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Work Item No.:	1720
Funder:	US Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA)
Work Project Title:	Wetlands Regional Monitoring Program
Purpose of Project:	Advance a robust regional monitoring program for tidal wetlands in the San Francisco Estuary.
Brief Scope of Work:	Build on current work to align the Wetlands Regional Monitoring Program with regulatory needs, build partnerships with community-based organizations and public educational systems, and advance an implementation plan for monitoring activities.
Project Cost Not to Exceed:	\$498,762
Funding Source:	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Wetlands Program Development Grant Program
Fiscal Impact:	Funds programmed into FY 2024-25
Motion by Committee:	The Executive Board is requested to authorize the Executive Director of the Metropolitan Transportation Commission, or his designee, to enter into a funding agreement with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency on behalf of the Association of Bay Area Governments and the San Francisco Estuary Partnership in an amount of \$498,762 to advance development of the Wetlands Regional Monitoring Program.
ABAG Executive Board Approval:	Belia Ramos, ABAG President
Approval Date:	April 18, 2024