
  - 26 new tax credit units
  - 1 manager's unit
- Bayview YMCA office
- Promontory Park
- 3 new buildings + new roads, sidewalks, and utilities
- Completed 2013





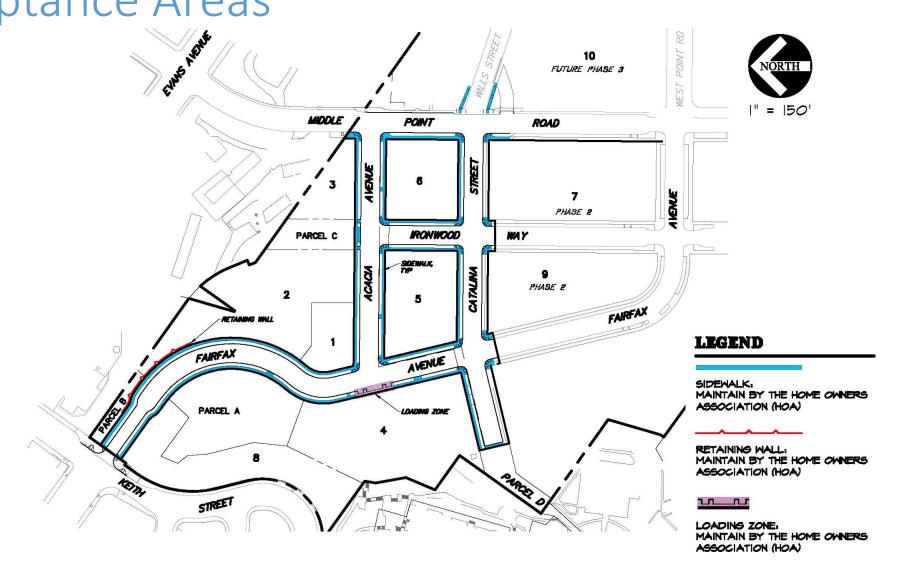




# Phase 1 Master Major Encroachment Permit Ordinance

- Phase 1 Master Major Encroachment Permit Ordinance: Grants permission and assigns maintenance responsibilities to the Hunters View Community Association (the master association for all of Hunters View) to maintain Phase 1 encroachments:
  - Sidewalks;
  - Irrigation lines;
  - One (1) ADA curb ramp; and
  - A retaining wall footing
- Waives the Annual Occupancy Assessment Fee for all phases of the project
- Ancillary documents include:
  - Phase I Encroachment Permit and Maintenance Agreement outlines the details of the maintenance responsibilities for Hunters View Community Association

Phase 1 Major Encroachment Permit/ Street Acceptance Areas



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### MEMORANDUM

TO: Alaric Degrafinried, Interim Director, Public Works

Sally Oerth, Interim Executive Director, Office of Community Investment and

Infrastructure

FROM: Erica Major, Assistant Clerk, Land Use and Transportation Committee

DATE: July 21, 2021

SUBJECT: LEGISLATION INTRODUCED

The Board of Supervisors' Land Use and Transportation Committee has received the following proposed legislation, introduced by Mayor Breed on July 13, 2021:

File No. 210805

Ordinance granting revocable permission to HV Community Association, Inc., to occupy and maintain the irrigation system (other than street trees), sidewalks, curbs and ramps for ADA-compliant passenger loading, and a portion of a retaining wall footing, with all such encroachments located generally along portions of Fairfax Avenue, Acacia Avenue, Ironwood Way, Catalina Street, and Middle Point Road fronting Hunters View Phase 1, 1101 Fairfax Avenue, (Assessor's Parcel Block No. 4624, Lot Nos. 23 through 32); waiving the annual public right-of-way occupancy assessment fee under Public Works Code, Section 786.7, for all phases of the Hunters View adopting environmental findings under the Environmental Quality Act; and making findings of consistency with the eight priority policies of Planning Code, Section 101.1.

If you have comments or reports to be included with the file, please forward them to me at the Board of Supervisors, City Hall, Room 244, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102 or by email at: <a href="mailto:erica.major@sfgov.org">erica.major@sfgov.org</a>.

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