

1 [Zero Waste Grant Awards for Fiscal Year 2021-2023]

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3 **Resolution approving Department of the Environment Funding Recommendations for Zero**  
4 **Waste grant awards to fourteen organizations in grant cycle period (FY 2021– 2023)**

5 WHEREAS, The Zero Waste program of the San Francisco Department of the Environment  
6 provides grant funding to non-profit groups; and,

7 WHEREAS, Zero Waste grants are dedicated to funding projects that reduce consumption and  
8 recover material from San Francisco’s landfill, thereby assisting the City in achieving its goal of zero  
9 waste; and,

10 WHEREAS, in addition to helping San Francisco reach its zero waste goals and in keeping with  
11 the Department’s commitment to equity, these grant funded projects achieve a range of co-benefits such  
12 as creating jobs, providing youth development activities, recovering edible food for low-income San  
13 Franciscans, engaging non-English speakers in zero waste practices, and building community; and,

14 WHEREAS, other crucial co-benefits include providing re-use materials for youth development  
15 programs and San Francisco’s small businesses, contractors, and arts community; and,

16 WHEREAS, working towards a zero waste economy while supporting San Francisco’s diverse  
17 communities through these grants will promote equitable recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic; now,  
18 therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, the Commission approves the award of Zero Waste grants, totaling \$1,031,000 to  
20 be disbursed during FY 2021-2023 to the following organizations:

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<u>Organization</u>	<u>FY 2021-23</u>
Asian Pacific American Community Center (APACC)	\$70,000
Bike Hut Foundation	\$65,000
California Product Stewardship Council	\$120,000

1	Charity Cultural Services Centers	\$50,000
2	CUESA	\$20,000
3	Farming Hope	\$60,000
4	Garden for the Environment	\$60,000
5	Literacy for Environmental Justice	\$20,000
6	Race to Zero Waste	\$60,000
7	San Francisco Market Corporation	\$112,000
8	SF Community Recyclers	\$160,000
9	SF New Deal	\$79,000
10	UCSF Sustainability Department	\$100,000
11	YMCA of San Francisco	\$55,000

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13 I hereby certify that this Resolution was adopted at the Commission on the Environment meeting on  
14 May 25, 2021.

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17 Katie Chansler, Commission Secretary

18 Vote: 6-0 Approved

19 Ayes: Commissioners Stephenson, Ahn, Bermejo, Sullivan, Wald, and Wan

20 Noes: None

21 Absent: None

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