

1 [San Francisco Public Utilities Commission Cross Connection Controls Project.]

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3 **Resolution adopting Final Mitigated Negative Declaration, and adopting findings**
4 **pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), including the Mitigation**
5 **Monitoring and Reporting Plan, related to use of appropriated funds for San Francisco**
6 **Public Utilities Commission (SFPUC) Cross Connection Controls Project.**

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8 WHEREAS, The Cross Connection Controls Project is one of the regional projects to
9 be completed as part of the SFPUC Water System Improvement Program. The project
10 involves repair and installation of protective devices at twenty seven air valve or blow-off valve
11 sites to prevent water from outside of the system (rainfall, flood water, etc.) to enter and
12 compromise water quality (the Project). The project sites are at existing facilities located in
13 Alameda, San Mateo, and Santa Clara Counties; and

14 WHEREAS, On April 4, 2008, the San Francisco Planning Department issued a Final
15 Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Project ("Final MND"), File No. 2005.0165E. The
16 Planning Department found the Final MND was adequate, accurate and objective, reflected
17 the independent analysis and judgment of the Department of City Planning and the Planning
18 Commission, that the summary of comments and responses contained no significant revisions
19 to the Final MND, adopted findings of no significant impacts – with mitigation – associated
20 with the Project, and adopted the Final MND for the Project in compliance with the California
21 Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (Pub. Resources Code §§ 21000 et seq.) and the CEQA
22 Guidelines. The Final MND and all pertinent documents may be found in the files of the
23 Planning Department, as custodian of records, located in File No. 2005.0165E, at 1650
24 Mission Street, Fourth Floor, San Francisco, California; and

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1 WHEREAS, On May 27, 2008, the SFPUC adopted Resolution No. 08-0093 approving
2 the Project ("SFPUC Approval Resolution"). The SFPUC Approval Motion authorized the
3 Project, adopted CEQA findings, and adopted a Mitigation, Monitoring and Reporting Plan
4 ("MMRP") for the Project. The SFPUC Approval Motion made findings regarding the Project's
5 potential environmental impacts, the sufficiency of mitigation measures, and the responsibility
6 for implementing mitigation measures as set forth in the MMRP (Environmental Findings).
7 The SFPUC Approval Resolution is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File
8 No. 080673 which is hereby declared to be a part of this resolution as if set forth fully herein;
9 and,

10 WHEREAS, The Project as approved herein is consistent with the project description
11 contained in the Final MND; there is no new information of substantial importance that would
12 suggest that the Project would result in significant impacts not identified in the Final MND or
13 cause significant effects already identified in the mitigated negative declaration to be
14 substantially more severe; and

15 WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors has reviewed and considered the Final MND,
16 the SFPUC Approval Motion, and the record as a whole in exercising its independent analysis
17 and judgment with respect to the use of appropriated funds for this Project; and

18 WHEREAS, Funding is available from the Supplemental Appropriation for the Water
19 System Improvement Program approved by Ordinance 53-08, Board File No. 080238, for this
20 Project; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby adopts the Final MND,
22 Environmental Findings, and the MMRP in Board File No. 080673 for this Project.

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