Resolution approving application for grant funds from the Ocean Protection Council
Local Coastal Programs’ Sea Level Rise Grant for an amount not to exceed $250,000.

WHEREAS, The California Ocean Protection Council, under the authority of the Ocean Protection Act, approved a competitive grant program to provide financial assistance for local and regional vulnerability assessments and updates to Local Coastal Programs (LCPs) and other Coastal Act authorized plans to address sea-level rise, coastal hazards and other climate change-related impacts; and

WHEREAS, The goal of the grant program is to develop updates to LCPs or other Coastal Act authorized plans to address sea-level rise and other climate change impacts; and

WHEREAS, Grant proposals submitted under this grant program must address at least one certified LCP segment or other defined planning segment, such as a certified Port Master Plan or University Long Range Development Plan, or, in jurisdictions without certified LCPs, proposals must demonstrate that the applicable jurisdiction has committed to the process to complete an LCP (or other Coastal Act authorized plan) or that such process is underway; and

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco has an effectively certified LCP; and

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco, recognizing the problems and issues associated with climate change identified in the application and made part of this Resolution as if fully set forth herein, desires to pursue a project that would result in the completion and submittal for certification by the California Coastal Commission of an LCP Amendment (or Amendment to Other Plan), that would address such impacts; and
WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco will coordinate with the staffs of the California Coastal Commission, the State Coastal Conservancy and the Ocean Protection Council in undertaking the project, if approved; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors directs the Planning Department staff to submit the grant application to the Ocean Protection Council to provide financial and planning assistance, under authority of the Ocean Protection Act, in the amount not to exceed $250,000 to fund the project more particularly described in the grant application package; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Director of Planning is authorized to execute, in the name of the City and County of San Francisco, all necessary applications, contracts and agreements and amendments thereto to implement and carry out the grant application package attached hereto and any project approved through approval of the grant application.
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June 24, 2014 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED
Ayes: 11 - Avalos, Breed, Campos, Chiu, Cohen, Farrell, Kim, Mar, Tang, Wiener and Yee

File No. 140707

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on 6/24/2014 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board

Mayor

Date Approved: 6/24/2014