

SAN FRANCISCO
MUNICIPAL TRANSPORTATION AGENCY
BOARD OF DIRECTORS

RESOLUTION No. 180306-037

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco (City) and the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA) support the adoption of government policies and programs that support long-term sustainability and combat the effects of climate change; and,

WHEREAS, to help guide the development of sustainable local policies, the San Francisco Department of the Environment (SFE) has produced the Climate Action Strategy and Zero Waste goals; and,

WHEREAS, SFE in 2014 initiated a Textile Recycling Initiative to support efforts to reduce the approximately 85 percent of discarded textiles that currently go into the landfill wastestream; and,

WHEREAS, Recycle for Change (RFC) is a non-profit organization selected by SFE to partner with City agencies on efforts to reduce the amount of textiles going into the wastestream; and,

WHEREAS, RFC has found that parking facilities are a convenient and efficient location in which to place its textile-recycling bins; and,

WHEREAS, SFMTA manages 38 public parking garages and lots owned by the City or the Parking Authority of the City and County of San Francisco, and SFMTA and RFC staff assessed these facilities and selected three locations for initial installation of RFC textile-donation bins; and

WHEREAS, RFC will provide its donation bins at no cost, and the ongoing placement of the bins will be governed by a non-exclusive license agreement that governs RFC's responsibilities for making collections from bins and maintaining the bins and the immediately surrounding areas; and,

WHEREAS, Implementing textile recycling at SFMTA-managed garages and lots will support the City's sustainability and climate-action goals; and,

WHEREAS, On February 7, 2018, the SFMTA, under authority delegated by the Planning Department, determined that the proposed agreement is not defined as a "project" under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations Sections 15060(c) and 15378(b); and,

WHEREAS, A copy of the CEQA determination is on file with the Secretary to the SFMTA Board of Directors, and is incorporated herein by reference; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency Board of Directors approves a non-exclusive license with Recycle for Change, a California non-profit corporation, to authorize placement of textile-recycling donation receptacles at designated parking garages and parking lots administered by the SFMTA, including California/Steiner parking lot, 2450 California Street; Mission Bartlett Garage, 3255 21st Street; and Noe Valley parking lot, 4061 24th Street, at no cost to the City.

I certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency Board of Directors at its meeting of March 6, 2018.



Secretary to the Board of Directors
San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency