

MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 16, 2014

TO: Governing Board

San Francisco Bay Restoration Authority

FROM: Karen McDowell

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SUBJECT: Recommendations for Discretionary Provisions of Ballot Measure

ATTACHMENTS:

Attachment #1: Letter from NBS reviewing the county parcel data information

 Attachment #2: Summary of results of the number of owners of multiple parcels within each Bay Area county.

Summary

The Ballot Measure *Ad Hoc* Committee (John Gioia, Supervisor, County of Contra Costa; Dave Pine, Supervisor, County of San Mateo; and John Sutter, Director, East Bay Regional Park District), as part of the deliberations on the upcoming tracking poll, reviewed the discretionary provisions of the ballot measure and made the following recommendations:

- \$9 parcel tax
- 10 year duration
- No exemptions in the measure

With respect to the multiple parcel owners, staff requested that NBS preform a limited analysis of persons and entities holding multiple numbers of parcels in the nine Bay Area Counties. A letter reviewing the results and a summary of the results are included as attachments.

Action: We ask the Governing Board review the above recommendations and make a final decision on the discretionary provisions of the ballot measure.