

RESOLUTION NO. 124-2000  
ADOPTED JULY 11, 2000

**AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF A PROGRAMMING AGREEMENT FOR THE  
YERBA BUENA GARDENS WITH YERBA BUENA ARTS AND EVENTS, INCLUDING  
AN AGENCY ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION OF \$150,000 FOR A THREE YEAR  
PERIOD; YERBA BUENA CENTER REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT AREA**

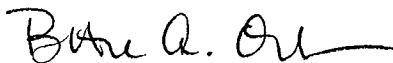
**BASIS FOR RESOLUTION**

1. For the past five years, the Agency has contracted with Yerba Buena Center for the Arts to provide certain programming of the Yerba Buena Gardens open spaces. Yerba Buena Center for the Arts is no longer available to provide such services to the Agency.
2. The Redevelopment Agency of the City and County of San Francisco desires to enter into a Programming Agreement for the Yerba Buena Gardens with Yerba Buena Arts and Events ("YBA&E").
3. It is desired that YBA&E present an annual program of events and provide the management structure necessary to support various community activities in the Gardens and to coordinate with Metreon to activate its outdoor venues, and program Jessie Square and the Yerba Buena Lane connector when they open.
4. Agency Staff recommends approval of a contribution of \$150,000 on an annual basis for three years to support these activities, subject to approval of the Agency's annual budget.
5. The proposed agreement with YBA&E is supported by the Yerba Buena Alliance.

**RESOLUTION**

ACCORDINGLY, IT IS RESOLVED by the Redevelopment Agency of the City and County of San Francisco that the Executive Director is authorized to enter into a Programming Agreement with Yerba Buena Arts and Events, a California non-profit public benefit corporation, including an annual \$150,000 Agency Contribution for three years, subject to approval of Agency's annual budget substantially in the form lodged with the Agency General Counsel.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



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