SAN FRANCISCO MUNICIPAL TRANSPORTATION AGENCY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

RESOLUTION No. 210803-093

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency has received a request, or identified a need for parking and traffic modifications as follows:

- A. ESTABLISH CROSSWALK Columbus Avenue at Green Street and Stockton Street, connecting northeast and southwest corners.
- B. ESTABLISH NO LEFT TURN Columbus Avenue, northbound, at Stockton Street and at Beach Blanket Babylon Boulevard, Columbus Avenue, southbound, at Stockton Street and at Green Street.
- C. ESTABLISH TOW-AWAY, NO STOPPING ANY TIME ESTABLISH SIDEWALK WIDENING, Italy Avenue, south side, from Mission Street to 20 feet easterly.
- D. ESTABLISH TOW-AWAY, NO STOPPING ANY TIME ESTABLISH SIDEWALK WIDENING, Mission Street, west side, from 401 feet to 497 feet south of Onondaga Avenue.
- E. ESTABLISH NO RIGHT TURN ON RED, Mission Street, northbound, at Admiral Avenue/Ney Street, and,

WHEREAS, The proposed traffic and parking modifications are subject to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA); CEQA provides a categorical exemption from environmental review for operation, repair, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing highways and streets, sidewalks, gutters, bicycle and pedestrian trails, and similar facilities pursuant to Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations Section 15301; and,

WHEREAS, The SFMTA, under authority delegated by the San Francisco Planning Department, has determined that the proposed parking and traffic modifications in Items A-B (Case No. 2021-005505ENV) are categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations Section 15301; and,

WHEREAS, The proposed action is the Approval Action for Items A-B as defined by San Francisco Administrative Code Chapter 31; and,

WHEREAS, The Transit Effectiveness Project Final Environmental Impact Report was certified by the San Francisco Planning Commission in Motion No. 19105 on March 27, 2014; subsequently, on March 28, 2014 in Resolution No. 14-041, the SFMTA Board of Directors approved all of the TEP proposals including Service-Related Capital Improvements and Travel Time Reduction Proposals to improve transit performance along various Municipal Railway routes; as part of Resolution No. 14-041, the SFMTA Board of Directors adopted findings under the California Environmental Quality Act, the CEQA Guidelines, and Chapter 31 of the Administrative Code and a Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program; the projects listed above were cleared at a program or project level; any modifications to the programs or projects as described in the FEIR would require further CEQA review; and,

WHEREAS, On August 6, 2019, the San Francisco Planning Department determined that Items C-E were within the scope of the TEP FEIR; no new significant effects were identified, there was no substantial increase in significant effects already identified, and no new mitigation were required; and,

WHEREAS, Copies of the CEQA determinations are on file with the Secretary to the SFMTA Board of Directors, and may be found in the records of the Planning Department at sfplanning.org or 49 South Van Ness Avenue, Suite 1400 in San Francisco, and are incorporated herein by reference; and,

WHEREAS, The public has been notified about the proposed modifications and has been given the opportunity to comment on those modifications through the public hearing process; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the SFMTA Board of Directors adopts the Transit Effectiveness Project Final Environmental Impact Report CEQA findings as its own, and to the extent Items C-E are associated with any mitigation measures and improvement measures, the SFMTA Board of Directors adopts these mitigation measures as conditions of this approval; a copy of the Planning Commission Resolution, the CEQA findings, and the CEQA determination are on file with the Secretary to the SFMTA Board of Directors, and may be found in the records of the Planning Department at <u>https://sfplanning.org/</u> or 49 South Van Ness Avenue, Suite 1400 in San Francisco, and are incorporated herein by reference; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the SFMTA Board of Directors, upon recommendation of the Director of Transportation and the Director of the Streets Division approves the changes.

I certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency Board of Directors at its meeting of August 3, 2021.

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Secretary to the Board of Directors San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency