

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE
OF THE TRANSBAY JOINT POWERS AUTHORITY
REGARDING THE DOWNTOWN RAIL EXTENSION**

WHEREAS, The Transbay Joint Powers Authority (TJPA) Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC), recognizing the voters' mandate with the passage of Proposition H in 1999 to extend Caltrain to the Transbay Transit Center (TTC) at the earliest possible time, expresses its strong support for the Downtown Rail Extension (DTX) project on an alignment that maximizes operational efficiency, flexibility and cost-effectiveness; and

WHEREAS, To sustain economic growth and quality of life, the City and County of San Francisco (CCSF) and TJPA must ensure that the TTC facilitates badly needed growth of regional transit, while preserving the fabric of impacted neighborhoods; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the TJPA CAC urges CCSF to complete the Rail Yard Alternatives and I-280 Boulevard (RAB) Feasibility Study in a timely manner, and that CCSF and TJPA shall coordinate with funding partners to identify opportunities and meet deadlines to ensure the DTX is expedited and does not delay Caltrain and High-Speed Rail from reaching the TTC.

To be considered at the September 13, 2016 Citizens' Advisory Committee Meeting.