

San Francisco Bay Conservation and Development Commission

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Notice

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Notice of Intent to Initiate the San Francisco Shoreline Adaptation Plan (Subregional Shoreline Adaptation Plan).

Notice is hereby given that the jurisdiction of the **City and County of San Francisco** have formally initiated the development of a subregional plan which intends to conform to the guidelines in the Regional Shoreline Adaptation Plan (RSAP), as pursuant to Sea level rise: planning and adaptation, SB 272 (2023), and with the intent to seek approval from the San Francisco Bay Conservation and Development Commission.

The following information is intended to provide information for the public to understand the nature of the subregional plan and identify information on how to engage in the development of the subregional plan. In accordance with the RSAP, upon local adoption and submittal of the subregional plan to the Commission, the Commission staff will review the plan for completeness. If the submittal is deemed complete, an additional notice will be issued to establish a date for public hearing and vote for the Commission to approve the subregional plan. At least 30 days prior to the public hearing, the Executive Director will mail a staff summary and recommendation to the Commission evaluating conformance of the subregional plan with the RSAP.

Plan Name: San Francisco Shoreline Adaptation Plan

Jurisdiction(s) Involved: City and County of San Francisco

Project Description: The City and County of San Francisco will prepare an adaptation plan along its shoreline to identify areas of vulnerability for sea level rise and groundwater inundation; analyze exposure levels and potential consequences; develop and evaluate adaptation strategies; and prepare funding and implementation strategies. The plan will build on prior related efforts (e.g., Sea Level Rise Vulnerability and Consequences Assessment (2020)) and existing related studies (e.g., Yosemite Slough Neighborhood Adaptation Strategy), and fill gaps that previous work did not cover. It will also update past assessments and plans with today's science; incorporate new data, such as groundwater inundation risks; and be informed by community engagement so that adaptation strategies are tailored to local needs. Public



outreach for this project will consist of two major efforts: (1) Outreach activities focused on collaborating with and hearing from those most vulnerable to sea level rise, groundwater inundation, and environmental justice; and (2) An advisory committee of representatives from affected community groups, local businesses, and nearby jurisdictions.

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Project Website: N/A

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