

1  
2  
3  
4  
5  
6  
7  
8  
9  
10  
11  
12  
13  
14  
15  
16  
17  
18  
19  
20  
21  
22  
23  
24  
25  
26  
27  
28  
29

**RESOLUTION NO. 2019-52**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE ALBANY CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING  
THE CITY MANAGER TO SUBMIT ALBANY HILL ACCESS  
IMPROVEMENTS FOR FUNDING FROM THE 2019 PRIORITY  
CONSERVATION AREA GRANT PROGRAM**

**WHEREAS**, in 2012, the City Council adopted the Albany Hill Creekside Park Master Plan, and

**WHEREAS**, the Albany Hill Creekside Master Plan recommends improvements to the existing trail system to improve safety, access, and circulation; repair existing amenities including benches, viewing areas, and signage; and construction of a pedestrian bridge across Cerrito Creek at Belmont Avenue (El Cerrito); and

**WHEREAS**, on March 19, 2018, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 2018-36 authorizing the adoption of the FY2018 – FY2022 Five Year Capital Improvement Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, the Capital Improvement Plan establishes a strategic planning document for capital projects including scoping, scheduling and funding individual projects to be implemented within five years; and

**WHEREAS**, the Capital Improvement Plan included funding through Measure R for the Albany Hill Access Improvements Program; and

**WHEREAS**, in April 2018, Council approved a contract for design services to prepare plans, specifications, and a construction cost estimate for the Project; and

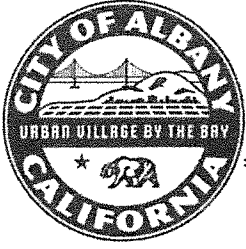
1           **WHEREAS**, the Project was presented to the Parks and Recreation Commission  
2 five times to solicit feedback on specific project elements including trail materials for the  
3 summit path; and  
4

5           **WHEREAS**, the project design has been reviewed by Dr. Stewart Weiss, a  
6 recognized expert on the Monarch butterfly and its habitat and the Project was found to  
7 have no impact on the sensitive butterfly habitat on Albany Hill; and  
8

9           **WHEREAS**, on January 22, 2019, the City Council approved the project design  
10 and a Call for Bids for the Project.  
11

12           **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Albany City Council  
13 authorizes the City Manager to submit the Albany Hill Access Improvements Project to  
14 the California Coastal Conservancy in cooperation with the Metropolitan Transportation  
15 Commission and Association of Bay Area Governments.  
16

17  
18   
19  
20  
21  
22  
23  
24  
25  
26  
27  
28  
29  
ROCHELLE NASON, MAYOR



# City of Albany

1000 San Pablo Avenue • Albany, California 94706  
(510) 528-5710 • [www.albanyca.org](http://www.albanyca.org)

## RESOLUTION NO. 2019-52

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY,

The 17th day of June, 2019, by the following votes:

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

NOES: None

ABSENT: none

ABSTAINED: none

RECUSED: none

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

18th day of June, 2019.

Eileen Harrington  
DEPUTY CITY CLERK