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Mr. Phillip A Ginsburg
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Dear Mr. Ginsburg:

The Department of Housing and Community Development (Department) is pleased to announce the City and County of San Francisco has been awarded a Housing-Related Parks (HRP) Program award. Funding for the HRP Program is available pursuant to the Housing and Emergency Shelter Trust Fund Act of 2006 (Proposition IC). The HRP Program reflects the Department's commitment to work in partnership with local governments to address California's critical housing and community development needs, recognizing and reinforcing the critical linkages between housing, jobs, and the economy in creating vital, livable communities.

As you know, all local government applicants with eligible units for new, preserved, rehabilitated and acquired rental or ownership housing affordable to lower-income households and which are in compliance with State housing element law, are eligible to receive HRP Program grant funds for use in local capital improvement park-related projects. The application submitted in response to the Department's HRP Program Designated Program Year 2013 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) indicated the City and County of San Francisco met these program requirements and has implemented the objectives of the Program. This letter, therefore, constitutes a conditional commitment of grant funds in the amount of \$6,352,275.

Staff will be contacting you shortly to initiate the process of preparing the Standard Agreement for fund distribution. Please note, no funds may be expended, nor any costs incurred, until the standard agreement is fully executed. Congratulations on your successful application. For further information, please contact Jennifer Seeger, HRP Program Manager, at jseeger@hcd.ca.gov or (916) 263-2911.

Sincerely,

Lisa Bates
Deputy Director

cc: Toni Moran