SAN FRANCISCO MUNICIPAL TRANSPORTATION AGENCY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

RESOLUTION No. 15-119

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency has identified a need for temporary parking modifications in support of the Commuter Shuttle Pilot program as follows:

- A. EXTEND BUS ZONE Ellis Street, north side, from 67 feet to 89 feet east of Mason Street (relocates 1 yellow metered parking space and extends existing bus zone to 89 feet)
- B. EXTEND BUS ZONE Valencia Street, west side, from 60 feet to 81 feet south of 25th Street (removes general parking meter #1408)

WHEREAS, The proposed items were presented at the duly noticed May 22, 2015, and June 5, 2015 SFMTA engineering public hearings; and

WHEREAS, On January 9, 2014, the San Francisco Planning Department determined that the Commuter Shuttle Policy and Pilot Program were exempt from environmental review pursuant to Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations Section 15306 as a Class 6 (Information Collection), Planning Case No. 2013-1591E modified, and on May 21, 2015, SFMTA staff, under delegated authority from the Planning Department, determined that the parking modifications requested herein were categorically exempt from environmental review under Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations Section 15301, Class 1(c)(9) (changes in traffic and parking regulations where such changes do not establish a higher speed limit and/or result in more than a negligible increase in the use of the street) as a modification to the previously approved Commuter Shuttle Pilot Program; and,

WHEREAS, The Commuter Shuttle Pilot program called for the creation of a pilot network of designated stops, to be primarily composed of shared existing Muni zones, and to include extensions of existing Muni zones and permitted commuter shuttle only loading zones as needed; and,

WHEREAS, The Commuter Shuttle Pilot program has provided the opportunity for the SFMTA to evaluate whether sharing Muni stops specifically selected to minimize impacts on Muni and other users can minimize conflicts while supporting the beneficial commuter options that shuttles provide; and,

WHEREAS, Copies of the San Francisco Planning Department and SFMTA's CEQA determinations are on file with the Secretary to the SFMTA Board of Directors; and,

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

WHEREAS, The public has been notified about the proposed parking modifications and has been given the opportunity to comment on those modifications through the public hearing processes on May 22, 2015, and June 5, 2015; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency Board of Directors approves the temporary bus zone modifications listed as A and B above, to remain in effect for the duration of Commuter Shuttle Pilot Program.

I certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency Board of Directors at its meeting of September 1, 2015.