

1 [Accept-Expend State Grant]

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3 **Resolution authorizing the Department of Parking and Traffic to apply for, accept and**
4 **expend a grant in the amount of \$450,000 from the California Department of**
5 **Transportation for Safe Routes to School grant funding.**

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7 WHEREAS, The California State Assembly, enacted Assembly Bill 1475 in 1999, to
8 establish and administer a “Safe Routes to School” (SR2S) construction grant program, and to
9 use Federal transportation construction funds for construction of bicycle and pedestrian safety
10 and traffic calming projects and,

11 WHEREAS, The California Department of Transportation makes available to local
12 governmental agencies under the Safe Routes to School program, based on the results of a
13 statewide competition that requires the submission of proposals for funding, and rates those
14 proposals on demonstration of need, potential to implement safety countermeasures, and
15 encouragement of walking and bicycling to school; and,

16 WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco recognizes the importance of
17 implementing traffic and pedestrian safety solutions for K-12 school areas and,

18 WHEREAS, School officials, parents, and surrounding local community are
19 collaborative supporters of this proposal and specific safety improvements and
20 countermeasures have been identified in concept for implementation in the Leonard Flynn
21 Elementary School area and,

22 WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco’s Department of Parking and Traffic
23 submitted a proposal for funding of the Leonard Flynn Elementary School Project to improve
24 school safety for the Leonard Flynn Elementary School area through traffic calming and other
25 traffic safety measures and,

1 WHEREAS, The California Department of Transportation advises the City and County
2 of San Francisco that funding for the Leonard Flynn Elementary School Project has been
3 approved and,

4 WHEREAS, The grant terms prohibit including indirect costs in the grant budget; now,
5 therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco authorizes the Director of
7 Transportation or his designee to apply for, accept and expend \$450,000 from the California
8 Department of Transportation's Safe Routes to School grant program with a match of
9 \$221,378 from Prop K Sales Tax Funds, for the Leonard Flynn Elementary Safe Routes to
10 School Project, to improve school safety for the Leonard Flynn Elementary School area
11 through traffic calming and other traffic safety measures; and be it

12 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby waives inclusion of
13 indirect costs in the grant budget.

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15 Recommended:

Approved: _____

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Mayor

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18 Department Head

Approved: _____

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Controller

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