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[Approving the Nomination of the California Coastal Trail as a Priority Conservation Area]

Resolution authorizing the nomination of the California Coastal Trail as a Priority Conservation Area by the Association of Bay Area Governments.

WHEREAS, In 2014, the Association of Bay Area Governments (ABAG) requested nominations from local governments and special districts for Priority Conservation Areas pursuant to the Plan Bay Area multi-agency regional planning initiative; and

WHEREAS, Priority Conservation Areas are areas of regional significance which contain important agricultural, natural resource, watershed, historic, scenic, cultural, recreational, and/or ecological values and ecosystem functions deserving of conservation funding; and

WHEREAS, The California Coastal Trail is a network of public recreation trails for pedestrians, bicyclists, equestrians, wheelchair users and others along the 1,200-mile California coastline; and

WHEREAS, San Francisco hosts a portion of the California Coastal Trail within its boundaries, including portions that connect the Presidio of San Francisco to Lands End, Ocean Beach and Fort Funston, providing opportunities for people to experience solitude in nature, enjoy passive and active recreation, and enjoy the benefits of fitness through healthy exercise; and

WHEREAS, San Francisco pledges its commitment to completing the regionallysignificant California Coastal Trail by supporting its designation as a Priority Conservation Area, making it eligible for crucial funding; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED that the San Francisco Board of Supervisors hereby supports the designation of the California Coastal Trail as a Priority Conservation Area.



City and County of San Francisco **Tails**

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Resolution

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April 21, 2015 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

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

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on 4/21/2015 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

> Angela Calvillo Clerk of the Board