RESOLUTION NO.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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## RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS TO: A) PROCEED WITH ALTERNATIVE BANK STABILIZATION MEASURES IN COLLABORATION WITH STANFORD UNIVERSITY FOR THE ALPINE ROAD TRAIL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT; AND B) REVISE AND RECIRCULATE THE INITIAL STUDY/MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION FOR THE ALPINE ROAD TRAIL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

**RESOLVED,** by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of

California, that

WHEREAS, this Board approved funding for the Alpine Road Trail Improvements

Project (Project) within the unincorporated County area during the FY 12-13 Capital

Improvement Budget Hearing; and

WHEREAS, an Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) for the

Project was prepared in August 2013; and

WHEREAS, the following entities, as well as members of the public, commented on the Project: California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), Committee for Green Foothills, Equestrian Trail Riders' Action Committee, Silicon Valley Bike Coalition, and Stanford University (Stanford); and

WHEREAS, this Board did not certify the IS/MND and based on public comment directed the Department of Public Works (Department) to collaborate with Stanford to seek more environmentally sensitive alternatives for creek bank stabilization at Sites 2 WHEREAS, the Department developed a Hydraulic Study and Feasibility Study for environmentally sensitive alternatives and with input from Stanford concluded on recommendations for Sites 2 and 3; and

WHEREAS, with concurrence from Stanford, the recommendation for Site 2 is to slightly shift the channel alignment of Los Trancos Creek (Creek) and construct a Live Log Crib Wall in front of a Soldier Pile retaining wall with concrete laggings; and

WHEREAS, with concurrence from Stanford, the primary recommendation for Site 3 is to realign the channel of the Creek approximately 75 feet away from Alpine Road; and

WHEREAS, with concurrence from Stanford, the secondary recommendation for Site 3 is to slightly shift the channel alignment of the Creek and construct a Live Log Crib Wall in front of a concrete Cast in Place Wall in the event that regulatory agencies' approval appears problematic or too difficult to obtain.

## NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED that:

- 1. This Board has reviewed and considered the collaborative recommendation of the Department and Stanford for the alternative bank stabilization measures at Site 2, and confirms that the recommendation is of sound judgment and directs the Department to move forward at Site 2 by slightly realigning the Creek channel and constructing a Live Log Crib Wall in front of a Solider Pile retaining wall with concrete laggings.
- 2. This Board has reviewed and considered the collaborative recommendation of the Department and Stanford for the alternative bank stabilization measures at Site 3, and confirms that the recommendation are of sound judgment and directs the Department to move forward at Site 3 with either a channel realignment of the Creek or slight channel realignment and constructing a Live Log Crib Wall in front of a concrete Cast in Place Wall.
- This Board hereby approves revising and recirculating the IS/MND and any additional studies as required by the acceptance of the two recommendations as stated above.

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