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ACCEPTANCE OF QUITCLAIM DEED FROM CITY OF VALLEJO, LEGISLATIVE TRUST GRANTEE OF REAL PROPERTY IN SOLANO COUNTY, BEING PART OF THE PROPOSED SAN PABLO BAY FEDERAL WILDLIFE REFUGE AND AUTHORIZE A LEASE TO THE UNITED STATES FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

The State Legislature by statutes (Ch. 483 Stat. 1947) amended by Ch. 117 Stat. 1957; and Ch. 1501 Stat. 1957) granted to the City of Vallejo, in trust, certain real property in Solano County, California. The city also obtained 3 access strips for access from the Sears Point Highway to the public trust land by deed recorded in Book 1001 page 457 Official Records, Solano County Recorder.

The area of the trust grant was depicted on maps (copies are attached as Exhibits "B" and "C") prepared by staff and dated and indexed March 1959 - CB 866 and October 1963 -CB 1286. Map CB1286 was recorded in Book 8 at Page 91. The summary maps merely showed the then existing shoreline and did not correctly depict the true grant boundaries which remained uncertain and in dispute at the time of the maps.

The upland boundary of the real property held by the State in its sovereign capacity and described in the grant statutes has been the subject of a dispute with private claimants claiming title as successors in interest to a State Swamp and Overflowed Patent which extended to the ordinary high water mark of San Pablo Bay.

The federal government filed a condemnation action against the private claimants and the State which included part of the granted lands and other lands. Due to the title questions the case relating to the granted lands cannot be completed without a resolution of the nature and extent of the private and State titles, and the City Legislative Trust Grant.

The titles within the Figueras, et al. parcel, abutting and located southerly of the Sears Point Highway, being a part of the proposed Federal Wildlife Refuge, and described as Tract 12 in the condemnation action, were established by stipulated judgment (authorized by the Commission by Minute Item No. 22 of its regular monthly meeting on

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January 26, 1973, in the condemnation action. The judgment was filed February 6, 1974, in the United States District Court, Eastern District of California, in case Civil No. S-2274, United States vs. 1164.34 acres, Tract 12. The judgment established the ordinary high water mark boundary, with Figueras title cleared to the upland portion abutting the highway and the State's title cleared to the southerly portion of 329 acres, more or less. The portion determined to be in Figueras ownership was thereafter purchased by the United States for the wildlife refuge.

The State received a deed to another parcel from Zunino, et al, recorded in December 30, 1976 in Book 1976, page 1976, in the office of the Solano County Recorder. The Sunino parcel was partly within the trust grant and wholly within the proposed wildlife refuge and the federal condemnation action. The parcel adjoined and extended southerly from the Sears Point Highway to San Pablo Bay. It consisted of 393 acres, more or less. This deed was obtained as part of exchanges in San Mateo County (BLA 151) approved by the Commission at its regular public meeting on September 30, 1976, Minute Item No.22. The effect of this deed was to pass the hrivate interests to the State and thereby resolve the title dispute between the State and the private claimants, leaving the rights of the city under the Legislative trust grant for future resolution.

To finally resolve the condemnation action regarding the trust grant area, it is anticipated that the State will lease the real property described in the quitclaim deed which includes the State/parcel under the Figueras judgment, and the parcel within the Zunino deed, together with 3 appurtenant rights-of-way for access to the Sears Point Highway to the United States Fish and Wildlife Service for refuge purposes. To do this, it will be necessary to terminate the legislative trust grant to the city which was primarily for airport purposes.

The city has made no improvements and advises that it does not intend to construct the airport; desires that the refuge be established; and is prepared to quitclaim to the State any rights it may have remaining under the public trust grant. A form of quitclaim deed has been submitted to the city for the approval of its council.

The quitclaim includes all right title and interest of the city to the real property approximately depicted on Exhibits "B" and "C" and on Exhibit "D" as the Zunino parcel, the indicated State portion of the Figueras parcel, and the access ways — the lease includes the same parcels.

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The quitclaim deed will permit: the establishment of the federal refuge; the dismissal of the federal lawsuit respecting these parcels without further expense; the lease to the United States Fish and Wildlife Service; and the establishment of the wildlife refuge within the parcels. The real property to be quitclaimed to the State and leased to the federal government is described in the copy of proposed quitclaim deed, attached hereto as Exhibit "A".

ATTACHMENTS:

- A. Quitclaim Deed.
- B. Grant Map CB 866.
- C. Grant Map CB 1286.
- D. Figueros Judgment Parcel and Zunino Parcel.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION:

- 1. FIND THAT THE ACCEPTANCE OF A QUITCLAIM DEED, IN SUB-STANTIALLY THE FORM OF THE ATTACHED EXHIBIT "A", FROM THE CITY OF VALLEJO OF THAT CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY IN SOLANO COUNTY CALIFORNIA DESCRIBED IN SAID EXHIBIT "A", IS IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE STATE, AND AUTHORIZE ITS ACCEPTANCE AND RECORDATION.
- 2. FIND THAT THE ISSUANCE OF A 66-YEAR LEASE, IN SUBSTANTIALLY THE FORM OF THE COPY OF THE LEASE ON FILE WITH THE COMMISSION, TO THE UNITED STATES FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE, OF THE REAL PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN EXHIBIT "A" FOR PURPOSES OF THE FEDERAL WILDLIFE REFUGE IS IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE STATE AND AUTHORIZE ITS ISSUANCE.
- 3. FIND THAT THE TRANSACTION IS IN FURTHERANCE OF THE FINAL SETTLEMENT OF TITLE AND BOUNDARY LITIGATION AND THE PROVISIONS OF CEQA ARE INAPPLICABLE PURSUANT TO SECTION 6371 OF THE P.R.C.
- 4. AUTHORIZE THE STAFF OF THE STATE LANDS COMMISSION AND/OR THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO TAKE ALL FURTHER STEPS WHICH MAY BE REASONABLY NECESSARY OR CONVENIENT TO IMPLEMENT THE TRANSACTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO EXECUTION OF DOCUMENTS OF TITLE, ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS AND APPEARANCES IN ANY LEGAL PROCEEDINGS BROUGHT CONCERNING THE ABOVE TRANSACTION.

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QUITCLAIM DEED

(Certificate of Acceptance Included)

The CITY OF VALLEJO, a municipal corporation, herein referred to as CITY, does hereby remise, release and forever quitclaim to the STATE OF CALIFORNIA, any and all right, title, and interest of CITY in and to that certain real property located in Solano County, California, more particularly described and granted by the California Legislature in trust to CITY by virtue of Chapter 483, Statutes of 1947, as amended by Chapter 117, Statutes of 1957, and Chapter 1501, Statutes of 1957, together with any and all other right, title and interest of CITY in and to these certain parcels of real property in Solano County, California, more particularly described, as follows:

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Parcel One

A 100 foot strip of land, the westerly line of which is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at Station 1 on the boundary line between Vallejo and Cullinan as shown on that certain "MAP OF GRANT TO CITY OF VALLEJO", filed for record with Solano County Recorder in Book 7 of Surveys, Page 8; thence running N. 0 degrees 10' 00" East 1900 feet, more or less. Being parcel 1, of the real property and described in that certain Indenture dated November 3, 1959, recorded November 17, 1959 as Document No. 23662, in Book 1001, and said Indenture beginning at page 460, all in the Official Records of the Recorder of Solano County.

Parcel Two

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A 100 foot wide strip of land, the Southeasterly and Easterly boundary line of which is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at Station 4 as shown on the above referenced recorded map and running thence N. 40 degrees 11' 50" E., 2304.04 feet to a monument designated as GLO "AP5", as shown on said map; thence N. 40 degrees 11' 50" E., 1286.59 feet to monument GLO "AP4" as shown on said map; thence northerly

DURT PAPER TATE OF CALIFORNIA TD *13 REV 8-72 along the line between monuments GLO "AP4" and GLO "AP3" and its Northerly extension to the intersection with the State Highway known as Sears Point Road. Being Parcel 2 of the real property conveyed to CITY by and described in that certain Indenture dated November 3, 1959, Recorded November 17, 1959 as Document No. 23662, in Book 1001, and said Indenture beginning at page 460, all in the Official Records of the Recorder of Solano County.

Parcel Three

A 100 foot wide right-of-way, the center line of which is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at Station 2, as shown on that certain "MAP OF GRANT TO CITY OF VALLEJO", filed for record with Solano County Recorder in Book 7 of Surveys, Page 8, which station is on the boundary line between Vallejo and Cullinan; thence running from said Station 2 at right angles to the boundary line between Stations 1 and 2 Northeasterly a distance of approximately 2000 feet, more or less, to the intersection with the Southwest line of the State Highway known as Sears Point Road as conveyed to CITY by grant dated November 3, 1959, recorded November 17, 1959 as Document No. 23662 in Book 1001, beginning at page 457 of the Official Records of the Recorder of Solano County.

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BEGINNING at Station 2 as said point is shown on that 3 certain Record of Survey entitled: "MAP OF THE GRANT TO 4 THE CITY OF VALLEJO", and filed in the Office of the County 5 Recorder of Solano County, California, on May 21, 1959 in Book 7 of Surveys at page 8; thence along the Northeasterly 7 line of said Grant North 61°15'10" West, 5933.95 feet to 8 Station 1 as said Station is shown on the aforementioned Record of Survey; thence North 0°10'00" East 1864.98 feet 10 to a point of beginning of the above mentioned Grant to 11 the City of Vallejo; said point being further described 12 as the center of Section 6 T3N, R4W. Mount Diablo Base and 13 Meridian, said point being monumented on the ground by a 14 1½ inch iron pipe bearing a tag stamped R E158; thence along 15 the Westerly boundary line of the East 2 of fractional Section 16 6, North $0^{\circ}10'00''$ East, 200.81 feet to the Southerly line 17 of Sears Point Road (State Highway X-SOL-208-A) as said 18 Southerly line is described in the Deed to the Sears Point 19 Toll-Road Company recorded April 1, 1929 in Book 288 of 20 Deeds at page 434 in the Office of the County Recorder of 21 Solano County, California; thence along the Southerly line 22 of said Sears Point Road South 65°44'18" East, 336.12 feet 23 to the beginning of a curve to the left of radius 10,030 24 feet; thence along the arc of said curve 487.24 feet through 25 a central angle of $2^{\circ}47'$; thence South $68^{\circ}31'18''$ East 718.3426

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1970 feet; thence along the arc of said curve 241.25 feet through a central angle of 7°01'; thence South 61°30'18" East 1756.02 feet to the beginning of a curve to the left of radius 10,030 feet; thence along the arc of said curve 498.91 feet through a central angle of 2°51'; thence South 64°21'18" East, 986.52 feet to the beginning of a curve to the right of radius 19,970 feet; thence along the arc of said curve 917.83 feet through a central angle of 2038; thence South 61°43'18" East, 1622.51 feet to the beginning of a curve to the right of radius 19,970 feet; thence along the arc of said curve 319.50 feet through a central angle of 0°55'; thence South 60°48'18" East, 1040.07 feet; thence leaving the Southerly line of Sears Point Road South 29011'42" West 2334.02 feet, to the Northeasterly line of the aforementioned Grant to the City of Vallejo; thence along said Northeasterly line North 54°40'15" West, 1984.50 feet to the point of beginning, together with any accretions thereto.

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EXCEPTING THEREFROM that portion thereof as conveyed to the State of California by instrument recorded August 20, 1970 in Book 1639, page 461, Official Records.

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A portion of that certain 3431.2381 acre parcel of land described in the Deed to Maurice Cullinan and Mildred Cullinan, husband and wife, and Martin Cullinan and

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BEGINNING at a point marking the Northwesterly corner of the property of the United States Government known as Mare Island Navy Yard; said point of beginning being on the Southerly line of State Highway X-Sol-208-A, as said highway existed December 1, 1955; said point being opposite at right angles, South 0°03'30" West, 75.42 feet from Engineer's Station 58+72.79; thence along the Southerly line of said State Highway, North 0°03'30" East, 10.42 feet to a point in the South line of Parcel No. 2 as described in the Deed to the Sears Point Toll Road Company, a corporation, recorded April 1, 1927 in Book 288 of Deeds, at Page 434; thence along the South line of Parcel No. 2 and No. 3 as described in said last mentioned Deed, North 89°56'30" West, 1431.84 feet to a point from which the corner common to fractional Sections 9, 10, 15 and 16, Township 3 North, Range 4 West, M.D.B.&M., bears South $0^{\circ}03-\frac{1}{2}$ ' West, 1281.05 feet distant; thence continuing on the same course North 89056'30" West, 1175.70 feet; thence Westerly along a curve to the right having a radius of 1030 feet, for a distance of 577.05 feet; thence North 57°50'30" West, 2455.46 feet; thence along a curve to the left having a radius of 9,970 feet for a distance of 533.63 feet; thence North $60^{\circ}54'30''$ West, 1109.50 feet, more or less, to the Northeast corner of the property

conveyed to Antonio Zunino, et al, recorded May 6, 1963 in Book 1198 of Official Records, page 541, Instrument No. 11567; thence leaving the Southerly line of Sears Point Road and running along the East line of said Antonio Zunino parcel, South 29°11'42" West, 2334.02 feet, more or less, to a point in the boundary line established by the Agreement executed by and between the City of Vallejo, Maurice Cullinas. Mildred Cullinan, his wife, Martin Cullinan and G. Jacqueline Cullinan, his wife, recorded November 17, 1959 in Book 1001 of Official Records, Page 453, Instrument No. 23661 and as shown on that certain Record of Survey entitled: "MAP OF THE GRANT TO THE CITY OF VALLEJO", and recorded in the Office of the County Recorder of Solano County, California on May 21, 1959 in Book 7 of Surveys, at Page 8; thence along the Northeasterly line of said Grant and along the boundary line established by said Agreement South 54040'15" East, 2583.72 feet, more or less, to Station 3 as said station is shown on the aforementioned Record of Survey; thence South 48^o24'20" East, 4500.47 feet, more or less, to Station 4 as said station is shown on the aforementioned Record of Survey; thence leaving said boundary and continuing Northeasterly and Northerly along the Westerly boundary of the property of the United States Government known as Mare Island Navy Yard to the place of BEGINNING.

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EXCEPTING that portion lying Northerly and landward from the boundary line described in paragraph VI of the

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1	Judgment of the United States District Court, in the case
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4	1974, and Recorded on February 8, 1974 in the Official Records
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7	And also EXCEPTING that portion thereof described in
8	the Deed from Maurice Cullinan, et al., to the State of
9	California, dated April 23, 1957 and recorded June 17, 1957
10	in Book 886 of Official Records of Solano County, Page 347
11	Instrument No. 9928.
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CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE

AND CONSENT TO RECORDING

(Govt. C. 27281)

This is to certify that the interest in real property

conveyed by the within deed or grant to the STATE OF CALIFORNIA is hereby accepted as tidelands and submerged lands owned by the State of California in its sovereign capacity, in trust for the people thereof, by the STATE OF CALIFORNIA, acting by and through the undersigned officer or agent on behalf of the STATE LANDS COMMISSION, pursuant to authority conferred by the STATE LANDS COMMISSION at its regular public meeting on ______, (Calendar Item No._____), and the grantee consents to recordation thereof by its duly authorized officer pursuant to California Government Code Section 27281.

STATE LANDS COMMISSION

By: ______

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO)

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1	On this day of, 1978, before me,
2	the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State of
3	California, with principal office in the County of Sacramento,
4	personally appeared, known
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6	OF CALIFORNIA, STATE LANDS COMMISSION, the Commission that
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8	who executed the within instrument on behalf of the STATE
9	LANDS COMMISSION therein named, and acknowledged to me that
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