RESOLUTION NO. 2020-14

A RESOLUTION OF THE ALBANY CITY COUNCIL SUPPORTING
THE SUBMITTAL OF A JOINT GRANT APPLICATION TO
THE CALIFORNIA RESILIENCE CHALLENGE

WHEREAS, the City of Albany Local Hazard Mitigation Plan and Climate Action
& Adaptation Plan both emphasize need to address climate change impacts, and draw
special attention to the threat of sea level rise and flooding to our bayfront community; and

WHEREAS, the California Resilience Challenge is offering over $2 million to
California communities to improve local resilience to climate change, including drought,
flooding and sea level rise, extreme heat, and wildfire; and

WHEREAS, there is a need for a regional approach, as climate change impacts like
flooding and sea level rise do not stop at city borders.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Albany City Council hereby
support the submittal of a joint grant application with the cities of Berkeley and
Emeryville to the California Resilience Challenge for a sea level rise and groundwater
vulnerability analysis; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Albany City Council authorize the City
Manager to sign two letters of support: one for the City joint grant application and one for
the complementary San Francisco Estuary Institute grant application.

[Signature]
NICK PILCH, MAYOR
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PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY,
The 3rd day of February, 2020 by the following votes:

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

NOES: None

ABSENT: none

ABSTAINED: none

RECUSED: none

WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY, this
4th day of February, 2020.

Eileen Harrington
DEPUTY CITY CLERK

The City of Albany is dedicated to maintaining its small town ambiance, responding to the needs of a diverse community, and providing a safe, healthy and sustainable community.