RESOLUTION #2010-7

A RESOLUTION OF THE ALBANY CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE
CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO SUBMIT A CALTRANS COMMUNITY-BASED
TRANSPORTATION PLANNING GRANT AND TO ENTER INTO A
CONTRACT WITH THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION UPON RECEIPT OF THE GRANT

WHEREAS, the City of Albany is seeking financial support for conducting a
process to develop a plan for the implementation of Complete Street strategies along
three roadways in the City: Buchanan Street, San Pablo Avenue, and the upper segment
of San Pablo Avenue from Key Route to the Berkeley City Limits; and

WHEREAS, the estimated budget for this grant is $90,000 with a 10% match, a
quarter of which can be in kind; and

WHEREAS, the project will develop strategies that will accommodate non-
motorized users of these roadways; and

WHEREAS, the implementation of Complete Streets strategies would likely
increase the opportunities for construction funding; and

WHEREAS, implementation of Complete Streets strategies encourage the use of
non-motorized transportation alternatives, which in turn have the potential to decrease
emissions from transportation sources; and

WHEREAS, in 2007 the City Council adopted a greenhouse emissions reduction
policy that would decrease emissions 25% below 2004 levels by 2020.
WHEREAS, authorization is now being requested to submit the grant application and to execute the agreement between the City and the State of California Department of Transportation if the grant is awarded.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Administrator or designee is authorized to apply to the State of California Transportation Planning Grant for the development of this project and to execute an Agreement with the State of California Department of Transportation upon receipt of the grant.

Joanne Wile, Mayor
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PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY,
this 16th day of February, 2010, by the following votes:

AYES: Council Members Atkinson, Javandel, Lieber, Thomsen & Mayor Wile

NOES: None

ABSENT: None


[Signature]

JACQUELINE L. BUCHOLZ, CMC
CITY CLERK