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RESOLUTION NO. 602-04

[State funds for construction and renovation of branch libraries.]

Resolution urging the California Public Library Construction and Renovation Board to award five grants totaling over \$22 million from Proposition 14 funds for the construction of new Ingleside, Ortega, Portola, and Visitacion Valley branch libraries and the renovation of the Richmond branch library.

WHEREAS, San Francisco's Branch Library Improvement Program aims to provide the public with seismically safe, accessible, technologically updated, and code compliant Cityowned branch libraries in every neighborhood; and

WHEREAS, The construction and renovation will provide needed services to the community, especially to children, the elderly, and recent immigrants; contribute to neighborhood revitalization and strengthen cooperation between the libraries and local schools; and

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Public Library has submitted five applications to the State for Cycle 3 funding under the California Reading and Literacy Improvement and Public Library Construction and Renovation Bond Act of 2000, known as Proposition 14, to enhance the City's own library bond program; and

WHEREAS, These applications are to help fund the construction of four greatly needed new branch libraries, Portola, Ingleside, Ortega, and Visitacion Valley and the renovation of the historic Richmond branch library; and

WHEREAS, San Francisco County supported Proposition 14 at the highest support level of any county in the state; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco urges the California Public Library Construction and Renovation Board to award grants

Supervisors Elsbernd, Ma, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Sandoval, Ammiano, Alioto-Picr BOARD OF SUPERVISORS totaling over \$22 million for the construction of the Ingleside, Ortega, Portola, and Visitacion Valley branch libraries and the renovation of the Richmond branch library.

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September 28, 2004 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Gonzalez, Ma, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Peskin, Sandoval

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on September 28, 2004 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

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**Date Approved**