[Accept and Expend Gift - GearUp Fund and Urban Trails Initiative Fund - $189,494.24]

Resolution authorizing the Recreation and Park Department to accept and expend a gift from San Francisco Parks Trust for $189,494.24 for urban trails construction, signage, and mobile recreation, for a period to remain in effect until completion.

WHEREAS, Improving San Francisco's urban trails and providing high-energy recreational options are top priorities of the Recreation and Parks Department; and

WHEREAS, Coca-Cola Refreshments awarded funds to the San Francisco Parks Trust -- now the San Francisco Parks Alliance -- to support its work enhancing parks and promoting civic engagement and philanthropy to enhance and protect parks, open spaces and recreational activities that are vital to the health and well-being of all residents of and visitors to San Francisco; and

WHEREA, The San Francisco Parks Trust in consultation with the Recreation and Parks Department determined that developing the department's mobile recreation program through the GearUp fund and supporting the enhancement of San Francisco's Urban Trails were the among best ways to use these funds to inspire healthy, active living; and

WHEREAS, In order to develop mobile recreation in San Francisco, the Parks Alliance will give the department an in-kind gift of approximately $94,635 worth of new gear; and

WHEREAS, This gift will include 12 kayaks, 20 mountain bikes, a mobile rock-climbing wall, a Ford Pick-Up Truck to transport this equipment; and gear such as helmets and paddles to use the new equipment safely and properly; and

WHEREAS, The Parks Alliance plans to give the department $94,859 for the improvement of the Oak Woodlands trail system in Golden Gate Park; and
WHEREAS, This portion of the gift will include in-kind gifts of approximately $42,000 in
new signage along these trails and $2,859.24 of trail design services; and
WHEREAS, The Parks Alliance will also give the department a cash gift of $50,000 to
support the actual construction of the Oak Woodlands trail system; and
WHEREAS, The Parks Alliance will retain $10,366 to fund the Friends of Oak
Woodlands and to administer the grant; and
WHEREAS, On August 18, 2011, the Recreation and Park Commission voted to
recommend that the Board of Supervisors accept this gift, now, therefore be it
RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors approves the Gift and authorizes the
Recreation and Park Department General Manager to accept and expend the Gift, and to
perform all acts required of the City thereunder; and, be it
FURTHER RESOLVED, That all actions heretofore taken by the officers of the City
with respect to the Gift are hereby approved, confirmed and ratified; and, be it
FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors authorizes the Recreation and
Park General Manager to enter into any modifications to the Gift that the Recreation and Park
General Manager determines, in consultation with the City Attorney, are in the best interests
of the City and do not materially increase the obligations or liabilities of the City, are
necessary or advisable to effectuate the purposes of the Gift or this Resolution, and are in
compliance with all applicable laws, including the City's Charter.
Recommended:

General Manager, Recreation and Park Department

Approved:

Mayor

Controller
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February 06, 2013 Budget and Finance Committee - RECOMMENDED

February 12, 2013 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

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

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on 2/12/2013 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board

Mayor

Date Approved