

1 [Accept and Expend Grant - Community Scale Renewable Energy Integration - Central
2 Corridor EcoDistrict - \$300,000]

3 **Resolution authorizing the Department of the Environment to retroactively accept**
4 **and expend a grant of \$300,000 from the California Energy Commission for the**
5 **purpose of exploring Community Scale Renewable Energy Integration in San**
6 **Francisco's Central Corridor Eco-District for the period of June 1, 2013, to March**
7 **31, 2015.**

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9 WHEREAS, The California Energy Commission (CEC) released a Request for
10 Proposal for research, development, and demonstration projects that demonstrate
11 optimized community-specific renewable energy systems; develop the tools and models
12 to quantify the impacts and benefits of increasing local renewable energy penetration in
13 California's communities; and develop breakthrough renewable energy technologies to
14 effectively take advantage of existing localized renewable resources for electricity
15 generation; and

16 WHEREAS, Funding from the CEC will support the creation of a plan to integrate
17 renewable energy and supporting technologies into existing plans for a Central Corridor
18 EcoDistrict; and

19 WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors adopted goals for greenhouse gas
20 emissions reductions; and

21 WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors passed a resolution endorsing the San
22 Francisco Public Utility Commission's 2011 Updated Electricity Resource Plan, which
23 recommended implementing Community Scale Energy Systems, pilot electric storage
24 projects, and "Green Test Bed" demonstration projects; and
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1 WHEREAS, Several municipal departments, including Planning and the San
2 Francisco Public Utilities Commission are cooperating to study and plan for greenhouse
3 gas reductions through neighborhood scale energy systems in the Central Corridor
4 Area; and

5 WHEREAS, This funding will help the City move toward its emission reduction
6 goals and objectives laid out in the Electricity Resource Plan; and

7 WHEREAS, Participating in this process will support the City's continued
8 reputation as a national leader in municipal sustainability; and

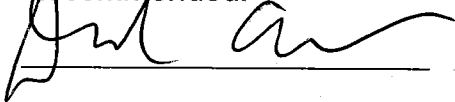
9 WHEREAS, The term of this grant is from June 1, 2013 to March 31, 2015; and

10 WHEREAS, The grant allows for Indirect costs of \$10,444; and

11 WHEREAS, The grant does not require an Annual Salary Ordinance (ASO)
12 amendment; now, therefore, be it

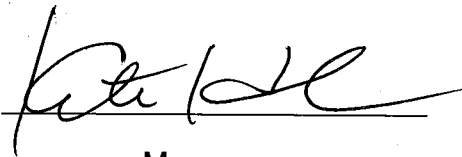
13 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Director of the
14 Department of the Environment to accept and expend \$300,000 from the California
15 Energy Commission to support Community Scale Renewable Energy Integration
16 Exploration in the Central Corridor EcoDistrict.

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19 Recommended:

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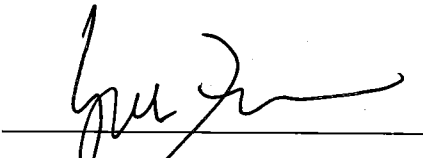
21 Department Head

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23 Approved:

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25 Mayor

Approved:



Controller, Grant Division



City and County of San Francisco

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Resolution

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File Number: 130649

Date Passed: July 23, 2013

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July 17, 2013 Budget and Finance Sub-Committee - RECOMMENDED

July 23, 2013 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Avalos, Breed, Campos, Chiu, Cohen, Farrell, Kim, Mar, Tang, Wiener and Yee

File No. 130649

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on 7/23/2013 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board

Mayor

Date Approved