

**ASSOCIATION OF BAY AREA GOVERNMENTS  
EXECUTIVE BOARD**

**RESOLUTION NO. 06-19**

**AUTHORIZATION TO SUBMIT A PROPOSAL TO THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT  
OF WATER RESOURCES TO OBTAIN A PROPOSITION 1 INTEGRATED  
REGIONAL WATER MANAGEMENT GRANT AND TO ENTER IN AN AGREEMENT  
TO RECEIVE A GRANT FOR THE ROUND 1 IMPLEMENTATION PROGRAM**

**WHEREAS**, the Association of Bay Area Governments (ABAG), is a “public agency” within the meaning of Section 6500 of the California Joint Exercise of Powers Act, consisting of Sections 6500 through 6599.3 of the California Government Code, as amended from time to time (the “Joint Powers Act”); and

**WHEREAS**, ABAG is the home agency for the San Francisco Estuary Partnership (SFEP), a coalition of resource agencies, nonprofits, citizens, and scientists working to protect, restore, and enhance water quality and fish and wildlife habitat in and around the San Francisco Bay Delta Estuary; and,

**WHEREAS**, ABAG and the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) have entered into a Contract for Services effective May 30, 2017, whereby MTC staff provides support services for ABAG.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Executive Board of the Association of Bay Area Governments hereby authorizes the Executive Director of the Metropolitan Transportation Commission, or her designee, on behalf of the Association of Bay Area Governments and the San Francisco Estuary Partnership, to submit a proposal to the California Department of Water Resources (DWR) to obtain a Proposition 1 Integrated Regional Water Management Implementation Grant pursuant to the Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014 (Water Code § 79700 et seq.) for integrated regional water management projects from December 1, 2019 to December 31, 2024 in the amount of \$22,750,000 and, if approved, to enter in an agreement to receive a grant for Round 1 Implementation; and be it further

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**RESOLVED**, that the Executive Board and the Association of Bay Area Governments, hereby authorizes and directs the Executive Director of the Metropolitan Transportation Commission, or her designee, on behalf of ABAG and SFEP, to prepare the necessary data, conduct investigations, file such proposal, and execute a grant agreement with California Department of Water Resources.

The foregoing was adopted by the Executive Board this 19<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2019.

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David Rabbitt  
President

**Certification of Executive Board Approval**

I, the undersigned, the appointed and qualified Clerk of the Board of the Association of Bay Area Governments (Association), do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Executive Board of the Association at a duly called meeting held on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2019.

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Frederick Castro  
Clerk of the Board