

CITY OF ALAMEDA RESOLUTION NO. 14303

ALLOCATE \$100,000 IN MEASURE B FUNDS AS THE LOCAL MATCH TO PREPARE THE ESTUARY CROSSING PROJECT STUDY REPORT FOR A TOTAL COST OF \$1 MILLION, AND AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE ALL NECESSARY DOCUMENTS

WHEREAS, the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has allocated Bicycle Transportation Account (BTA) funds for bicycle projects for the fiscal year 2009/10; and

WHEREAS, the Alameda County Transportation Improvement Authority (ACTIA) has allocated Bicycle and Pedestrian Countywide Discretionary Funds for the fiscal year 2008/09; and

WHEREAS, the City of Alameda is committed to encouraging residents and visitors to bicycle and walk, and to provide facilities and programs that will encourage this behavior; and

WHEREAS, the City of Alameda wishes to apply to Caltrans and ACTIA for the Estuary Crossing Project Study Report (PSR); and

WHEREAS, the estuary crossing project is one the highest priority projects in the City of Alameda's Bicycle Master Plan, the City of Alameda's Pedestrian Plan, and the City of Oakland's 2007 Bicycle Master Plan Update; and

WHEREAS, BTA funding guidelines require that local agencies fund at least 10% of the total project cost; and

WHEREAS, the City has \$100,000 in funds available in the City's Capital Improvement Program budget allocated from Measure B to provide the local matching funds for studies related to the estuary crossing project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Alameda hereby:

- 1) Approves the filing of the applications to Caltrans' BTA and ACTIA's Discretionary Fund.
- 2) Commits a minimum of 10% of the total cost of the project described above in local funds as the local match for the project.
- 3) Directs inclusion of lifeline and multi-modal use of estuary crossing in the study, subject to grant requirements.

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Approved as to Form


City Attorney

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly and regularly adopted and passed by the Council of the City of Alameda during the Regular Meeting of the City Council on the 3rd day of February, 2009, by the following vote to wit:

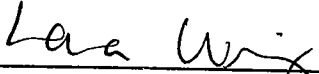
AYES: Councilmembers deHaan, Gilmore, Matarrese, Tam and Mayor Johnson - 5.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: None.

ABSTENTIONS: None.

IN WITNESS, WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of said City this 4th day of February, 2009.



Lara Weisiger, City Clerk
City of Alameda