[General Plan Amendments]

APPROVING AMENDMENTS TO THE SUBAREA PLAN FOR SAN FRANCISCO EXECUTIVE PARK IN THE SOUTH BAYSHORE PLAN OF THE SAN FRANCISCO GENERAL PLAN

Note: All sections are new.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

Section 1. Findings. The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco hereby finds and determines that:

A. Pursuant to City Charter Section 4.105 any amendments to the General Plan shall first be considered by the San Francisco Planning Commission (the “Commission”) and thereafter recommended for approval or rejection by the Board of Supervisors.

B. The owners of the property that constitutes the Executive Park development have requested amendments to the Subarea Plan for San Francisco Executive Park in the South Bayshore Plan of the San Francisco General Plan.

C. The General Plan amendments, as refined by the Planning Department would facilitate approval of a Conditional Use authorization for a Planned Unit Development (PUD) for the Executive Park property which the owners filed with the Planning Department in August 1999.

D. A prior conditional use permit for a PUD for Executive Park, a 70 acre parcel encompassing Lots 75, 85, 86, and 88/90 (formerly Lot 87) of Assessors Block 4991, was approved by the Planning Commission by Resolution No. 10461 in 1985 and amended by Resolution 13304 in 1992.

E. The Subarea Plan for San Francisco Executive Park was added to the San Francisco General Plan in 1985.

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F. The August 1999 Conditional Use Application requests certain changes to the configuration of land uses and roadway access; deferral of any hotel authorization to a future approval; changes in some of the conditions of approval; and authorization of additional non-residential parking.

G. The amendments to the Subarea Plan for San Francisco Executive Park would (1) create urban design guidelines for development within the area; (2) reinforce the Town Center retail space as a gathering point for area workers, visitors and residents; (3) seek to preserve undeveloped open space and to create a vista point; (4) seek to strengthen transit use by area residents and workers; (5) seek to minimize single occupant vehicle use or, at a minimum, to encourage joint use of parking resources by workers, residents and nearby recreational visitors; and (6) change the configuration of Executive Park Boulevard to Harney Way.

H. On December 2, 1999 by Motion No. 14935, the Planning Commission certified as adequate and complete the Final Supplemental Environmental Impact Report ("FSEIR") for the proposed conditional use permit.

I. On February 3, 2000 by Resolution No. 14978, the Planning Commission adopted a resolution of intent to initiate amendments to the Subarea Plan for San Francisco Executive Park in the South Bayshore Plan of the General Plan, which Resolution described the proposed amendments to the General Plan and which amendments are attached hereto as Attachment A ("General Plan Amendments").

J. Pursuant to Planning Code Section 340, the Planning Commission conducted a duly noticed public hearing on the General Plan Amendments and adopted the General Plan amendments by Resolution No. 15016, and recommended them for approval to the Board of Supervisors.
K. In Resolution No. 495-00, this Board of Supervisors affirmed the Planning Commission's certification of the FSEIR as adequate and complete and adopted findings in connection with its consideration of the General Plan Amendments under the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA"), the State CEQA Guidelines and Chapter 31 of the San Francisco Administrative Code and made certain findings in connection therewith, and adopted a mitigation monitoring and reporting program, which findings and program are hereby incorporated by reference as if fully set forth herein.

L. This Board of Supervisors finds that this ordinance will serve the public necessity, convenience and welfare for the following reasons:

1. The proposed amendments will facilitate the development of a mixed use development that will provide housing, including affordable housing, neighborhood-serving retail space, child care facilities and office space in an area of the City that can provide employment, both in construction jobs and permanent employment within the new buildings, for residents of the Bayview Hunters Point and Visitation Valley neighborhoods where unemployment rates are high.

2. The proposed amendments will facilitate the preservation and proper maintenance of 26 acres of open space that will complement the open space and recreational resources within this area of the City.

3. The proposed amendments will facilitate the development of a cluster of buildings that will serve as an attractive "gateway" to the City from Highway 101 for visitors while providing a 26 acre open space "preserve" that will be viewed by those visitors.

4. The proposed amendments will facilitate a development that will accommodate businesses that are seeking office space in the City, will provide housing for those workers, and will attempt to reduce vehicular commute to work by
encouraging an “urban village” community therein and by providing a transportation management program to induce use of transit rather than automobile use.

Section 2. The Board of Supervisors finds that this ordinance is in conformity with the Priority Policies of Section 101.1(b) of the Planning Code and with the General Plan as it is amended herein, and hereby adopts the findings set forth in Planning Commission Resolution No. 15016 and incorporates such findings by reference as if fully set forth herein.

Section 3. The Board of Supervisors hereby approves amendments to the Subarea Plan for San Francisco Executive Park in the South Bayshore Plan of the General Plan of the City and County of San Francisco as set forth in Attachment A, attached hereto and incorporated by reference as if fully set forth herein.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
LOUISE H. RENNE, City Attorney

By: Elaine C. Warren
Deputy City Attorney
Ordinance approving amendments to the Subarea Plan for San Francisco Executive Park in the South Bayshore Plan of the San Francisco General Plan.

May 30, 2000  Board of Supervisors — PASSED, ON FIRST READING
Ayes: 11 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom, Teng, Yaki, Yee

June 5, 2000  Board of Supervisors — FINALLY PASSED
Ayes: 9 - Ammiano, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom, Yaki, Yee
Absent: 2 - Becerril, Teng
I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was FINALLY PASSED on June 5, 2000 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.