

1 [Interconnection Agreement - Pacific Gas and Electric Company - Solar Power Project - 700  
2 Pennsylvania Avenue]

3 **Resolution authorizing the Public Utilities Commission's General Manager to enter into**  
4 **a long term interconnection agreement with Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to**  
5 **commence following Board approval, for a Solar Power Project at the Municipal**  
6 **Transportation Agency building located 700 Pennsylvania Avenue, pursuant to Charter,**  
7 **Section 9.118(b).**

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9 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (PUC) is responsible for  
10 development of renewable energy generating facilities for the City and County of San  
11 Francisco (City); and

12 WHEREAS, On March 30, 2009, the PUC and the San Francisco Municipal  
13 Transportation Agency (MTA) entered into a Memorandum of Understanding providing for  
14 installation and operation of an on-site solar photovoltaic system to be owned by the PUC at  
15 the MTA facility at 700 Pennsylvania Avenue, San Francisco, California (the Project); and

16 WHEREAS, On June 18, 2013, the PUC and the San Francisco Department of Public  
17 Works (DPW) entered a letter agreement providing for DPW to act as general contractor for  
18 the construction of the Project; and

19 WHEREAS, Funding for the Project was included in the PUC's capital budget for  
20 renewable energy projects; and

21 WHEREAS, DPW has completed the construction of the Project, and expects that it  
22 may begin generating electricity in mid-October, upon execution of an interconnection  
23 agreement with Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E); and

1           WHEREAS, In a determination dated July 15, 2008, the City of County of San  
2 Francisco Planning Department found that the Project was categorically exempt from  
3 environmental review under the California Environmental Quality Act; and

4           WHEREAS, The City must enter into a Generating Facility Interconnection Agreement  
5 (Agreement) with PG&E to interconnect the Project to the electrical grid; and

6           WHEREAS, In Resolutions 554-07, 441-11, and 374-12, the Board of Supervisors  
7 approved similar interconnection agreements for other City on-site solar photovoltaic systems;  
8 and

9           WHEREAS, The term of the Agreement is of an indefinite duration in order to ensure  
10 that the Project can remain interconnected to PG&E's electrical system for its useful life,  
11 which is expected to exceed ten (10) years; and

12           WHEREAS, The Agreement is subject to termination by the City for any reason upon  
13 sixty (60) days notice; and

14           WHEREAS, The City Attorney has approved the limitation of liability language set forth  
15 in section 7 of the Agreement; and

16           WHEREAS, The City's Risk Manager has approved the insurance language set forth in  
17 section 8 of the Agreement and has provided to PG&E a letter certifying that the City is self-  
18 insured and describing the terms of the City's self insurance program; and

19           WHEREAS, The terms and conditions of the Agreement do not require the payment of  
20 any fees or costs by the City to PG&E; and

21           WHEREAS, A copy of the Agreement is on file with the Clerk of the Board of  
22 Supervisors in File No. 130856, which is hereby declared to be a part of this motion as if set  
23 forth fully herein; now, therefore, be it

24           RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors authorizes the San Francisco Public  
25 Utilities Commission General Manager to enter into the Agreement with Pacific Gas and

1 Electric Company for interconnection of the Project at the San Francisco Municipal  
2 Transportation Agency building at 700 Pennsylvania Avenue , pursuant to San Francisco  
3 Charter section 9.118(b), and, be it

4           FURTHER RESOLVED, That within thirty (30) days of the agreement being fully  
5 executed by all parties, the General Manager of the San Francisco Public Utilities  
6 Commission shall provide the final agreement to the Clerk of the Board for inclusion into the  
7 official file.



**City and County of San Francisco**  
**Tails**  
**Resolution**

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**File Number:** 130856

**Date Passed:** October 22, 2013

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October 09, 2013 Budget and Finance Committee - RECOMMENDED

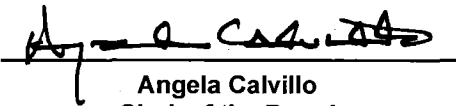
October 22, 2013 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 9 - Avalos, Breed, Campos, Chiu, Cohen, Farrell, Mar, Tang and Yee

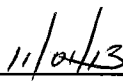
Excused: 2 - Kim and Wiener

File No. 130856

I hereby certify that the foregoing  
Resolution was ADOPTED on 10/22/2013 by  
the Board of Supervisors of the City and  
County of San Francisco.

  
Angela Calvillo  
Clerk of the Board

  
Mayor

  
Date Approved