

GENERAL PLAN REFERRAL NOTE TO FILE

June 7, 2024

CASE NO. 2008.1396R SFPUC Regional Groundwater Storage and Recovery Project

On July 31, 2014, in Motion No. 19211 for case No. 2008.1396R, the San Francisco Planning Commission found the SFPUC Regional Groundwater Storage and Recovery Project (Project) to be consistent with the San Francisco General Plan and the priority policies of Planning Code Section 101.1.

The Project is a groundwater storage and recovery project located in northern San Mateo County. The Project would install 16 new groundwater wells along the SFPUC Regional Water System, at various locations throughout the San Francisco Peninsula in San Mateo County. The sites would have permanent wells installed and would require temporary construction easements and staging areas, temporary and permanent access roads, permanent pipeline easements and permanent utility easements. Following the Planning Commission's adoption of Motion No. 19211, the Project sponsor SFPUC has ascertained that the Project would require additional easements that had not been included in the original Project description.

This Note to the File clarifies that (1) the acquisition and/or granting of additional easements as part of the Project is also consistent with the General Plan and Planning Code Section 101.1 for the reasons set forth in Planning Commission Motion No. 19211; and (2) the Board of Supervisors can rely on the General Plan and Planning Code Section 101.1 Consistency Findings set forth in Planning Commission Motion No. 19211 for the sake of the actions that are now before them.

Sincerely,

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