

## PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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The Honorable Mayor Edwin M. Lee Mayor of San Francisco City Hall, Room 200 1 Carlton B. Goodlett Place San Francisco, CA 94102

Re: Cast Iron Gas Main Replacement in San Francisco

Dear Mayor Lee:

I am pleased to inform you that yesterday our Consumer Protection and Safety Division received from Pacific Gas and Electric Company a work plan for completion of the cast iron gas main replacement program in San Francisco.

It now appears we finally have in hand a proposed plan for completing this important public safety project in a timely manner.

Our safety engineers will work with PG&E and the City to make any modifications necessary to ensure that the plan achieves our mutual goal of public safety (for example, ensuring that the work is prioritized based on the condition, diameter, and leak history of each pipeline section) and we will monitor PG&E's progress. We anticipate further cooperation from City Officials, as needed, to ensure the work is completed in a timely manner.

Hon Edwin M. Lee, Mayor City and County of San Francisco September 21, 2012

We appreciate the attention you and other City officials have given to this important public safety initiative. We understand that Fire Chief Joanne Hayes-White will be our liaison with the City and we look forward to a continuing cooperative relationship.

Very truly yours,

Michael R. Peevey President

cc: Hon. Dennis Herrera, City Attorney

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