

[Accept and Expend Grant - Retroactive - California Department of Health Care Services - San Francisco Health Plan - Housing and Homelessness Incentive Program - \$7,658,684.63]

Resolution retroactively authorizing the Department of Public Health to accept and expend a grant increase from the California Department of Health Care Services through San Francisco Health Plan for participation in a program, entitled, "Housing and Homelessness Incentive Program," in the amount of \$2,518,000 for the period of January 1, 2025, through November 1, 2026, for a total amount of \$7,658,684.63 for the total period of July 1, 2023, through November 1, 2026; and approving the Notice of Award agreement pursuant to Charter, Section 9.118(a).

WHEREAS, The California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS), through the San Francisco Health Plan (SFHP) as a pass-through entity, has agreed to fund the Department of Public Health (DPH) in the amount of \$7,658,684.63 for participation in a program, entitled "Housing and Homelessness Incentive Program," for the period of July 1, 2023, through November 1, 2026; and

WHEREAS, Under the Office of Coordinated Care (OCC), DPH operates the Bridge and Engagement Services Team: Neighborhoods (BEST Neighborhoods) to provide rapid, trauma-informed behavioral and physical health assessments; community-based therapeutic interventions to promote healing, wellness, and positive community participation; and linkages to benefits, housing and community resources; and

WHEREAS, This grant provides partial funding for BEST Neighborhoods Peers, who will link and navigate clients to housing and benefits, support DPH teams in: Engagement and relationship building with people experiencing homelessness, and linkage and engagement to Enhanced Care Management and Community Supports; and

1 WHEREAS, DPH will integrate Findhelp closed-loop referral platform into its electronic
2 health record (EHR); and

3 WHEREAS, Once the referral is accepted and the member receives services, the
4 information will automatically flow back into the EHR, closing the loop and ensuring visibility
5 into whether the member was successfully connected to needed resources; and

6 WHEREAS, The grant does not require an Annual Salary Ordinance Amendment; and

7 WHEREAS, A request for retroactive approval is being sought because DPH received
8 an increase in grant funds in the amount of \$2,268,000 on February 26, 2025 for a project
9 start date of January 1, 2025, then received another increase in grant funds on August 25,
10 2025 in the amount of \$250,000 for a project start date of November 1, 2025, to an earlier
11 grant award of \$2,650,986 for a project start date of July 1, 2023, which was approved by the
12 Board in the 23-24 Fiscal Year Annual Appropriations Ordinance, under File Number 230644,
13 on May 5, 2023, and an increase in grant funds in the amount of \$2,489,698.63 on May 15,
14 2025, for a project start date of May 15, 2025, which was approved by the Board for accept
15 and expend purposes on July 23, 2025, under File Number 250620; and

16 WHEREAS, Charter, Section 9.118(a) requires Board of Supervisors' approval by
17 Resolution of any contract, which when entered into has anticipated revenue of \$1 million
18 dollars or more; and

19 WHEREAS, The Department proposes to maximize use of available grant funds on
20 program expenditures by not including indirect costs in the grant budget; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby waives inclusion of indirect costs in
22 the grant budget; and, be it

23 FURTHER RESOLVED, That DPH is hereby authorized to retroactively accept and
24 expend a grant increase in the amount of \$2,518,000 from the DHCS through SFHP for a total
25 grant amount of \$7,658,684.63; and, be it

1 FURTHER RESOLVED, That DPH is hereby authorized to retroactively accept and
2 expend the grant funds pursuant to Administrative Code, Section 10.170-1; and, be it

3 FURTHER RESOLVED, That under Charter, Section 9.118(a), the Board of
4 Supervisors approves the Notice of Award agreement for these funds; and, be it

5 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Director
6 of Health or the Director's designee to enter into any amendments or modifications to the
7 Grant Agreement that the Department determines, in consultation with the City Attorney, are
8 in the best interests of the City, do not otherwise materially increase the obligations or
9 liabilities of the City, are necessary to effectuate the purposes of the Grant, and are in
10 compliance with all applicable laws; and, be it

11 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Director of Health is authorized to enter into the
12 Agreement on behalf of the City; and, be it

13 FURTHER RESOLVED, That within thirty (30) days of the Grant Agreement being fully
14 executed by all parties, the Director of Health shall provide a copy to the Clerk of the Board of
15 Supervisors for inclusion in the official file.

Recommended:

Approved: _____ /s/ _____

Mayor

/s/ _____

Daniel Tsai

Approved: _____ /s/ _____

Director of Health

Controller



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December 10, 2025 Budget and Finance Committee - RECOMMENDED

December 16, 2025 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Chan, Chen, Dorsey, Fielder, Mahmood, Mandelman, Melgar, Sauter, Sherrill, Walton and Wong

File No. 251151

**I hereby certify that the foregoing
Resolution was ADOPTED on 12/16/2025 by
the Board of Supervisors of the City and
County of San Francisco.**

f Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board

Daniel Lurie
Mayor

12/23/25

Date Approved