

COMMISSION ON THE ENVIRONMENT CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

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RESOLUTION NO. 002-98-COE

[Odors in the Bayview-Hunters Point Neighborhood]

February 10, 1998

URGING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO ADDRESS THE ODOR PROBLEMS CONNECTED WITH THE SOUTHEAST WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE INCLUDING THE REPAIR OF THE SEWAGE DIGESTERS.

WHEREAS, the neighborhoods adjacent to the Southeast Wastewater Treatment Facility are exposed to the noxious odors generated by the treatment plant;

WHEREAS, a bond measure was passed in 1994 and \$ 5 million was allocated to the repair of San Francisco's Southeast Wastewater Treatment Facility's sewage digesters;

WHEREAS, the wastewater program has determined that the bulk of these odors is caused by the plant's sewage digesters; and

WHEREAS, the solution of this problem is long overdue; be it, therefore

RESOLVED, that the Commission on the Environment urges the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission to address the odor problems connected with the Southeast Wastewater Treatment Facility as soon as possible including the repair of the sewage digesters.

I hereby certify that this resolution was adopted by the Commission on the Environment at its meeting of February 10, 1998.

Christopher Chow

Commission Secretary

VOTE:

Ayes: Commissioners Eng, Evans, Krefting, Okamoto, Richardson, and Vietor.

Noes: None

Absent: Commissioner Russell.

Commission on the Environment