

San Francisco Bay Conservation and Development Commission

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RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION AND GRATITUDE

William (Bill) Holmes, SE

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Whereas, Bill Holmes, a licensed structural engineer and a Principal of Rutherford+Chekene, a leading structural and geotechnical engineering firm based in San Francisco, has served on the San Francisco Bay Conservation and Development Commission’s Engineering Criteria Review Board since June 2014 without compensation and without complaint; and,

Whereas, Bill has provided leadership throughout his 50-year career in structural engineering design and practice and has been the recipient of scores of awards and honors, including being elected to the National Academy of Engineering; and,

Whereas, Bill’s structural engineering-focused advice to BCDC permit applicants has informed and enhanced the viewpoint of the design criteria of many shoreline projects; and,

Whereas, Bill has raised awareness to applicants on seismic hazards in the design of projects inclusive of public access to the Bay; and,

Whereas, Bill Holmes has vacated his position as a member of the Engineering Criteria Review Board on June 5, 2024, after ten years of service.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the San Francisco Bay Conservation and Development Commission does hereby unanimously express, on behalf of the entire Bay Area that it serves, its deepest appreciation and gratitude to Bill Holmes for his generous and distinguished public service during the past ten years.

R. ZACHARY WASSERMAN, Chair

