

**PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

City and County of San Francisco

RESOLUTION NO. 08-0102

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Public Utilities Commission is dedicated to installing solar energy systems that will reduce the City's reliance on energy created by fossil fuels; and

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco has passed several measures to install photovoltaic systems throughout the City; and

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco is dedicated to working with San Francisco residents and business owners to reduce their carbon footprint; and

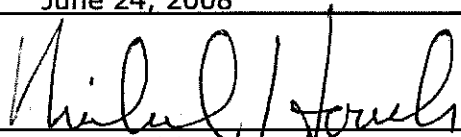
WHEREAS, A major obstacle for homeowners, business owners and non-profit organizations to install photovoltaic systems is the installation costs; and

WHEREAS, An increase in private demand combined with appropriate measures to attract investment in the City's solar manufacturing and installation industries could reduce the overall cost of solar energy over the long term as costs of importing such manufacturing technology and expertise are reduced or eliminated in favor of a competitive in-City market; and

WHEREAS, the San Francisco Board of Supervisors passed ordinances that establish a solar energy incentive program and a solar energy incentive pilot program that would be administered by the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that this Commission hereby authorizes the General Manager of the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission to support the Board of Supervisors' ordinances by establishing a solar incentive program to encourage San Francisco residents, business owners and non-profit organizations to install photovoltaic systems with funds from the Public Utilities Commission's net operating revenues allocated to the Sustainable Energy Account.

*I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Public Utilities Commission at its meeting of* \_\_\_\_\_ *June 24, 2008*

  
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*Secretary, Public Utilities Commission*