October 3, 2016

Resolution No. 002-2016-SBC

Legacy Business Program- Legacy Business Registry – Historical Preservation Fund Business Assistance Grant Program

Resolution approving the rules and regulations for Administrative Code Section 2A.242, Legacy Business Registry and Administrative Code Section 2A.243(b) Legacy Business Registry Historical Preservation Fund – Grants To Legacy Businesses.

WHEREAS, the Office of Small Business operates under the Small Business Commission, which oversees grants and programs concerning and benefiting small businesses in San Francisco; and

WHEREAS, In 2015, the voters adopted Proposition J, codified at Administrative Code Sections 2A.242-243, which seeks to recognize longstanding, community-serving businesses by directing OSB to establish and maintain a Registry of the Legacy Businesses in San Francisco; and

WHEREAS, Proposition J defines a Legacy Business as a business that the Small Business Commission following a noticed hearing has found meets certain criteria, as detailed in Administrative Code Section 2A.242(b), following a nomination by the Mayor or a Member of the Board of Supervisors; and

WHEREAS, Proposition J defines in Administrative Code Section 2A.242(e) that the Small Business Commission after a noticed hearing may adopt rules, regulations, and forms necessary to implement the Administrative Code Section 2A.242, Legacy Business Registry; and
WHEREAS, Proposition J established Administrative Code Section 2A.243, the Legacy Business Historic Preservation Fund (the "Fund"); and

WHEREAS, The Fund consist of two grant programs, Administrative Code Section 2A.243(b), Grants To Legacy Businesses (Business Assistance Grants) and Administrative Code Section 2A.243(c), Grants to Landlords (Rent Stabilization Grants); and

WHEREAS, Proposition J defines in Administrative Code Section 2A.243(d) that the Small Business Commission after a noticed hearing may adopt rules, regulations, and forms necessary to implement the Administrative Code Section 2A.243(b), Grants To Legacy Businesses; and

WHEREAS, Proposition J defines in Administrative Code Section 2A.242(e) and Administrative Code Section 2A.243(d) that after adoption of such rules, regulations, and forms necessary to implement the Administrative Code Sections 2A.242 and 2A243(b), the Small Business Commission shall provide written notice to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of its adoption of any rule or regulation under Administrative Code Sections 2A.242(e) and 2A243(d); now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Small Business Commission adopts the rules, regulations, and forms of Administrative Code Section 2A.242, Legacy Business Registry and Administrative Code Section 2A.243(b) Legacy Business Registry Historical Preservation Fund, Grants To Legacy Businesses approved at the September 26, 2016, Small Business Commission meeting; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that Small Business Commission directs the Office of Small Business to give written notice to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of its adoption of the rules and regulations, along with a copy of said rule or regulations, as stated under Administrative Code Sections 2A.242(e) and 2A243(d).
I hereby certify that the Small Business Commission ADOPTED the foregoing Resolution on October 3, 2016.

Regina Dick-Endrizzi
Director, Office of Small Business

Ayes - 6: Dwight, Dooley, Ortiz-Cartagena, Tour-Sarkissian, Yee Riley, Zouzounis

Nays - 0

Absent – 1: Adams