

**THE PRESIDIO TRUST
BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

**RESOLUTION 12-2
ARCHAEOLOGICAL COLLECTIONS POLICY**

WHEREAS, 16 U.S.C. §460bb appendix authorizes the Presidio Trust to manage, maintain and improve the property within the Presidio of San Francisco under its administrative jurisdiction (“Area B”); and

WHEREAS, the Presidio Trust is responsible for managing archaeological collections that derive from sites under its administrative jurisdiction in accordance with 36 CFR Part 79, Curation of Federally-Owned and Administered Archaeological Collections; and

WHEREAS, archaeological sites in Area B, including the cornerstone of the Presidio Trust’s archaeology program, El Presidio de San Francisco, have played an important role in developing an understanding of our shared cultural heritage; and

WHEREAS, the Presidio Trust Board of Directors desires to build on the policy outlined in the Presidio Trust Management Plan supporting the preservation of and public access to Presidio artifacts;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Presidio Trust Board of Directors hereby adopts the attached Archaeological Collections Policy; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Executive Director shall have the authority and responsibility to develop Archaeological Collections Management Guidelines consistent with the Archaeological Collections Policy and to implement the Archaeological Collections Policy by developing such other administrative and operational procedures, rules and guidelines as the Executive Director may deem appropriate.

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