RESOLUTION NO. 2017-60

A RESOLUTION OF THE ALBANY CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE BAY AREA AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT FOR ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STATIONS

WHEREAS, Albany's Climate Action Plan (CAP), adopted in 2010, establishes a goal of reducing greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions by 25% by the year 2020, and the General Plan includes additional reduction goals of 60% by 2035 and net zero emissions by 2050; and

WHEREAS, through the Climate Action Plan, the City of Albany has adopted a policy to incentivize electric and plug-in hybrid vehicles through development of automobile charging infrastructure and preferential street parking spaces; and

WHEREAS, according to Department of Motor Vehicles statistics on registered electric vehicles in the Bay Area, the City of Albany experienced a 34% increase in electric vehicle ownership from 2015 to 2016; and

WHEREAS, offering publicly-owned charging stations will provide charging opportunities for residents and visitors with electric vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the Air District Charge! grant will cover up to 75% of the purchase, install, and operations cost of electric vehicle supply equipment including PEV charging stations; and

WHEREAS, the City of Albany will provide 25% matching funds for City-owned charging stations; and

WHEREAS,
WHEREAS, the City of Albany will operate and maintain the stations for its intended purpose of providing public electric vehicle charging sources for a minimum of three years.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Albany City Council does support submission of a grant application to the Bay Area Air Quality Management District for electric vehicle charging stations.

[Signature]
PEGGY MCQUAID, MAYOR
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PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY,

The 17th day of July, 2017, by the following votes:

AYES: Council Members Barnes, Nason, Pilch and Mayor McQuaid

NOES: none

ABSENT: Council Member Maass

ABSTAINED: none

RECUSED: none

WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY, this

18th day of July, 2017.

Eileen Harrington
DEPUTY CITY CLERK